

David Williams

Cardiff based camera operator, video editor and live stream director.

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EXPERIENCE

2024 - Present

Freelance

Camera Operator

- > Covering live Football League games for IMG & Sky Sports.
- > Experience operating Camera 4 (behind the goal) & Camera 1 (main angle)

2015-present

Cardiff Devils

Photographer & Videographer

- > Match night photography for the club's website, social media channels and programme.
- > Producing a range of video content from TikToks to documentaries in a range of formats.
- > Working on the club's live stream as a camera operator and occasionally as a director.

2021-2024

EatSleep Media

Videographer & Live Stream Director

- > Producing commercial and PR video for a range of clients.
- > Working on all stages of production from concept, filming & editing through to delivery.
- > I directed, filmed & edited a half-an-hour documentary for the FAW's RedWall+ streaming platform, which was nominated for an RTS Cymru Award.
- > I set up a live streaming branch of ESM which involved directing multi-camera live streams, often with remote guests and video packages.

2014-2024

Swansea City AFC

Camera Operator & Live Stream Director

- > Camera operator for live content as well as pre-recorded content.
- > Filming pre-season friendlies, cup and youth games for use on the club website, Youtube channel and social media outlets.
- > Filming matches for the club's live streaming service either at the home ground or away stadiums using LiveU.
- > Directing the club's live stream and producing highlights packages.

RELEVANT QUALIFICATIONS

2010-2013

University of Glamorgan

BA (Hons) Film & Video, First Class

- > Studied a range of genres including drama, documentary and commercial and worked in a variety of roles including camera, lighting, editing, production design and directing.

SPECIALIST AREAS AND SKILLS

- > Cameras – Canon & Nikon DSLRs, Lumix GH5S, Sony PMW-200, JVC JY-HM360, Blackmagic Ursa Mini 4.6k, Blackmagic Pocket Cinema Camera 4K
- > Aerial - Commercial drone license and I own a DJI Mavic Mini
- > Video Editing – Premiere Pro, After Effects
- > Directed live streams using vMix, Tricaster and Blackmagic Atem systems
- > Photo editing Software - Photoshop, Photo Mechanic, Lightroom

OVERVIEW

- > I have worked on a number of half-hour documentaries including being a camera operator on two films that were nominated for RTS Cymru Awards as well as another nomination as director, camera operator and editor.
- > I set up a live streaming branch of the company with limited resources but was able to produce a number of high quality streams for clients including the Football Association of Wales and Gloucester Rugby.
- > At the Cardiff Devils I work predominantly as a camera operator on camera one (main angle) or on an ice level RF camera for the club live stream as well as occasionally stepping in as director.
- > For Swansea City I directed the club's live stream using the Tricaster system.
- > I have photographed a number of sports including football, rugby, ice hockey, snooker, boxing, MMA, American football, rowing, sailing and more.