

VIJAY MANN

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BSc (Hons) Computer Science holder (2021) with experience managing high-value projects (£500k+), resolving technical and operational challenges, and quickly adapting to new systems. Combines analytical thinking, organisational skills, and disciplined work habits to deliver reliable results in fast-paced and regulated environments.

Education/Certification

Royal Holloway University of London
BSc (Hons) Computer Science | 2:1 Attained

2018 - 2021

Experience

Director | PB Hire Ltd

August 2022 to Present

- Founded and operate a tech-forward equipment rental company, overseeing all aspects of operations including asset tracking, system maintenance, and client communication
- Designed and implemented a custom manual booking and inventory control system with redundancy measures to ensure business continuity and data consistency
- Monitored the technical performance and integrity of audiovisual and IT equipment, performing diagnostics and minor hardware/software fixes to minimise downtime
- Managed business financials using secure digital tools, overseeing transactions, invoice security, and data protection in accordance with UK financial regulations
- Developed robust customer management practices including secure storage of client data and insurance compliance across all hires
- Fostered long-term B2B partnerships through effective communication and secure digital collaboration platforms
- Maintained compliance with insurance, health & safety, and data protection regulations, ensuring secure handling of liability and risk documentation

Airside Class 2 Driver | WFS

July 2025 to Present

- Operate in restricted airside environments under strict security, safety, and compliance controls
- Follow SOPs, access management, and incident reporting procedures in a regulated setting
- Coordinate with multiple teams in time-critical conditions while maintaining situational awareness and procedural discipline

Production Manager | Ten Plus One (UK) Productions Limited

July 2021 to April 2025

- Led the end-to-end planning and execution of media projects, applying project management principles to ensure timely and secure delivery of assets
- Maintained digital production schedules, cloud-based storage, and documentation systems, ensuring data integrity, access control, and secure backups
- Monitored and managed production budgets with an emphasis on secure handling of financial data and account reconciliation
- Acted as primary liaison between clients, crew, and vendors-managing communication workflows and ensuring secure transmission of sensitive materials
- Oversaw the recruitment and onboarding of freelance staff, maintaining contract records and ensuring GDPR compliance in all personnel documentation
- Diagnosed and resolved AV and network-based technical issues on-set, often under high-pressure conditions, involving hardware resets, software updates, and system checks
- Collaborated with the Line Producer to analyse project requirements, optimise resource allocation, and maintain secure data workflows across teams
- Maintained accurate digital records including call sheets, consent forms, and logs-ensuring secure and auditable document management

Skills

Proactive

- Driven to take initiative and take on new tasks, applying critical thinking and creativity to support Executive Producers in finding effective solutions.
- Take great pride and pleasure in the task and understand the importance of even the smallest of tasks.

Teamwork & Communication

- Empathetic listener and persuasive speaker, communicating effectively with new teams and across different organisational levels.
- Agile and adaptable with work delegated to best suit the needs of the team, demonstrating a strong commitment to team dynamics and the ability to contribute expertise.
- Led and delivered presentations confidently and energetically in professional settings.
- Open-minded and calm when addressing conflicts, always considerate in approach.

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Positive Attitude

- Use past experiences as learning opportunities to build character and improve decision-making.
- Enthusiastic about tasks and face challenges head-on.
- Think methodically and keep an open mind to tackle tasks effectively.

Technical Skills

- **Security Skills:**
 - Knowledge of threat types, attack vectors, risk management and vulnerability assessment
 - Basic awareness of firewalls, IDS/IPS, SIEM tools (actively studying for hands-on labs)
- **Networking & Systems:**
 - TCP/IP, DNS, DHCP, VPN (conceptual knowledge)
 - Windows 10/11, macOS, basic Linux CLI navigation
- **IT Support:**
 - Experience troubleshooting hardware/software issues in production environments
 - Comfortable with device setup, driver installation, Wi-Fi/network setup
- **Scripting & Tools:**
 - Basic Python scripting (file handling, simple automation)
 - Microsoft 365, Google Workspace, Notion, Trello

Hobbies & Interests

- **Cybersecurity & Technology:** Actively learning through hands-on platforms like TryHackMe, currently working through beginner and intermediate rooms to develop practical skills in network security, vulnerability analysis, and ethical hacking.
- **Filmmaking & Video Production:** Passionate about learning video editing and photography, continuously developing skills in visual storytelling and creative expression.
- **Running & Fitness:** Training for a half marathon, demonstrating discipline, goal setting, and perseverance.
- **Charity & Volunteering:** Actively involved in community charity work, supporting local initiatives and events to give back and develop empathy.
- **Travel & Culture:** Enjoy travelling to new places and experiencing different cultures through trying new activities and foods.