

## Ian Michael Ramsdale

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**Current Employment** BBC London 94.9, Sport Broadcast Journalist & Audio Producer.  
**Freelance Work** Press Association Multi-Media & TNR (Television News Release).  
Website design, building and maintenance.  
**Driving Licence** Full Clean Car Licence: June 1999.  
Full Clean Motorcycle Licence: September 2004.

### Qualifications and Achievements

Sony Awards 2006 Nomination: Sports Programme BBC London 94.9 (Producer/Journalist). 2006  
BBC Regions Frank Gillard Awards Bronze: Outside Broadcast, London Marathon (Entry Producer). 2006  
Student Radio Journalist of the Year 2005, Finalist (Press Gazette). 2005  
BJTC accredited MA Postgraduate Diploma (Merit): Bi-media Journalism. 2004  
1<sup>st</sup> Class BEng Honours: Civil Engineering with Architecture, University of Leeds. 2003  
Student Radio Awards Nomination: Best Entertainment Show: Weekend Breakfast LSRfm. 2001

### BBC London: Broadcast Journalist, Sport

June 2005 to Present

- Produce "Friday Night's with Steve Bunce", as well as a number of BBC London's other sports shows.
- Match commentator for *Harlequins Rugby League*, and presentation of a weekly *Harlequins RL* programme.
- Write "On The Air" for the *Harlequins Rugby League Match-day Programmes*.
- Production, reporting, interviewing, script writing and studio production for sport and daytime programmes.
- Write and read half-hourly sport bulletins; mixing packages & technical operating.
- Produced a new programme sound: "Excellent" (Sports Editor), "New sequences a winner" (Station Sound Producer).
- Produced the Sports Review of the Year 2006; BBC London Sports Awards 2005 & 2006; and Best of Danny Kelly 2005.
- Manage the sport audio and programme archive, and PRS logging. Produce some creative imaging & station trails.

### Previous Employment: Press Association Broadcasting: Producer

Jan 2005 to June 2005

- Producer of television news items, interviews and features, and a weekly football radio programme.
- Technical studio assistance, including tape feeds, line bookings, linear and avid editing & camera work.

### Previous Employment: BBC Yorkshire: Broadcast Assistant

Sept 2001 to June 2005

- BBC Radio Leeds: Writing & reading sports bulletins, half-time, classified football results & news items.
- Technical operating, programme production, creative production, scheduling trails, logging PRS details.
- BBC Look North: Co-ordinating the gathering of news pictures and administrative duties (cover).

### Other Journalism Experience

- Bradford Community Broadcasting: Reading, editing and reporting for 3-minute, hourly, news bulletins.
- TV producing, presenting, editing, gallery & studio floor experience of live programme "Leeds Today".
- Broadcast Journalism placements (ILR). Assisted production of Yorkshire's Galaxy 105 breakfast show.

### Broadcasting Experiences and Skills

- Traffic and Travel information broadcaster/editor; BBC Radio Leeds, Cumbria, Lancashire, Merseyside and GMR. Also; Dee 106.3, Imagine FM, The Pulse, Real Radio (Yorkshire), Wire FM and Wish FM.
- Leeds Student Radio: Producer/Presenter Weekend Breakfast (4RSLs), studio Producer 'The Driveby'.
- I have experience producing news, sport and entertainment content, both pre-production and in-studio.
- Voiceover work, studio sessions, voice coaching and training through my education and employment.
- Comprehensive knowledge of numerous audio and picture recording, editing & play-out software.

### Radio Presentation

February 1999 to Present

- Presentation style: "Natural", "up-beat", "passionate, lively and fun" (Student Radio Awards Judges).
- I have presented radio programmes since 1999, on hospital, internet, student and community radio.
- Creative, innovative and relatable; I'm comfortable with callers, can present solo and with co-host.

### Web Design and Website Building

March 2005 to Present

- I design, maintain and build a number of websites.
- My customers have included: Schools, Music Producers, Self Employed Professionals and TV Operators.

### Personal Qualities

I am a cheerful, relaxed and easy going individual - yet, hard working, highly motivated and meticulous. I consider myself fun and enjoyable to be around and have determination in all I do. I actively follow current affairs, enjoy watching comedy, reading and creative writing. I play a number of sports and for five years completed the annual 'Toughguy© Cross-county' endurance race. In 2007 I ran the London Marathon. I upkeep my own website and write an online monthly newspaper style column.

### Employment History

BBC English Regions: BBC London	Jun 2005 - Present	Broadcast Journalist, Sport.
The Press Association Broadcasting	Jan 2005 - Jun 2005	Producer/Broadcast Journalist
BBC Radio Leeds and BBC Yorkshire	Aug 2001 - Jun 2005	Broadcast Assistant
Trafficlink UK (Freelance)	Sept 2004 - Jan 2005	Travel Broadcaster/Editor

### Professional References (Personal references on request)

Pete Stevens (Sports Editor) BBC London 94.9 35 Marylebone High Street London, W1A 6FL	Richard Horsman (Senior Lecturer) Trinity and All Saints Brownberrie Lane, Horsforth Leeds, LS18 5HD	Simon Peyton (Duty Editor) Press Association Multi-Media 292 Vauxhall Bridge Road, London, SW1V 1AE
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