

Joanna Borgiel

Locations Department / Still Photographer

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PROFILE

I've recently worked in the Locations Department of Headless production. I have experience in creating maps, movement orders, recce schedules, presentations, budgets and location agreements. I've worked on set, scouted filming locations, liaised with the local council and property owners, coordinated swings, crew movements and outsourced services (e.g. location security, real estate, transportation). I have previous experience in the military, travelled the world and have used photography as a storytelling tool - for this I was recognised by National Geographic and Nikon.

EXPERIENCE

"HEADLESS" Production

Locations PA / Coordinator February 2026 - May 2026

- Creating location maps, movement orders, recce schedules and presentations
- Coordinating movements, repairs, crew
- Liaising with property owners / real estate agents / council
- Creating and updating PO, department budgets, rosters, property photo audits
- On set - coordinating crew traffic, parking, preparing locations

Photographer / videographer 2010 - Present

- City of Gold Coast Professional Placement Program with Flotsam Festival
- Unit Stills Photography / Behind the scenes (photo/video) on film sets
- Photography / video / drone footage of events, product and branding campaigns
- Shooting in extreme environmental conditions (underwater, Arctic, tropical, desert)
- Gear: Nikon Z8, Z6, range of Nikon lenses, DJI Mavic 3 drone

Tour Manager / Leader 2016 - 2023

- Creating and running "Northern Lights Photography Workshops"
- Conducting scuba diving courses and tours
- Planning, logistics, driving, navigation, risk assessment and safety protocols
- Organising and running hiking, snorkelling, kayaking and whale-watching tours

Defence Force Paratrooper 2010 - 2016

- Army paratrooper at 6th Airborne Brigade, Logistics Battalion
- Outdoor trainings requiring resilience, fitness, team work and independence
- Parachuting photographer and videographer
- International representative – Parachuting World Cup

EDUCATION

2024 Screen On-boarding Program

2010 Diploma in Business and Administration

2004 – 2009 Master Degree in Comparative Studies of Civilizations.

2002 – 2004 Diploma in Photography

SKILLS

- Excellent organization and logistical skills
- Handling groups
- Navigation skills
- Personal resilience
- Proficiency in:
Adobe Pr, Ps, Lr,
MS Office

LICENCES

- Driving licence (manual, auto)
- Blue Card
- Scuba Diving Instructor
- Drone pilot (RPA operator accreditation)
- CPR / First Aid

LANGUAGES

- Polish, English (High proficiency)
- German, French (Basic proficiency)

REFERENCES

Damian Lang: Producer,
Director, Locations Manager
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