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RAY PALIN

PROFILE

Experienced, 'A' graded and award winning freelance Director of Photography/ Lighting Cameraman based in Sydney. With high end Broadcast High Definition XDCAM camera equipment as well as Digital Cinema Red Epic 5K camera and Canon HD DSLR cameras. TV Network trained with Cinematographer qualifications, can shoot in all formats and provide for all types of shooting requirements, from Still photos and Corporate Video to Broadcast Television to Cinema Commercials and Features. Creative camera & lighting skills, experience in Directing & Producing.

ACHIEVEMENTS

Two Australian Cinematographer Society National Awards including a GOLDAward for "Rosie's Roost" shot in New Zealand

Two National Thorn EMI Awards for camera work

Entirely conceived, Produced, shot & edited "Olympic Profile stories" for Channel Seven's National Olympic program-"The Olympic Show"

Organized & Supervised a team of Reporters, Cameramen and Editors, Producing daily programs for the Australian Olympic Committee's "2007 Youth Olympics"

DP on "ECOTREKKER USA" a series of documentaries across the USA. Also has shotin: China, Thailand, Malaysia, Philippines, Hong Kong, New Zealand and Tonga

EXPERIENCE

Behind the Scenes, Red Carpets and interviews for major Motion Picture Companies. Shooting many famous Actors including: Brad Pitt, Angelina Jolie, Arnold Schwarzenegger, RowanAtkinson, Cameron Diaz, Hugh Grant, Hugh Jackman etc.

Worked on: BBC Newsround, the Food Safari cooking show, Australian Story, 'Find My Family', Better Homes & Gardens, The ET Fishing show, Talking Pictures, Lateline, 7.30 Report, 60 Minutes, Today, Good Morning Australia, MTV, Fox Sports etc.

FREELANCE DP/LIGHTING CAMERAMAN, SYDNEY

1997 - PRESENT

Owner/operator of Broadcast HD Digital camera, Cinema Red Epic 5K Camera and HD DSLR camera equipment in Sydney. Working for all the major Australian TV Networks as well as International TV, Cable, Production companies and Corporates.

FREELANCE DP & STEADICAM OPERATOR, MELBOURNE 1993-1997

Owner/operator of Broadcast camera & Steadicam equipment in Melbourne.

SENIOR CINECAMERA GRADE 'A', TEN MELBOURNE

1989 - 1993

 $Employed full time at Network Ten Melbourne as a Senior Camera mangrade 'A' \ working for the \ News \ and \ Current \ Affairs \ departments$

DP - Documentary in Thailand - "The Spread of Aids"

DP-Series of special colour stories in New Zealand and in the Phillipines

CINECAMERA GRADE 'B', CHANNELTEN MELBOURNE 1987-1989

 $Employed full time \ at \ Network Ten \ Melbourne \ as \ a \ Cameraman \ grade' B'-working \ for \ the \ News \ and \ Current \ Affairs \ departments \ shooting \ 16mm \ film \ \& \ video$

CAMERAMAN/ SOUND RECORDIST, TEN MELBOURNE 1981-1987

Employed full time at Network Ten Melbourne as a Cameraman/ Sound Recordist

EDUCATION

Audio Visual Media Technicians 3 year Certificate course - RMIT

AFTRS courses: 'Steadicam', 'Producing the Shorter Film', 'Lighting Master Class'

VITAL STATS

Date of Birth: 21/4/62 Nationality: Australian Passport: upto date Car: 4WDFreelander 2 Landrover