

# mike browne photography

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**Mike Browne - 42 year old multi award winning stills photographer, in the UK and abroad - now also working in broadcast television as a DV camera operator**

## **2004**

DV camera / editor 'Who Do You Think You Are' - series of fifteen half hour analysis/makeover programmes - BBC TV UK Style  
Filmed & Directed, 'It's a Piece of Rolling Art' Arts Documentary - Topical Television for ITV Meridian

## **2003**

Presenter, co-director & additional camera work on 'Ema and Grace' documentary (in production) to trace the lives of Romanian children from the New Life Exhibition (see below)  
DV camera operator documentary pilot 'Life of Richard Harris' for Farnham Films.

## **2002**

Self taught DV (PD150). Runner for MadDog TV.

## **2001**

New Life Exhibition – project to dispel 'poor orphans' images of post revolution Romania. Displayed at Romanian Ambassador's residence in London and MPA national AGM in Coventry. Invited to meet president Ion Iliescu of Romania. Romanian images used worldwide by the Population Institute, USAID, DFID, IBI, University of Illinois... Invited by Westminster Foundation for Democracy to document elections in Sierra Leone.

## **2000**

FujiFilm UK sponsored me to document the positive impact of aid sent to Romanian orphanages. RPS hosted an exhibition of my Romanian prints titled New Life. AV presentations and talks given to colleges and organisations on photography and the Romanian project.

## **1999**

Trained in digital manipulation. Award of Excellence in MPA Master Photographer of The Year Awards, two 1sts & two 3rds in the MPA regional awards. Winner Fuji National PTO Awards commercial & advertising category for digitally created image of Concord. Invited to test new products for Kodak & Hassleblad.

## **1998**

Commended in Kodak Gold Awards for Excellence in Professional Portraiture. 2 commendations in The FujiFilm National Wedding awards. Two 1<sup>st</sup>s MPA awards.

## **1997**

Qualified to The Master Photographers Association (MPA) & The Royal Photographic Society.

## **1993**

Began photography business in December after 12 months travelling Australia & Africa. Also travelled in Turkey, Nepal, France & Romania.

### **training, qualifications & workshops**

London Film School Documentary Film making course in sound & vision  
DV Express Avid Training at VET London  
film directing workshop  
1 day digi beta course  
Licenciate of Royal Photographic Society  
Licenciate of Master Photographers Association  
Adobe Photoshop  
Dreamweaver

### **national awards...**

UK Master Photographer of the Year AOE – commercial & advertising  
Fuji PTO award winner – commercial & advsertising  
Fuji Wedding Awards x 2 commendations  
Kodak Gold Awards commendation

### **MPA awards...**

1<sup>st</sup> - licentiate wedding  
1<sup>st</sup> - licentiate portrait  
1<sup>st</sup> - press & pr.  
1<sup>st</sup> - Ilford black & white  
2<sup>nd</sup> - wedding  
2<sup>nd</sup> - licentiate portrait  
2<sup>nd</sup> - commercial & advertising  
3<sup>rd</sup> - commercial & advertising  
3<sup>rd</sup> - alternative portrait

### **referees**

Jayne Whitelock – producer / director Topical TV. City Hospital, GMTV, etc...  
Pine Glen  
Bridge Road  
Southampton  
SO31 8AH

Luke Price –film editor, City Hospital, I'm a Celebrity..., Big Brother and various broadcasters  
1 St Maradox Lane  
Bournemouth  
BH9 2TB

Melloney Roffe – Producer  
Farnham Film Company  
73 Burlington Lane  
Chiswick  
W4 3ET