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presenter

Love Beyond musical October 2013

I was responsible for interviewing some of the incredible West End actors and creative team for a trailer to promote the brand new musical 'Love Beyond' for its nationwide tour in 2014. Loved this opportunity; nothing I like more than seeing a long awaited dream realised as was the case for the writer and producer of this dynamic piece of theatre! Immediately after the show's premiere in Brighton I also got some Vox Pops from the audience to capture the magic of the moment.

Personal Health Management coach 2011 – present

I have my own business working with individuals on a one-to-one basis, enabling them to lose weight, become active, increase energy and overall health through improved nutrition and behavioural change. My mantra 'Live Life' underpins so much of what I do and what I seek to impart in others. I have recently presented some simple pieces of advice to inspire positive change, once edited I hope to have these short pieces to camera available on YouTube before the end of the year.

Shopping TV (QVC and Ideal World) 2008 – present

I have regularly presented on QVC, working on behalf of a leading American quilt retailer and in 2016, I became a Yankee Candle Brand Ambassador. I have either presented dedicated live, hour-long shows or featured in a generic interior/lifestyle show. Live TV is incredibly exciting; it creates a unique and edgy buzz and I bring passion and quick witted editorial no matter the subject matter (yes, even when discussing applique, patch-work or a steam generator iron)!

GOD TV (GTV) 1997 – 2001

I was a children's presenter for GTV, initially writing and presenting links for the kid's weekday slot. Later, I co-presented a weekly, two-hour, as-live magazine style show – DK Extreme, broadcast on Sky Digital which included interviews with artists, craft, cooking, book and toy reviews and 'Joke of the week'. Outside broadcasts included rock climbing, a bottom biting shoot with a goat! travelling back in time to visit a 19th century dentist and going underground to explore a disused lead mine.

Youth Engineering Show 2000 – 2009

I co-presented alongside Michael Rodd at Network Event's *Youth Engineering Show*. We delivered eight events and at each event we presented an average of ten shows over three days to approximately 200 11-14 year-olds. As a team, we thrived under pressure to maintain the same high quality show back-to-back, bringing a fast-moving, dynamic and engaging show to inspire our target audience to consider a career in engineering.

Granada Media – First Class Music 2001

I recorded the voice-over material for an educational, interactive CD-ROM which has been used in schools across the UK.

An Evening with Rosemary Conley 2007

In 2007, I had the privilege of interviewing Rosemary Conley at a live event held at the Leatherhead Theatre. The interview covered many areas of Rosemary's life, from childhood, to the success of her books, the importance of encouraging healthy eating in children and the problems of obesity, right through to issues of faith and family life.

BBC Radio Newcastle 1997 – 1999

I was a regular contributor along with a truly diverse group of people on 'Thank God it's Thursday', a live, hour-long energetic show debating current issues with a spiritual context.

MEND Programme leader 2008 – 2015

'MEND – Mind, Exercise, Nutrition, Do it!' is an intense programme designed to help children who have issues with their weight. I am fully trained to lead teaching workshops, physical activity sessions and work alongside families to help them make long-term healthier choices in nutrition and activity.

Development Officer, Explore Charity 2015– present

Delivery of relationship education to students through the real life experience of married couples!

Modelling 1998 – present

Since 1998 I have undertaken a small number of modelling commissions for bridal wear, maternity, hand modelling and visitor attraction marketing.

Research/Production 1997 – 2001

Senior researcher for GTV's DK Extreme, responsible for organising features, finding guests, preparing research notes and exploring new ideas for the programme. Researcher for two of GTV's other shows; an interview based human-interest programme and a lively, topical chat show. Researcher for Premier Radio on an afternoon show focussing on human-interest stories.

About Me

I love life and I love people! I'm married with two children and enjoy spending time with people of all ages and social backgrounds. Whether at work, my Pilates class, being at church or having a cappuccino with friends – it's people that matter to me. The many different experiences I've had in life have given me a real depth of interest and appreciation for other people's situations: from travelling to India and seeing the lives of 'slum dwellers' improved by international aid projects; engaging with a local Italian waiter in a secluded restaurant in the Tuscan hills; working with students enabling them to learn fundamental life skills - I'm passionate about people, getting the best out of them and finding ordinary people with extraordinary stories! I make choices to live life to the full and embrace new challenges including white water rafting in the snow, truly a white knuckle ride! And finally, in my quieter moments I occasionally write poetry, once again inspired by people and life's journey.