Michael Crummy

Freelance Post Production Editor Avid Offline/Online/Symphony Grade FCP 7, Adobe Premiere

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About Me

With over 30 years experience in broadcasting, I consider myself to be a safe pairs of hands within a post production team environment.

I'm a fast and dependable editor, capable of working across multiple genres including Children's, Arts, Gaelic, Entertainment, Factual, Sport and Documentaries. I can take your programmes through the entire broadcast chain from offline through to online and grade, ensuring Harding flash pattern analysis compliance, and ultimately to final programme delivery.

I pride myself on being adaptable and flexible in my approach to editing, and I am happy working to tight deadlines on fast turnaround projects. My engineering background means I have strong problem solving and troubleshooting skills, handy when things don't go according to plan. My personable nature makes for a pleasant experience during long edit days.

I am skilled in the use of Avid Media composer, and also use FCP 7 and Adobe Premiere.

Credits include Scotland's Game

2 x 60' Factual Offline BBC Scotland

Secrets of the Scammers *STV production for Channel 5* Offline

Sport XV Sport magazine programme for BBC Scotland

Road to Referendum – ITV version Factual 1 x 60 Offline, Online & Grade ITV Network

Celtic Connections Opening Concert 2015 Offline / Online BBC Scotland

Children In Need *Entertainment* 5 x 5min appeal inserts and highlights programme assembly BBC1 BBC1HD

Sportscene Sport Offline, Online, Location editing **Ceol Country** 4 x 60' Country Music programmes for BBC ALBA Adobe Premiere Offline / Online

Money for Nothing Friel Kean Films for BBC Entertainment *Symphony Grade*

Proms in the Park Insert edits and programme assembly BBC Scotland

Tales From the Edge – The Glasgow Girls Factual Offline, Online & Grade (Winner Amnesty International Nations and Regions Media Award 2006)

World Pipe Band Championships Entertainment Insert edits and final programme assembly BBC1 BBC1HD

The Culture Show *Arts & Factual* Offline, Online & Grade BBC2 **Farpaisean Chon-Chaorach** Sheep Dog trials for BBC ALBA

The Games People Play Referendum documentary for BBC1 Scotland HD Offline/Online

Still Game at the Hydro BBC Scotland Online

The Founder The story of Brother Walfrid for distribution on DVD for Network Studios Limited Offline

The Weakest Link *Entertainment* 40 x 45 Offline, Online, full broadcast sound mix BBC1 BBC1 HD

Raven

Children's 160 x 30 (8 Series) Offline, Online & Grade CBBC and BBC1



Frontline – Up in Smoke *Current Affairs* 1 x 30 Offline, Online & Grade BBC1

Celtic Connections at 20 *Entertainment* 1 x 60 Offline, Online & Grade BBC2

The State Opening of the New Scottish Parliament 1999 *Current Affairs* On-site tape editing BBC1

T in the Park *Music/Arts* 4 x 60 Online BBC2 and BBC3

Raven : The Secret Temple *Children's* 12 x 30 Offline, Online & Grade On site editing in Hyderabad, India

Eòrpa *Gaelic Current Affairs* Multiple x 30 Offline & Online BBC2 BBC Alba

Get 100 *Children's* Multiple x 30 Online Frontline – A League of Their Own

Current Affairs 1 x 30 Offline, Online & Grade BBC1

The Magic Tricks of JJ Abrams – A Culture Show Special *Arts & Factual 1 x 30 Online & Grade*

The One Show *Entertainment* Offline, Online & Grade BBC1

Nina and the Neurons Children's 24 x 14 Offline, Online & Grade Cbeebies

Raven : The Island Children's 10 x 30 Offline, Online BBC1

De a Nis? *Gaelic Children's* Multiple x 60 Offline, Online BBC2 BBC Alba

ESPN Kicks – Scottish Football Sport Online BBC Scotland Investigates – Suzanne Pilley – The Woman who Disappeared

Current Affairs 1 x 30 Offline, Online & Grade BBC1

The Review Show Arts & Factual

Online BBC4

Who Let the Dogs Out Series 2 *Children's* 4 x 30 Offline, Online & Grade CBBC

Balamory *Children's* Offline/Online

What do writers do all day : Cornelia Parker Arts & Factual Online & Grade BBC2

50/50 Children's 20 x 30 Offline, Online BBC1

Career History

Jul 2013 – Present Aug 1998 – Jul 2013 Aug 1987 – Sept 1998 Aug 1984 – Aug 1987 Freelance Post Production Editor Post Production Editor – BBC Scotland Recording Operator / Senior Recording Operator – BBC Scotland Engineer , BBC Scotland

Training

Avid Symphony – BBC Wood Norton Adobe Photoshop – BBC Scotland Avid Media Composer – BBC Wood Norton EVS Clean Edit – EVS HQ, Liège, Belgium Adobe After Effects – BBC Scotland

Recommendations

Mike is one of those people who can find a way of making it work ... [which] is key to things going well in high-pressure edits where we have a quick turn-around. Creatively, I have found him more than willing to offer constructive opinions and improve on pieces I have been cutting with him. He creates a relaxed atmosphere in the suite with his sense of humour but knows when to knuckle down when there are tight deadlines. I'm always happy to work with Mike because I know I am going to get the job done well and in good time.

Paul McKenna, Asst Producer, BBC Scotland Sport (Now SKY)

Mike is an excellent editor. He is very quick, and very good at working out why things are going wrong when the technology isn't cooperating. Mike was one of the first editors to put Eòrpa together using the new technology [at PQ] and he put a lot of thought into how to get it to work for us. He is always very helpful, and he makes an excellent job of the pieces he edits for Eòrpa, coming up with really good ideas for visual approach and for using music. We're always very pleased to work with him.

Hedda MacLeod, Producer, Eòrpa

I was very impressed with Mike's editing. His technical abilities were good [and] editorially his programmes were lovely, well paced and exactly what I was looking for. He understood what I was trying to achieve and adapted well to suit. He was also good to work with and was able to make any changes to programmes quickly as well as find creative solutions when we had to cut out a lot of time from specific programmes. I found him to be flexible and very willing to work on if necessary. I will request him for future productions.

Yvonne Jennings, Producer, Nina and the Neurons

Mike has consistently been one of our main editors on The Culture Show, frequently doing the final programme compilation, online and delivery. He is technically extremely efficient and knowledgeable, great at finding creative solutions and always a pleasure to work with.

Pauline Law, Executive Producer, Topical Arts, BBC Four