

Sema Basharan

Assistant Editor & Junior Editor

Kit Avid, Premiere,
Languages Fluent English, Turkish
Education MA Film & Television - Distinction - Falmouth University
BA (Hons) Fine Art - 2:1 - Kingston University

Assistant Editor Credits

The Misadventures of Romesh Ranganathan, Series 4 Rumpus Media BBC
3 x 60 min Entertainment, Additional Editor (Ep1) and Assistant Editor (Eps 2-3)
British comedian Romesh Ranganathan investigates if the persisting stereotypes about certain places in the world are exaggerated.

Who Killed Jill Dando? Empress Films Netflix
3 x 50 Min Documentary, Junior Editor
Revisit the shocking 1999 murder of beloved TV presenter Jill Dando, which continues to mystify experts and the public, in this in-depth documentary.

Hell Camp Story Films Netflix
Feature Documentary

Bradford on Duty Dragonfly BBC2
5 x 60 min Documentary
From the frontline workers on the streets to the leaders making the big decisions. Access all areas with the people dedicated to making their city a better place.

Holby City BBC Studios BBC ONE
60 min Documentary, Assistant Editor
Drama series about life on the wards of Holby City Hospital, following the highs and lows of the staff and patients..

Work Experience

2018 - 2022 Independent Filmmaker - Self-employed
Producing, directing and editing short, independent documentary films. Applying for funding, pitching ideas, creating festival strategy, presenting at festivals.

- September 2020 Production Assistant & Camera operator Industry Voices - Candour Productions
Camera operator for interviews with industry professionals.
- April 2020 Post-production Assistant - A Day in the Life of Coronavirus Britain - Candour Productions
Logging footage overnight for immediate turnaround on weekend production during C-19
lockdown.
- May 2022 Edit Assistant placement - True North Productions
Ingesting footage, sync pulling, assembly edits and subtitling for social media adverts.
- 2015 - 2017 Filmmaker & Communications Coordinator - Self-employed
Bringing communications strategy to a small not-for-profit in Turkey, including producing printed
literature, creating film and photographic content, and writing for web and social platforms.
- 2008 - 2014 Video Producer - Christians Against Poverty
Responsible for all video and photographic communication for all departments of an
international charity, including training junior editor and advising international teams.