

# BEN TUTTON

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## ABOUT

I'm a creative, determined and resourceful individual with a deep-seated passion to succeed within the natural history filmmaking industry. I have always been fascinated by wildlife, but over the last 4 years I have become focused on capturing and sharing the awesome beauty of the natural world in both stills and motion. This passion as well as my desire for adventure, personable demeanor, astute research and analytical skills and efficient organisational abilities have lead me to feel that I will thrive within the industry.

## EXPERIENCE

May 2011

### **Films@59** – Runner

- Working as a runner to ensure the smooth running of the Films@59 post-production suites including but not limited to tidying, making refreshments and running deliveries.
- I sat in on offline edits and tracklays for various programmes and experienced the post-production workflow.

June 2010 – Present (part time)

### **Daniel Kiloran Photography** – Photographer's Assistant

- Photographing and assisting at weddings throughout the country
- Selecting and editing photographs in photoshop to a required style for presentation in a wedding album

September 2007 – September 2010

### **Gaea Pharma Ltd.** – Market Analyst/Project Manager

- Organisation and project management of various international meetings
- Production of market research reports into drug pricing and reimbursement within Europe
- Project assisting a worldwide prostate cancer trial
- General administration

## EDUCATION

September 2010 – Present

### **University of Salford** – MA, Wildlife Documentary Production

- My final project was a 10-minute documentary about Barbary Macaque behaviour in Morocco. All research, pre-production organisation, filming, editing (FCP) and post-production was conducted by myself.
- Modules have included: Research Skills, Production Skills, Editing, Biodiversity, Animal Behaviour.
- The course also included masterclasses from: Neil Lucas (Director), Martin Elsbury (Editor), David Attenborough and others.

September 2004–June 2007

### **University of Bristol** – BSc (Hons) Biochemistry and Medical Biochemistry – 2.i

- My dissertation was novel research to isolate a possible target for drug eluting stents.
- Modules covered a wide range of human biochemistry.

September 1998 – July 2004

### **The King's School in Macclesfield**

3 A Levels – (Biology:A, Chemistry:A, Maths:A), 9 GCSEs – 7 A\*s, 2 As