

JON SPENCER-SMITH

FREELANCE TELEVISION CAMERA OPERATOR/DIRECTOR

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London based Camera Operator specialising in multicamera live music, entertainment and events.

My TV career started 25 years ago when I was fortunate enough to land myself with some valuable work experience whilst still at school and I have never looked back!

Working across a variety of genres, I gained a wealth of knowledge and experience. I learnt the mechanics of television production and the craft of camera operation entirely 'on-the-job' from some of the UK's best Camera Operators and Directors.

Over the years I have worked for all the major broadcasters and streaming platforms in the UK and have been lucky enough to travel across the world to shoot large-scale music and entertainment events.

I am skilled at ped and handheld operation and have used all Broadcast and Digital Cinema/Large Sensor camera formats in studios, OBs and on location.

I also have experience working with CuePilot and AR.

Member of the Guild of Television Cameramen

Full UK Driving License

Full Category A Motorcycle License

Powerboat Level 2 License

ICC Powerboat License

SELECTED MULTI-CAMERA BROADCAST TELEVISION HIGHLIGHTS

- Red Bull Culture Clash 2025 - Drumsheds London (Livestream)
- Pokemon EUIC 2025 London
- Traitors Uncloaked 2025 Finale (BBC Radio Theatre)
- Ru Paul's Drag Race UK Series 7 - (BBC/World of Wonder) Pinewood Studios
- Life is a Dream: Sir Anthony Hopkins & The Royal Philharmonic Orchestra - Riyadh, Saudi Arabia
- Tottenham Hotspur Squid Games - YouTube
- Jacob Collier - Live at the o2 Arena London
- BBC Radio 2 Piano Room Coldplay Special
- The Fashion Awards 2024 - Royal Albert Hall
- Charli XCX - Live at The o2 Arena, London
- The Cure - Live In Concert - BBC Radio Theatre
- LFW - JD Anderson 2024
- BBC Radio 2 in the Park 2024
- Reading Festival 2024
- Bludfest 2024

- Chase & Status Live from Milton Keynes Bowl
- Karol G - Live in Madrid
- Wireless Festival 2024
- Shania Twain - British Summer Time 2024
- The Corrs - British Summer Time 2024
- Isle of Wight Festival 2024 (Sky/CC-Lab)
- Girls Aloud - Live at the O2 (Mercury Studios)
- BBC Radio 1 Live Lounge Dua Lipa Special - (BBC)
- BBC Radio 1XTRA Comedy Gala - (BBC)
- The BAFTA Film Awards 2023 - (BBC)
- Riyadh Season Treasure - Riyadh Season, Saudi Arabia (YouTube)
- Ru Paul's Drag Race UK Series 6 - (BBC)
- Cher Meets Rylan - (BBC)
- Take That - BBC Radio 2 In Concert at BBC Radio Theatre (BBC)
- League of Legends World Finals 2023 - Seoul, South Korea (Concom/Riot Games)
- McFly - Live at Alexander Palace (Spearing Films/DVD)
- Apple Music Live - Brent Faiyaz Live at Hammersmith Apollo (Si-Fi Productions)
- BBC Radio 1 Live Lounge - Yungblud
- Hannah Gadsby - Gender Agenda, Live at Alexander Palace (Netflix/So Television)
- Helene Fischer - Live in Frankfurt (Si-Fi Productions)
- Aespa - Live at the o2 (Bladesman Productions/Screen-X Korea)
- Busted - Live at the o2 (Spearing Films)
- BBC Radio 2 Live in The Park 2023 (BBC)
- Stormzy - 'This is What We Mean Day' Live at All Points East (Mercury/Channel 4)
- Take That - Live at KOKO (YouTube/Livestream)
- Isle of Wight Festival 2023 (Sky/CC-Lab)
- BBC Radio 1 Big Weekend 2023 (BBC)
- Eurovision Song Contest 2023 - Semi's and Grand Final Live Shows (BBC)
- RuPaul's Drag Race UK vs The World Series 2 (BBC/World of Wonder)
- RuPaul's Drag Race UK Series 5 (BBC/World of Wonder)
- COS AW23 Fashion Show (COS/Vivid)
- Cat Burns "People Pleaser/Sleep at Night" Music Video (Aldgate Pictures)
- Capital's Jingle Bell Ball 2022, O2 Arena (Global/Sky)
- MOBO Awards 2022, O2 Arena (CCLab/YouTube/BBC)
- Rema Live at Brixton Academy (Amazon Music/Push Live)
- Rina Sawayama Live at Brixton academy
- Corey Taylor Live at The London Palladium (Driift/Livestream)
- Next Level Chef (US) Series 2 (Fox/Studio Ramsay)
- Married at First Sight: Unveiled (Channel 4/CPL Productions)
- Billie Eilish Live at the O2 Arena (Apple Music/Blink)
- Capital's Summertime Ball 2022, Wembley Stadium (SkyArts/Global)
- Glastonbury Festival 2022 (BBC)
- Isle of Wight Festival 2022 (SkyArts/CC-Lab)
- Alt-J Live at Brixton Academy
- Liam Gallagher: 48 hours at Rockfield Studios (SkyArts/Warner Music)
- RuPaul's Drag Race UK Series 4 (BBC/World of Wonder)
- Nike SNKRS Livestream (Dazed/Vivid)
- McFly Live at the O2 (Spearing Films/DVD)
- FatBoy Slim Live at Wembley (Zest4TV/Livestream)
- A Play In A Day (Sky Arts)
- Damon Albarn Live at Shakespeare's Globe Theatre (Up The Game Productions)
- Isle of Wight Festival 2021 (CC Lab/Sky Arts)

- Mercury Prize 2021 - Hammersmith Apollo (BBC Music)
- Above & Beyond Anjunadeep / ABGT 450 - The Drumsheds, London (Nomobo)
- MTV Pride 2021 - (ViacomCBS/MTV Networks Europe)
- The Hundred Cricket Tournament Half-Time Music Performances (BBC 2/Progress Productions)
- Anne-Marie 'Therapy' Album Launch Live Stream (OnAir/Spiritland Productions/Warner Music)
- OnePlus 2021 Mobile Phone Launch Advert – (YouTube/FCB Inferno)
- Peter Crouch's Euros 2021 VTs (Fulwell73 Productions)
- CapitalXtra – Reggae Recipe (OnAir/Spiritland Productions)
- HRVY - Live Stream Concert – Royal Albert Hall (OnAir/Spiritland Productions)
- Nitin Sawhney – Live Stream Concert – Shakespeare's Globe Theatre (OnAir/Spiritland Productions)
- Formula E - Various shoots and awards ceremonies
- Bombay Bicycle Club Album Launch Livestream (Label)
- Pete Tong's 'O Come all Ye Ravers' Ibiza Classics Christmas Livestream, O2 Arena
- League of Legends World Finals 2020 Opening Ceremony - Shanghai Stadium, China (Concom/Riot Games)
- MTV Gok's Christmas Countdown Special 2020 (Viacom Studios)
- Ella Henderson - 'Take Care of You' acoustic music video (Warner Music)
- Mumford & Sons - Interview for Rolling Stone Magazine (Nineteenfifteen Productions)
- Jack Whitehall - Stood Up, Wembley Arena (Tiger Aspect/Netflix)
- MDL Beast Festival, Saudi Arabia (Fast Lane Productions)
- BBC Radio 1 Live Lounge (BBC)
- MTV Push: Live (MTV)
- Geordie More (MTV)
- McFly Live at the O2 Arena 2019
- League of Legends World Finals 2019 Opening Ceremony - Accor Arena, Paris (Riot Games/Concom)
- BBC Radio 1Xtra Live 2019 - Arena Birmingham (BBC)
- Mercury Prize 2019 - Hammersmith Apollo (BBC)
- BBC Radio 2 Live, Hyde Park - (BBC)
- BBC Proms in the Park - Hyde Park (BBC)
- Freya Ridings Album Launch - YouTube Space London (YouTube)
- Celine Dion - British Summer Time - Hyde Park
- MTV - Yo! Rates (MTV)
- Madness - Live at Kenwood House
- Mercury Prize (BBC)
- The Vamps - Live at the O2 2019
- Ask James Arthur (MTV)
- Arctic Monkeys Live at BBC Maida Vale (CCLab)
- Brit Awards Red Carpet (several years) (Live Stream)
- Wolf Alice for War Child - Gorilla Manchester (Brits TV)
- Jessie Ware for War Child - Bush Hall (Brits TV)
- VEVO Halloween (several years) (VEVO)
- BBC Radio 1 Teen Choice Awards - Wembley (BBC)
- Crème de la Mer Masterclass (Live Stream)
- The Bridal Show Live (Bobbi Brown)
- Bobbi Brown - Cosmetics Masterclass (Live Stream)
- V-Festival - MTV Stage (MTV)
- Propel, Berlin - Product Launch
- Plan B Live at Shakespeare's Globe
- Glastonbury Festival - Park Stage (BBC)
- Tom Ford Beauty - Product Launch (Tom Ford)
- MTV Brand New - Sigala Live at Electric Ballroom (MTV)
- MTV Live Stage - Dua Lipa (MTV)

- Just Tattoo of Us (MTV)
- Stormzy Live at Brixton Academy (PRG)
- Burberry LFW Runway (Burberry)
- Robbie Williams Live at BBC Maida Vale (BBC R2)
- African Footballer of the Year Awards (BBC Radio Theatre)
- Nick Kicks (Nickelodeon)
- Madness at Common People Clapham Common (CCLab)
- BT Sport - various studio productions (BT Sport)
- The Big Debate - Brexit (C4)
- Africa Express Presents - Royal Festival Hall (Live Stream)
- Heart with the RPO at the Royal Albert Hall (DVD)
- World Cup '66 Live - Wembley Arena (BBC)
- Ellie Goulding Live at the o2 (DVD)
- Take That - British Summer Time
- Tom Petty/Stevie Nicks - British Summer Time
- NME Awards (several years)
- Future Sounds (C4)
- Circa Waves Live at Brixton Academy (DVD)
- 6Music Live (BBC)
- Burberry Beauty (BURBERRY)
- MAC Cosmetics Masterclasses (Estée Lauder)
- Blur - British Summer Time (Blink)
- Wildlife Festival (Blink)
- Vamps - Live at the o2 (DVD)
- Red Bull Music Academy (Red Bull)
- Panic at the Disco Live (3DD)
- The Agenda (ITV)
- V Festival - Soundclash 2014 (Lemonade Money)
- Bestival (several years) (Blink)
- Lovebox (several years) (Blink)
- Sonisphere Festival (Blink)
- Sports Relief - Aqua (BBC/Progress Pictures)
- Maida Vale Sessions (BBC R4)
- The Vaccines Live at the O2 (DVD)
- MTV Brand New (MTV)
- MTV Live Vibrations (MTV)
- London Live
- Rihanna for River Island
- Sony Music Sessions (Sony Music)
- Mercury Music Sessions
- Album Chart Show Introduces (C4)
- MTV LIVE Sessions (MTV)
- Geordie Shore (MTV)
- Lee Evans Live in 3D at the O2 (DVD)
- Impossible? (C5)
- 360 Sessions (C4)
- Oxegen Festival, Ireland (MTV)
- The Album Chart Show (C4)
- Koko Pop (C4)
- Shrink Rap (More 4)
- MTV News (MTV)
- Blue Peter (BBC)

- Angela & Friends (Sky1)
- Big Time Rush (MTV)
- Dubai World Cup (World)
- Cartoonito (Cartoon Network)
- Saturday Cooks (BBC)
- Kabuki – The Wysteria Maiden (World)
- Great Food Live (Living)
- Smile (BBC)
- Prove It! (CITV)
- Party Poker World Open and European Open (Channel 5)
- Studio Disney (Disney Channel)
- Diggin'it (CITV)
- Match Of the Day (BBC)
- Sound (BBC)

DIRECTOR / DIRECTOR/VISION MIXER

- Universal Music Showcase 2022 Live Performances (UMG/Spiritland Productions)
- Creamfields 2021 Main Stage
- MAC Cosmetics Masterclasses (Several years/BranchOut Productions)
- FIA Livestreams (Formula E)
- The Bridal Show (Bobbi Brown) London
- Jo Malone London Town Hall Event, (Estée Lauder) London
- Deutsche Bank Conference VT Inserts, Berlin
- Proctor & Gamble Corporate Films (TBA. Productions)
- Sophie Delila Sessions (Freek'n See Records)
- Land Rover Defender 2020 Customer Launch (BranchOut Productions)
- Land Rover 1 Millionth Discovery Launch

SINGLE CAMERA / CORPORATE

- Weight Watchers ('Woman' Magazine)
- Ford Concept Car Launch, Berlin
- Costa Coffee internal comms
- Avon Cosmetics
- Numerous shoots for Aviva / RBS / HSBC / Lloyds
- BUPA
- Leukaemia Trust
- NATO Summit 2014
- DLA Piper Conference Coverage, Brussels
- Healthwatch England Launch
- Nintendo 3DS European Launch
- Nintendo Wii UK Launch
- Lighter Life
- The Police Bravery Awards
- HM Treasury
- G20 Summit
- NHS Conferences/Roadshows
- Police Federation AGM's
- Department of Health Conferences
- Department of Work and Pensions HR Awards
- Department for Children, Schools and Families Conferences
- Natural England UK Conference

- Learning Skills Council Conferences
- LearnDirect Awards
- Healthcare Commission Conferences
- London Education Partnership Conferences
- Association of Teachers and Lecturers AGM