JAMES KANE

Series Producer / Edit Producer

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Series / Edit Producer working across factual entertainment, factual, features, specialist factual, documentary and observational documentary – established formats and new series, including many first episodes.

Employment:

RACE ACROSS THE WORLD, Studio Lambert, BBC1 (Exec: Katrina Hession & Louise Bartmann)
 Edit Producer, October 2025 – Present

Five teams travel the globe, without the trappings of modern day life. Cut episode one. (1x60')

• CELEBRITY RACE ACROSS THE WORLD, *Studio Lambert, BBC1* (Exec: Emma Peach & Charlotte Woolley) Edit Producer, June 2025 – September 2025

Famous faces and their loved ones travel the globe, without the trappings of modern day life. (1x60')

• THE INHERITANCE, Studio Lambert, Channel 4 (Exec: Joe Wildman, Series EP: Jo McDiarmid) Edit Producer, April 2025 – June 2025

Thirteen strangers build up a shared prize pot, before trying to stake their claim to the money. (1x60')

• RACE ACROSS THE WORLD, Studio Lambert, BBC1 (Exec: Lucy Curtis, SE: Katrina Hession)

Edit Producer, December 2024 – April 2025

Five teams travel the globe, without the trappings of modern day life. (1x60')

• TEMPTING FORTUNE, Voltage TV, Channel 4 (Exec: Jon Crisp, SR: Georgina Hinds)

Edit Producer, October 2024 – November 2024

A group of strangers trek through the jungle for a cash prize, but face temptations at every turn. (1x60')

• CELEBRITY SAS: WHO DARES WINS, *Minnow Films, Channel 4* (Exec: Joe Wildman & Emma Barron)

Edit Producer, July 2024 — September 2024

Celebrities take on the ultimate military training course, under the direction of ex special forces. (1x60')

• CELEBRITY RACE ACROSS THE WORLD, Studio Lambert, BBC1 (Exec: Emma Peach & Charlotte Woolley)
Edit Producer, April 2024 – July 2024

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• INTO THE JUNGLE WITH ED STAFFORD, *Twenty Twenty, Channel 4* (Exec: David Sutton, SP: Richard Cracknell) Edit Producer, August 2023 – December 2023 Ed Stafford helps dads and their teenage kids re-connect on an expedition in Belize. Cut first episode. (1x60')

• **KENSINGTON & CHELSEA**, *Objective*, *Channel 5* (Exec: Oliver Wright & Luke McLaughlin, SP: Susan Crook) *Edit Producer*, *June 2023 – July 2023*

An inside look at the world-famous Royal Borough of Kensington & Chelsea. Cut first episode. (1x60')

• ALISON & LARRY: BILLERICAY TO BARRY, *RDF Television, Gold* (Exec: Fiona Gay, SP: Christopher Amess) *Edit Producer, March* 2023 – *April* 2023

Alison Steadman and Larry Lamb reunite from their 'Gavin & Stacey' days, to take a road trip. (1x60')

• CELEBRITY SAS: WHO DARES WINS, *Minnow Films, Channel 4* (Exec: Richard Cooke, Series EP: Emma Barron) Edit Producer, January 2023 – March 2023

Celebrities take on the ultimate military training course, under the direction of ex special forces. (1x60')

• LONDON ZOO AT CHRISTMAS, IWC Media, Channel 4 (Exec: Laura Capaldi)

Edit Producer, November 2022 - December 2022

The world-famous zoo prepares for the festive season. (1x60')

LOVE MY FACE, Flabbergast TV, Channel 4 (Exec: Andrew Snowball & Gaynor Davies)

Series Producer, July 2022 – October 2022

People with visible facial differences receive support to help accept or address their differences. (4x60')

• FORENSICS: THE REAL CSI, *Blast Films*, *BBC2* (Exec: Graeme McAulay & Poonam Odedra) *Edit Producer*. *May* 2022 – *June* 2022

Forensics departments and police forces work together to solve serious crimes in real time. (1x60')

• SAS: WHO DARES WINS, *Minnow Films, Channel 4* (Exec: Jo Hughes, Series EP: Emma Barron) Edit Producer, February 2022 – March 2022

Civilians take on the ultimate military training course, under the direction of ex special forces. (1x60')

• CHRISTMAS CRUISING WITH SUSAN CALMAN, *Viacom Studios, Channel 5* (Exec: Kieron Collins) Edit Producer, November 2021 – December 2021

Fast turnaround edit, exploring a festive Norwegian cruise. (1x60')

• DNA FAMILY SECRETS, Minnow Films, BBC2 (Exec: Kari Lia, SP: Lucy Morgan)

Edit Producer, September 2021 - November 2021

Stacey Dooley helps people track down relatives and uncover their past, using the power of DNA.

• CHANGING ROOMS, Shine, Channel 4 (Exec: Mark Sammon & Katie Brosnan)

Series Producer, September 2020 – September 2021

Laurence Llewelyn-Bowen returns with the iconic home makeover series. Complex AFP with Dulux. (6x60')

• THE THAMES: BRITAIN'S GREAT RIVER, Full Fat TV, Channel 5 (Exec: Catherine Welton, SP: Perjeet Aujla)
Edit Producer, August 2020 – September 2020

Tony Robinson takes a jaunt along the Thames, meeting the people and businesses that surround it.

• SURGEONS: AT THE EDGE OF LIFE, *Dragonfly, BBC2* (Exec: Jo Hughes, SP: Daniel Barry) Edit Producer, March 2020 – May 2020

Fixed rig series, following surgeons performing complex and lifesaving operations. (1x60')

• INSIDE MONACO: PLAYGROUND OF THE RICH, Spun Gold, BBC2 (Exec: Bridget Boseley, SP: Michael Waldman) Edit Producer, December 2019 – February 2020

An all access look at the people living and working in one of the world's wealthiest countries. (1x60')

• THE REAL MARIGOLD HOTEL, Twofour, BBC1 (Exec: David Clews)

Edit Producer, October 2019 – December 2019

Eight well-known senior citizens spend a month exploring retirement options in India. (1x60')

• RIP OFF BRITAIN LIVE, BBC Studios, BBC1 (Exec: Rob Unsworth & Rowland Stone)

Series Producer, August 2019 – October 2019

Angela Rippon, Gloria Hunniford and Julia Somerville lift the lid on rip offs and scams. (5x45')

• WHAT BRITAIN BUYS AND SELLS IN A DAY, *Darlow Smithson, BBC2* (Exec: Diene Petterle, SE: Chris Parkin) Edit Producer, June 2019 – August 2019

Ed Balls, Cherry Healey and Ade Adepitan explore Britain's imports and exports. Cut first episode. (1x60')

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• 60 DAYS ON THE STREETS, Boundless, Channel 4 (Exec: Ben Mitchell & Rod Williams)

Edit Producer, December 2018 – February 2019

Ed Stafford spends two months sleeping rough to investigate the UK's homeless crisis. (1x60')

• THIS IS MY SONG, Boundless, BBC1 (Exec: Ben Mitchell, SP: Helen Crampton)

Edit Producer, September 2018 – November 2018

Ordinary people work with professional music producers to record a song for a special reason. (2x60')

FASTER: RACE THE WORLD, Twenty Twenty, Sky1 (Exec: Amanda Westwood)

Edit Producer, July 2018 - September 2018

Steve Jones hosts as six petrolheads compete in challenges around the world. (1x60')

• EDUCATING GREATER MANCHESTER, *Twofour, Channel 4* (Exec: Tom Currie, SP: Sarah Veevers)

Edit Producer, May 2018 – July 2018

Fixed rig series, following students and staff at a secondary school.

• FAMOUSLY UNFIT... FOR SPORT RELIEF, Little Gem, BBC2 (Exec: Ben Gale, SP: Peter Coventry)

Edit Producer, January 2018 - February 2018

Les Dennis, Susannah Constantine, Tameka Empson and Miles Jupp take on the 'Tough Guy'. (1x60')

• SAVE MONEY: GOOD FOOD, Crackit Productions, ITV (Exec: Hannah Springham & Rebecca Bayatti)

Series Producer, October 2016 – August 2017

New consumer food format presented by Susanna Reid and chef Matt Tebbutt. (1x60' + 7x30')

Earlier credits (April 2008 - October 2016):

- DON'T TELL THE BRIDE, Renegade Pictures, E4 Edit Producer
- THE CHOIR: GARETH'S BEST IN BRITAIN, Twenty Twenty, BBC2 Edit Producer
- EAT WELL FOR LESS, RDF Television, BBC1 Senior Producer, Producer / Director, Edit Producer
- PAUL O'GRADY: THE SALLY ARMY & ME, ITV Studios, BBC1 Edit Producer
- FIRST DATES, Twenty Twenty, Channel 4 Edit Producer
- DRIVING SCHOOL OF MUM & DAD, Chocolate Media, Sky1 Edit Producer
- COLLECTAHOLICS, RDF Television, BBC2 Edit Producer
- LOCATION, LOCATION, IWC Media, Channel 4 Edit Producer, Director
- MARY PORTAS: SECRET SHOPPER, Optomen, Channel 4 Edit Producer
- THE KITCHEN, Studio Lambert, BBC2 Edit Producer
- AMAZING SPACES: SHED OF THE YEAR, Plum Pictures, Channel 4 Edit Producer
- THE APPRENTICE, Boundless, BBC1 Producer / Director
- EXTREME SCHOOL, Twenty Twenty, CBBC Edit Producer
- COME DINE WITH ME, ITV Studios, Channel 4 Producer / Director with edit
- FOUR IN A BED, Studio Lambert, Channel 4 Producer / Director with edit
- UNDERCOVER BOSS, Studio Lambert, Channel 4 Edit Producer
- COOK ME THE MONEY, ITV Studios, ITV1 Edit Producer, Producer / Director
- SURPRISE SURPRISE, ITV Studios, ITV1 Producer / Director
- MAY THE BEST HOUSE WIN ABROAD, ITV Studios, ITV1 Edit Producer
- STEPS: ON THE ROAD AGAIN, ITV Studios, Sky Living Edit Producer
- 60 MINUTE MAKEOVER, ITV Studios, ITV1 Series Director, Senior Producer, Edit Producer
- HOMES FROM HELL, ITV Studios, ITV1 Producer / Director with edit

- REAL CRIME THE JIGSAW MURDER, ITV Studios, ITV1 Producer / Director with edit
- JADE, Granada, Living Edit Producer

Assistant Producer / Researcher / Runner (July 2003 - April 2008):

SHOPPING IS MY LIFE | FREAKY EATERS | ASBO TEEN TO BEAUTY QUEEN | THE SINGING ESTATE | CASH IN THE ATTIC | KEEPING UP WITH THE JONESES | CAR BOOTY | 60 MINUTE MAKEOVER | FAME ACADEMY | Various development projects.

Skills & Interests:

EDITING (Good technical and operating knowledge of Avid) **! COMPUTERS** (Office, typing speed of 85wpm) **! MUSIC AND THEATRE** (Classical, musicals, advanced piano, regular theatregoer) **! LANGUAGES** (Spanish to A-Level standard) **! DRIVING** (Full clean UK licence and own car) **! Selected as a directing 'Hot Shot' in Broadcast Magazine (August 2010).**

References available on request.

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