

MARTIN TOMPKINS

PHOTOGRAPHER/FILM-MAKER

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Professional photographer and video producer with 22 years of industry experience, producing creative portraiture, editorial and mixed media content for promotion. Confident orchestrating large groups or working one on one. Seeing projects and the process through from conception to the completion within budget and on time. Excellent technical knowledge of professional cameras, industry equipment and mobile devices. Experience of working in an editorial team, creating video and digital content.

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Key Skills

Video Editor

13 years' experience. Efficient in Davinci Resolve, Premiere Pro, A.I tools and Vimeo. Familiar with the Adobe suite and have an understanding of Descript. I like to keep up with existing software developments within the video editing ecosystem.

Photographer

22 years' experience. Working with clients in all genres of photography. Specialising in portraiture with a strong understanding of lighting. Lightroom, Photoshop, Capture One, InDesign and various A.I tools.

Freelance Camera Operator

13 years' experience. Working for agencies and my own clients. Working as part of a team of operators for live productions. Familiar with various audio equipment to get the best sound possible and with live streaming events.

Experience

Camera Operator, Editor

Bath, UK
Sep 2018 - Present

Suited & Booted - Video Production Company

Working closely with the team filming conferences, location work and editing interviews for clients, such as TedX live, Bath Half Marathon and Stats Bomb Live.

Freelance Film, Photographer

Various
Sep 2015 - Present

Asian Arts Agency

Developing, promoting and supporting Asian Arts across the UK. Working with the production team filming and editing content for their media channels.

Editor

Remote
Dec 2020 - Mar 2021

Silverfish UK

Freelance editorial editing. Cutting marketing material for Michelin, 100%, Peaty's, Yeti Cycles, Birzman and Knog.

Video Producer

Bath UK
Apr 2019 - Present

Select Science

Working closely with scientific leads on video content creation undertaking filming, editing for shows and in labs.

Features Photographer

Bristol
Oct 2016 - Present

Beneficial Shock!

Working closely with the editor and features collaborators producing feature pieces for print and online.

Beneficial Shock! is a bi-annual magazine for film lovers and design enthusiasts, with accompanying screen based motion features that will champion progressive thinking from contemporary illustrators, graphic designers and photographers. Rather than your standard film magazine full of reviews, celebrity news and press images, Beneficial Shock! aims to use illustration, visual documentation and design in humorous and irreverent ways to expressively interpret film related content. In short, film is just the beginning.

www.beneficialshock.com

Media Content Creator

Bath UK
Oct 2021 - Present

Voices For Life (Charity)

Video, photography and media producer. Working closely with the team to produce high quality visual identity.

Freelance Photographer

Bath, UK
- Present

Bath Life Magazine

Arts, style and culture magazine.
Society photography, portraits for key features within the magazine; including John Cleese,(cover) Michael Caine, Nigella Lawson, Raymond Blanc and Rodger Cook.

Picture Editor

Bath, UK
Jan 2002 - Jan 2008

Decode Magazine

Art, music, culture for Bristol & Bath

Features Photographer

Bath, UK
Jan 2008 - Jan 2009

The Italian Magazine - Merricks Media

Working in Italy, locations and photo essays on Italian culture.

Product Photographer

Bath, UK
Jan 2008 - Jan 2009

A Brand New You Magazine - Merricks Media

Fashion & beauty magazine. Working with the editorial team to produce styled still lifes of the various cosmetic products.

Pre-press Image Editor

Bath, UK
Mar 2009 - Oct 2011

Future Publishing

Working within the pre-press department, editing images for print and online.

Photographic Assistant

Bath, UK
Jan 1993 - Jan 1995

Tim Mcmillan Photography

Assisted Time-Slice® Photographer Tim Mcmillan

Exhibition

Wall of Sound - Musical Portraiture

Solo show - Musical Portraits - Invention Arts Centre & St. James Wine Vaults Bath - 2008

"Everything In Between - A Journey Into The American Heartland"

Solo show from a trip through New York to Miami via The Smoky Mountains, Nashville, Memphis and New Orleans. The Michael Tippett centre, Bath. 2004

"The Twin Towns of Bath"

As part of a visual reconnaissance mission between myself and three other photographers, we decided to split up and travel to each of the four towns Bath is twinned with. Kaposvar in Hungary is 100 miles south west of the Capital Budapest. The exhibition presents pictures from that visit.

Books

Havana Street Style

November 2013. A look at street fashion in Havana, Cuba. Working with the producer and editorial team at Intellect Books. Released Summer 2014 through Intellect Books

Havana Street Style is the first book that explores and reveals the relationship between culture, city and street fashion in Cuba's capital. Matching visual ethnography with critical analysis, the book documents a unique street style few in the United States have yet experienced.

Everything in Between

September 2003 - A road trip down the east coast of America From New York to Miami. Exhibition and limited print run.

Education

BA(Hons)

Salisbury College of Art

Photographic Communication

Salisbury, UK

Sep 1996 - Sep 1999

Foundation

Trowbridge Technical College

Photography, lighting, film theory

Trowbridge, UK

Sep 1993 - Sep 1995

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