



MATT BIFFA

Matt is a Music Supervisor, specialising in source music research and copyright clearance.

After buying T-Rex's "Ride A White Swan", Matt began stealing from his parents' record collection and watched taped episodes of "The Old Grey Whistle Test" more times than was strictly healthy for an impressionable young mind. He spent his seventeenth year listening to nothing but Tom Waits' "Rain Dogs" and "Swordfishtrombones", something he is convinced is responsible for his belief that Radiohead's "Kid A" is a nice pop record.

Matt joined Air-Edel in 1996. He was quickly recognised as something of an anorak / musical know-all, and cut his creative teeth sourcing music for commercials, such as Jonathan Glazer's "Guinness – Swimblack" campaign. During this time he began cultivating relationships with key members of the music industry, an activity also known as "ligging". This stood him in good stead when he began clearing songs for feature films, but did nothing for his health. As well as having a disturbingly encyclopaedic knowledge of the history of popular music, he has garnered a reputation for being a canny negotiator.

He considers one of the high points of his career to be "Harry Potter & The Goblet Of Fire", for which he put together a wizarding rock group consisting of Jarvis Cocker from Pulp, and Jonny Greenwood and Philip Selway from Radiohead. He's also very quietly proud of being the man responsible for putting Nick Cave's "O Children" in a Harry Potter film.

FILM AND TELEVISION CREDITS

The Little Drummer Girl

Music Supervisor
2018

Slaughterhouse Rulez

Music Supervisor
2018

The Mercy

Music Supervisor
2017

Grandpa's Great Escape

Music Supervisor
2017

Dirk Gently

Music Supervisor
2017

The End of the F*ing World**

Music Supervisor
2017

Lovesick 3
Music Supervisor
2017

Loaded
Music Supervisor
2017

My name is Lenny
Music Supervisor
2017

Gap Year
Music Supervisor
2017

Prime Suspect 1973
Music Supervisor 1 Episode
2017

The Party
Music Supervisor
2017

The Last Dragonslayer
Music Supervisor
2016

The Guvnor
Music Supervisor
2016

Holy Hell
Music Supervisor
2016

Adult Life Skills
Music Supervisor
2016

Witness for the Prosecution
Music Supervisor 2 Episodes
2016

Lovesick
Music Supervisor 8 Episodes
2016

Two Doors Down
Music Supervisor 1 Episode
2016

The Aliens
Music Supervisor 3 Episodes
2016

Dad's Army
Music Supervisor
2016

Carol

Music consultant and clearance executive
2015

Partisan

Music Supervisor
2015

The Riot Club

Music Supervisor
2014

Paddington

Music Supervisor
2014

Hector and the Search for Happiness

Music Supervisor
2014

Frank

Music Supervisor
2013

Filth

Music Supervisor
2013

Top Boy (TV Series)

Music Supervisor 4 episodes
2013

The Numbers Station

Music Supervisor
2013

The Crash Reel (Documentary)

Music Supervisor
2011-2012

Fresh Meat (TV Series)

Music Supervisor 24 episodes
2011 -2013

Made in Chelsea (TV Series)

Music Supervisor 16 episodes
2012

Unfinished Song

Music Supervisor
2012

Seven Psychopaths

Music Supervisor
2012

Offender

Music Supervisor
2012

Fast Girls
Music Supervisor
2012

Grabbers
Music Supervisor
2011

Wild Bill
Music Supervisor
2011

Killer Elite
Music Supervisor
2011

Combat Hospital (TV Series)
Music Supervisor 12 episodes
2011

Sirens (TV Series)
Music Supervisor 6 episodes
2011

Collaborator
Music Supervisor
2011

Chalet Girl
Music Supervisor
2011

Unknown
Music Consultant)
2010

Toast (TV Movie)
Music Supervisor
2010

Harry Potter and the Deathly Hallows: Part 1
Music Supervisor
2010

Wrecked
Music Supervisor
2010

Chatroom
Music Supervisor
2010

The Losers
Executive music producer, Music consultant)
2010

The Infidel
Music Supervisor
2010

Countdown to Zero (Documentary)
Music Supervisor
2009

Jinx (TV Series)
Music Supervisor 8 episodes
2009

Dead Man Running
Music Supervisor
2009

Harry Brown
Music Supervisor
2009

Triangle
Music clearance: Cutting Edge
2009

Dread
Music Supervisor
2009

Tormented
Music Supervisor
2009

Only When I Dance (Documentary)
Music Supervisor
2009

The Steam Experiment
Music Supervisor
2009

Echelon Conspiracy
Music Supervisor
2009

White Lightnin'
Music Supervisor
2008

Goth Cruise (Documentary)
Music Supervisor
2008

Miss Conception
Music Supervisor
2008

The Broken
Music Supervisor
2007

Magicians
Music Supervisor
2007

I Am an American Soldier: One Year in Iraq with the 101st Airborne (Documentary)

Music Supervisor

2007

Wedding Belles (TV Movie)

Music Supervisor

2007

Hallam Foe

Music researcher: piano

2006

Flyboys

Music Supervisor

2006

Summer Love

Music clearances

2006

Severance

Music Supervisor

2006

Confetti

Music Supervisor

2006

Driving Lessons

Music supervisor

2006

Opal Dream

Music research and clearance

2005

Harry Potter and the Goblet of Fire

Music Supervisor

2005

The Brothers Grimm

Source music clearances

2005

Wah-Wah

Music clearance: UK

2004

Sergeant Pepper

Music Consultant

2004

Andrew and Jeremy Get Married (Documentary)

Music Supervisor (source music clearances)

2004

Creep

Music clearance Music Consultant)

2004

Chasing Liberty
Music Supervisor
2003

The Boys & Girl from County Clare
Music clearances
2003

Aileen: Life and Death of a Serial Killer (Documentary)
Music clearances
2003

I Capture the Castle
Music Supervisor
2002

Thunderpants
Music Supervisor
2002

Biggie and Tupac (Documentary)
Music clearances
2001

Iris
Music clearances
2001

Bodywork
Music Supervisor
2000

Snatch.
Music researcher
2000

Whatever Happened to Harold Smith?
Music Supervisor
1999