

Media CV

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Qualifications

Diving Instructor, Master (60 tonnes), experienced underwater camera operator, citizen's scientist

Scuba Diving and Underwater Photography/ Videography

Non certified diving 1982-1990
Basic and Advanced SCUBA PADI 1990
PADI Rescue Diver 1991
PADI Divemaster / Assistant instructor 1991
PADI Open Water Scuba Instructor 1999
PADI Master Instructor 2000
PADI Instructor for : Deep diving, wreck diving, uw naturalist, uw videography/photography, uw navigation, oxygen first aid, search and recovery, uw archaeology, and more
CMAS 3 star diver 2000
DSAT gas blender instructor including trimix 2002
EFR first aid instructor 2003

3000 plus logged dives (in tropical and cold water environments)

Master ticket for ships up to 60 tonnes

Ticket by Transport Canada since 2005

Media Activities

Underwater Wildlife Documentary: Host, Writer and Underwater Camera Director of Photography, stock footage library

2013: Exclusive underwater stock footage provider for a public consultation video on the “Clio Bay Restoration project”.

2013: Video “the net benefit” chosen as one of the official participating video at the “San Diego Underwater Film Exhibition”.

2013: Video “the net benefit” chosen as one of the official participating video at the “San Diego Underwater Photographic Society Film Exhibition”.

2013: Created a video contribution to the “Oceans Alive” TV series (launch September 2013) on the issue of underwater noise disturbance on whale behaviour

2013. Deadly Pole to Pole (BBC) : safety diver, skipper, critter spotter, stock footage provider & assisting researcher Kiri Cashell (BBC). Producer: Rowan Musgrave.

2013. Blue Notes, stories of the Pacific Northwest. Feature movie. Writer, host, camera man, editor and producer. Featured at the “Pacific Rim Whale Festival” and “Brant Wildlife Festival” (2013)

2013: Winner in the David Suzuki “Ocean stories” video contest

2013: Providing stock footage to “Hwan Park “ Seoul Korea, for a program on Killer whales

2013: Winner of the Tacoma Dive and Travel Expo underwater video competition

2013: Providing Shaw TV with underwater footage for stewardship

2012: Providing stock footage to “Broadway Caprice” for a show called “over the top”

2012: Providing stock footage/ photographs to the Department of Fisheries and Oceans Canada for educational purposes

2012: Providing stock footage to the Vancouver Aquarium for their ”the secret life of sharks and rays” program

2012: Winner of the Tacoma Dive and Travel Expo video competition

2012: Providing footage for TV Tokyo show “This is not taught at school”

2011: DVD “Kelp and Critters”, 4 seasons of marine life in the Pacific Northwest. Cameraman, story, narrator, editor and producer

2011: Providing stock footage to “Broadway Caprice” for a show called “Unbelievable”

2011: Providing stock footage to the Bamfield Marine Science Centre for their “Oceanlink” outreach program

2011: Providing stock footage to the Vancouver aquarium for their “juveniles” story

Other activities:

2013: Public speaking at the Vancouver Aquarium on six gill sharks

2010- current

Science project on six gill sharks (hexanchus griseus) in Barkley Sound with the collaboration of Dr. Chris Harvey-Clark, Dr. Shawn Larson and Dr. Jeff Christiansen

2012-2013 providing stock footage and final product to the Ucluelet Aquarium,

Voluntary Employment and Memberships:

Stewardship manager at the Marine Life Sanctuary Society and created their stewardship manual

First responder with the BC Marine Mammal Response Network

Volunteer diver for : Reef.org, Vancouver Aquarium Lingcod egg mass count and Rockfish survey

Data collector at the BC Cetacean Sighting Network

Board member of the “Wild in Blue” project

Contributor to the Westcoast Aquatic Management Board project