



## Adrian Gordon

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### Personal Profile

A highly accomplished broadcast video editor specializing in prime-time unscripted factual and entertainment documentaries for leading broadcasters and streaming platforms. With over 400 hours of edited content, I excel in crafting compelling narratives, seamless transitions, and high-impact visuals under tight deadlines.

Expert in Avid Media Composer, Final Cut Pro 7/X, Premiere Pro, and After Effects, bringing precision, creativity, and storytelling expertise to every project. Passionate about mentoring producers and training industry professionals in advanced editing techniques.

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#### Key Skills & Expertise

- Advanced Video Editing – Proficient in Avid MC, FCP7/X, Premiere Pro, and After Effects
- Storytelling & Narrative Development – Structuring engaging and impactful stories.
- Seamless Editing & Visual Flow – Ensuring high-quality scene transitions and audio clarity.
- Creative Problem-Solving – Addressing editorial challenges with innovative solutions.
- Mentorship & Training – Teaching producers and directors to enhance their editing skills.

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#### Additional Video & Production Experience

- Joe Allen New York Bar & Brasserie – Covent Garden, London
- The Woodman Public House – Highgate, London
- Loolaa & Goo Bridal Wear – Lee, London
- Liaised with MDs and General Managers to interpret briefs
- Organized shoots and logistics while ensuring Health & Safety compliance
- Filmed discreetly to protect patrons' identities
- Delivered rough cuts for review and feedback

#### Freelance Video Editor (1GG6 – Present)

- Collaborated with BBC, Channel 4, ITV, Netflix, National Geographic, MTV, and Sky, producing high-quality factual and entertainment programming. Selected credits include:

*Rob † Rylan's Grand Tour - Venice* (BBC Arts), *Rise and Fall* (Channel 4) *Fred Sirieix: The Last Resort* (E4), *Inside the World's Toughest Prisons - Greece, Poland, Honduras † Philippines* (Netflix) *24 Hours in Police*

*Custody* (Channel 4) *True Life Crime UK* (MTV) *Too Hot To Handle - Season 3* (Netflix), *The World's Most Scenic River Journeys* (Channel 5) *The Real Housewives of Cheshire* (ITV1) - Lead editor S1-5 *Gordon Ramsay Uncharted - Morocco* (NatGeo) *Made In Chelsea* (Channel 4) *Gordon, Gino & Fred: The Ultimate Road Trip - Italy, France & Scotland*(ITV1) *Around the World by Train - Europe* (Channel 5) *I'm A Celebrity Get Me Out Of Here - Series 2* (ITV1) *Danniella Westbrook: My Nose and Me* (Channel 4) - BAFTA nomination

### **TSI Video Ltd (1GG8 - 2000)**

- Editing Factual & Entertainment Documentaries for all the major networks and streamers.
  - *Weddings From Hell* (ITV1) - The first of the 'From Hell Series' (9 million viewers, Wednesday 9 PM slot)
  - *Ramsay's Boiling Point Episode 4* (Channel 4) - First editor to bring Gordon Ramsay to the screen with two pilots.
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### **Career Highlights & Awards**

- *Gordon, Gino & Fred's Ultimate Road Trip* – BAFTA Nomination, Winner of TV Choice Award
  - *Temptation Island* (UK) – International Emmy nomination
  - *Danniella Westbrook: My Nose and Me* (Channel 4) – BAFTA nomination
  - *Superhuman: The World's Smallest* – Winner of the Golden Panda Award for Best Anthropology Documentary(China, 2009)
  - *Weddings From Hell* (ITV1) – 9 million viewers on a Wednesday night primetime slot
  - First editor to introduce Gordon Ramsay to television.
  - Worked with Sascha Baron Cohen on the development of 'Street Boy,' later evolving into Ali G
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### **Education & Training**

- Ravensbourne College of Design & Communication (1994-1996)
  - BTEC HND in Television Programme Operations
  - Vice President, Student Union (1994-1995)
  - Greenhithe Merchant Navy College (1989)
  - Royal Yachting Association Qualifications (Competent Crew, Day Skipper, Coastal Skipper, YachtmasterOffshore, VHFMarineBandRadioLicense)
  - Basic Sea Survival Course
  - Training Delivered masterclasses for DVTalent on advanced editing techniques.
  - Experienced in coaching junior editors and post-production teams.
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### **References**

Available upon request.

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