

Film & Media

Employability & Enterprise at BHASVIC

You will gain many transferable skills studying Film & Media that will be valued in the workplace including:

Teamwork, Technical ability, Problem solving, Social Skills, Organisation, Numeracy, Communication, Attention to Detail, Administration, Analytics, Discipline

A degree in Film or Media studies provides a combination of theoretical and technical skills that can apply to a wide range of jobs in the creative industries

Jobs where a Film or Media degree would be useful include:

- Programme Researcher
- Runner, broadcasting/film/video
- Social Media Manager
- Television/film/video Producer
- Web Content Manager
- Broadcast Journalist
- Event Manager
- Magazine Journalist
- Writer



Career Prospects

The UK has a world-class media industry in film, print and broadcast media, worth billions to the economy, so it's hardly surprising that ambitious and talented students want to work in it.

But be realistic – some parts of the industry have struggled during the recession and jobs are amongst the most competitive around. If you want to be a star in front of the camera or in print, you might want to look at other options. Media studies graduates are the most likely graduates to get into the media industry (in 2018, one in seven grads entering the media had a media studies degree) but they're more likely to be directing, or operating sound or video equipment, or researching.

Local Market Information



The Cannes Film Festival was chosen to announce the serious skills shortages for 'back-room' roles in the Film and Production sector. Skilled technical staff, construction workers, make-up, hair and costume artists, and other 'back-room' jobs are in high demand with 33% of production companies facing recruitment difficulties in the last year. A series of cinema advertisements has been released to highlight case studies of those who have achieved satisfying careers in the world of film and television. The British film and television production sector employ over 80,000 people of which 55,000 work in film and video

Examples of apprenticeships and opportunities include

Creative Lead -
Photography,
video and
Graphic Design
Lewes
£30K p.a.

Film Office
Administrator
University of
Brighton
£22,417 a year

Digital
Information
Assistant
Shoreham by
Sea
£22K p.a.

Photographer &
Digital Editor
Brighton
£25K p.a.

Remember:

We have an excellent careers page on our VLE and both Lynne & Adele, our two careers advisors, are available