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Location:	West Sussex, United Kingdom	Eye Colour:	Blue
Height:	5'11" (180.3 cm)	Hair Colour:	Grey
Weight:	11st. 10lb. (74.4 kg)	Hair Length:	Bald
Playing Age:	45 - 60	Voice Styles:	Authoritative, Clear
Appearance:	White		

I have been a BBC Radio broadcaster since October 2000 at BBC Radio Sussex and was also a travel news presenter on BBC Radio 2 for many years.

I'm currently presenting a new TV series about disused railways, called "Tracing the Rails".

I also work part time in the construction industry, and have considerable experience in house building, which was my family business.

I'm an on screen decorator on BBC1's Interior Design Masters with Alan Carr.

I'm in to fitness, notably weight training. I was a Police Officer in Sussex Police in the 90s and now volunteer for them as a Police Cadet Leader.

Television

2025, Television, Presenter, Tracing the Rails - Series 1, Tracing the Rails Productions (for Rewind TV Freeview and Satellite), Chris Kirk

2024, Television, Presenter, Tracing the Rails Christmas Special, Tracing the Rails Productions., Chris Kirk

2025, Television, On Screen Decorator - all 8 episodes, BBC1 Interior Design Masters - Series 6, Darlow Smithson Productions Ltd (for BBC1), Max Newson

2024, Television, On screen decorator, BBC1 Interior Design Masters - Celebrity Special, Darlow Smithson Productions Ltd (for BBC1), Max Newson

2024, Television, On Screen Decorator, BBC1 Interior Design Masters - Series 5, Darlow Smithson Productions for BBC1, Ryan Daly

2024, Television, Decorator, BBC1 - Sort your Life Out - with Stacey Solomon - Series 4, Optomen TV, James Tyndall

2023, Television, Tradesman, BBC1 - Sort your Life Out - with Stacey Solomon - Series 3, Optomen TV (for BBC1), James Tyndall

2023, Television, On screen decorator, BBC1 Interior Design Masters - Series 4, Darlow Smithson Productions Ltd (for BBC1), Ryan Daly

2023, Television, Tradesman, BBC1 - Sort Your Life Out - with Stacey Solomon - Series 2, Optomen TV (for BBC1), James Tyndall

2022, Television, On screen decorator, BBC1 Interior Design Masters - Series 3, Darlow Smithson Productions Ltd (for BBC1), Ryan Daly

2022, Television, On screen decorator, Dream Home Makeovers with Sophie Robinson, Pi Productions for Channel 5, Emma Worgan

2021, Television, On screen decorator, BBC1 Interior Design Masters - Series 2, Darlow Smithson Productions Ltd (for BBC1), Ryan Daly

2021, Television, Tradesman on three series of the show (two yet to be screened), BBC1 - Sort Your Life Out - with Stacey Solomon - Series 1, Optomen TV (for BBC1),

2012, Television, Shopping channel - specialist guest presenter. ONGOING, QVC - DIY and Gardening shows, QVC, Various

2015, Television, TV News Reporter / Anchor, UKIP - First 100 days (Channel 4), Channel 4, Chris Atkins

2012, Television, Magicians assistant - performing in magic tricks live on BBC1, The Magicians, BBC, Julian Smith

2011, Television, Actor, Comic Relief 2011, BBC,

2010, Television, Featured Tradesman over the series, White Van Man (Channel 5), Channel 5, Aaron Fellows

2003, Television, Police Officer, Prime Suspect (series 6), Granada Television, Tom Hooper

2003, Television, Police Officer, Jonathan Creek (series 4 Ep 1), Cinema Verity for BBC TV, Christine Gernon

2002, Television, Construction Worker, It's a Mystery (CITV), ITV, Simon Pearce

2002, Television, Hotel Guest (two episodes), Sooty (TV Series 2001-2004), ITV, David Coyle

2001, Television, Police Officer, The Battle of Orgreave, Channel 4, Mike Figgis

2001, Television, Sleepwalker, Sleepwalkers Who Kill (TV Movie), Electric Sky Productions (for Channel 5), Andrew Webb

1999, Television, Dalek Operator, Doctor Who - Curse of Fatal Death, BBC, John Henderson

Radio

2022, Radio, Radio broadcaster and presenter since 2000, BBC Radio Sussex (2000 until present - ongoing), BBC, Various
2007, Radio, Travel presenter from 2002-2007 to an audience of 13m listeners., BBC Radio 2 - Travel presenter., BBC, Leslie Douglas

Corporate

2023, Corporate, Event Compere, Dance Active 2023, Brighton and Hove City Council, Julie Stacey
2023, Corporate, Master of Ceremonies at Annual Chief Constables Awards., Sussex Police Chief Constable's Awards 2023, Sussex Police, Kirsty Mitchell
2022, Corporate, TV News Presenter, Counter Terrorism Police Training Video, Counter Terrorism Police, Jim Moore
2019, Corporate, Actor in Instruction Video, Worx Landroid Mowers, Positec,
2017, Corporate, Interviewing senior management of two large international companies following a merger., Corporate Presenter, HUBBLEBERRY STILTSKINS LIMITED,
2015, Corporate, Presenting at the Plantworx construction industry trade show on the Engcon stand, Plantworx 2015 - Bruntingthorpe Proving ground., Engcon Ltd,
2003, Corporate, Cabin Crew presenter for in flight information videos., Britannia Airlines Inflight VT,
2001, Corporate, TV News Presenter, RTV News, Ravensbourne University,

Voice Over

2018, Voice Over, Voice Over, Engcon UK Ltd Website, Engcon UK Ltd, Robert Hunt
2009, Voice Over, Voice Over, Volks Railway 125th Anniversary,
2008, Voice Over, Voice Over, Olympus Voice recorders,

Educational

2015, Educational, Presenter for Brickwall TV - on a series of Leadership and Training videos for the NHS., NHS Training Videos, Brickwall TV,

Training Film

2016, Training Film, Presenter, Hilary's Web Blinds - online installation guides (new range), V Point TV, Ian Sterling
2013, Training Film, Presenter, Hilary's Web Blinds - online installation guides, V point TV, Ian Sterling
2009, Training Film, Presenter, Airbus - Health and Safety video,

Commercial

2013, Commercial, TV Presenter - for a DIY product, TV Commercial (Ladderlimb), Tristar Television Ltd., David Ward
2003, Commercial, Builder, Ford Transit Van,
2002, Commercial, Customer, Pizza Express,
2002, Commercial, Lawyer, Law Assure,

Arena

2015, Arena, Stage Presenter and Interviewer, Doctor Who Festival at London Excel, BBC Worldwide, Paul Vanezis
2013, Arena, Stage / Event Presenter for BBC Worldwide for the Doctor Who 50th Anniversary celebrations at London Excel, Doctor Who 50th Anniversary at London Excel, BBC Worldwide, Paul Vanezis
2008, Arena, Live stage presenter for FORD at the London Motor Show at Excel Exhibition centre. I was presenting the science and environmental elements of the Ford branding, performing live science experiments, London Motor Show, Ford,

DVD

2001, DVD, Presenter for DVD and VHS release "Successful Searching" - a documentary about metal detecting., Successful Searching, Genesis FX, Chris Kirk

Web Series

Web Series, DIY presenter for a number of "how to do" training videos, instructing on a variety of common DIY tasks., Online DIY instructional programmes., Videojug,

Stage

2002, Stage, Singer / Actor, Live and Unrehearsed, BBC, Nigel Campbell and Dave Batcock

Concert

2019, Concert, Host and Compere, Worthing Philharmonic Orchestra Ltd - 70th anniversary concert,

Credits

2020, Event, Presenter / Host / Interviewer (ongoing), Doctor Who Conventions / Events, Dr Who Appreciation Society, Dave Greenham
2024, Event, Presenter / Host, An evening with Danny McNamara (Embrace), The Factory Live, Stephen Sheldrake
2026, Animation, Narrator, Alice in Wonderland animation, Tropicana,

Performance:

Radio Presenting*, TV Presenting*, Autocue trained/experienced*, Presenting

Sports: (* = highly skilled)

Weight Training

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Vehicle Licences:

Car Driving Licence

Other Skills:

Security Officer (experienced), Police Officer (former/professional)

Training:

Patricia Edwards School of Speech and Drama (1998 - 2000)

Two years of classes in drama, speech and delivery, aimed at presentation and voice skills.

Ravensbourne University (2000-2002)

Two year full time HND in Professional Broadcasting. I specialised in production.

Cranford Construction and Dev Ltd 2002-2022 - Highly experienced in House Building - all aspects of building new homes, extensions and conversions, from foundations to finish.

2023 - SIA (Security Industry Authority) Trained Door Supervisor - working part time and seasonal VIP security at the Goodwood Estate in West Sussex.

Sussex Police, Malling House, Lewes (1991 - 2000, and 2023 to present as a Police Cadet Leader for Sussex Police)

Police regional and national qualifications in investigative interviewing.

Fully vetted and safeguard trained for working with young people (due to current position as a volunteer Police Cadet Leader/Trainer)

Home office restraint and defence technique.

Recruit assessment and training.

Promotion qualified to rank of Sergeant.

Custody and prisoner handling.

Advanced emergency driving

Operational, crime system and police national computer operator and trainer. (system now obsolete)

House to house search trained for major incidents.