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Freelance media professional with an emphasis on education and development; freelance portfolio with broadcast production companies and director of Walking Pictures Ltd. Science background.

**2011:**

'A Woman Without a Donkey, is a Donkey' observational doc in Ethiopia, for **The Donkey Sanctuary**  
'Science&Nature' short film to kick-start media workshops with young people, for **EdComs/Samsung**  
'Mercury Stories' – 3x5' videos on the element; Wellcome Institute and **University College London**  
'The Making of Modern Motherhood' – experimental interactive website with **Open University**  
'L.E.G.S.' –disaster relief and livestock (Nepal, Kenya) for the **United Nations (FAO)**

**2010:**

'Strengthening Voices' – Maasai identity and education/collective action in Tanzania, **IIED**  
'Separate and Sectarian' – case studies on education in Belfast, for **Evans Woolfe/Open University**  
'Multicultural Family Bureau' – social workers in Leith., for **Evans Woolfe Media/Open University**  
*Plus* freelance camera & editing work for **Oxfam** and the **London Mining Network**

**OTHER RECENT WORK:**

'Roots and Wings' –white working-class children in Yorkshire, **Evans Woolfe Media/ Open University**  
'Debt of Honour' & 'Tour of Duty'- two docs in Nepal, for **Gurkha Welfare Trust**  
'Rooted', road-movie docs in India and Jordan, **Rooftop/FIVE (\*One World Media Award finalist)**  
'Home on the Range' 30' with Ethiopian livestock herders, **BBC World**  
'Awra Amba' – (camera only) 30' ethnographic doc in Ethiopia for **TVE** and **UNFPA**  
'Cape Farewell' – (camera/editor) 8 teenagers on an Arctic ice-breaker, **Big Heart /British Council**  
'Asian Tsunami' – (field producer); the immediate aftermath in India/Sri Lanka for **Christian Aid**  
*Plus* British Council, Kings'/Guy's hospitals, CAFOD, Christian Aid, DFID, FARM Africa, SOS Sahel et al  
And over 30 docs for **Teachers' TV & C4 Schools**

**1992-1999:** Researcher then producer/director and series producer, Yorkshire Television

**Consultancy/other:**

**2011:** report on strengthening educational TV production in Bangladesh, **BBC World Service Trust**

**2011:** jury member for RAI and Basil Wright prizes, **Royal Anthropological Society Film Festival**

**2001:** 'Palawan Tropical Forestry Programme' – re-booting failing project in the Philippines, **EU**

**1998:** 'ERA Handbook to the Niger Delta' – editor, **Earthscan/ERA**

**1996:** 'Indonesia' – writer/photographer of schools 'country' book, **OXFAM/Heinemann**

**Education:**

National Film & Television School (documentary)

PhD University College London, plant genetics

BSc (Hons) University of Nottingham, biological sciences

**REFERENCES:**

Peter Murphy, **Action Aid** [Peter.Murphy@actionaid.org](mailto:Peter.Murphy@actionaid.org)

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