



ANDY WASLEY
PHOTOGRAPHY

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EDUCATION

Photography Graduate Diploma (Distinction)

London College of
Communication
2016-17

Public Relations

Advanced Certificate (Merit)
Leeds Metropolitan University
2008-09

Leadership & Management Military qualification

Joint Service Command and
Staff College, Shrivenham
2015

ACCOLADES

Winner (Places)

Association of Photographers
Student Awards 2017

Honorable mentions (Architecture and People)

Monochrome Photography
Awards 2015

Exhibitions:

Image Nation, London 2017
AoP Awards, London, 2017
Life Line, London, 2015

SKILLS

Portraiture

Landscape photography

Urban photography

Event photography

News photography

Features journalism

Adobe Lightroom

Adobe Photoshop

Wordpress

ANDY WASLEY

Freelance photographer and writer

PROFESSIONAL PROFILE

I am an award-winning freelance travel photographer and writer, with substantial experience turning out high-quality imagery and copy for print and online titles. My news and travel photography has been published by *The Times*, the *Guardian*, *Pride Life* magazine, *Soldier* magazine, *RAF News* and CNN. I have shot news imagery for the Royal Air Force, Royal Canadian Air Force, Department for International Development and the Ministry of Defence; other clients have included Battersea Arts Centre, Stonewall and City & Guilds. I have written and ghost-written pieces for *Attitude*, the *Guardian*, the *Times Educational Supplement*, *Pride Life* and *exeunt*.magazine.com, and was formerly the freelance editor-in-chief of a startup LGBT web magazine.

EMPLOYMENT HISTORY

Freelance photographer

Worldwide, 2014 – present

- Travel photography.** Working with print clients including *Pride Life* magazine, *Soldier* magazine, *RAF News* I have shot travel imagery worldwide. My published travel photography includes imagery from Nepal (the Annapurna Circuit, Kathmandu and Pokhara) and Spain (Bilbao, Logroño and San Sebastian), while my portfolio also includes work from throughout the UK, Iceland, Guatemala, the UAE and Qatar. In 2017 I won a prestigious Association of Photographers award for one of my travel photographs from Scotland.
- News photography.** Alongside my main duties as an RAF Reserves Officer I have produced news photography for the RAF, Army, Ministry of Defence, Royal Canadian Air Force and Department for International Development. My work covers operations in Afghanistan, Ethiopia, the Middle East and the Caribbean, including portraiture and reportage. It has been published by *The Times*, the *Guardian*, CNN and other international titles, as well as *Soldier* magazine and *RAF News*.
- Stock photography.** I am an approved contributor for Alamy and Shutterstock as a stock photographer, focusing on landscape and urban photography.
- Event photography.** I have covered public and closed events, including marches, conference plenaries and launch events, for clients including Stonewall and Battersea Arts Centre.

Freelance writer

London, 2008 – present

- Travel.** I have contributed travel articles to *Pride Life* and maintain a personal travel blog.
- Arts & Culture.** Pieces on theatre, music, film and arts exhibitions for print and online titles including *Pride Life* and *Exeunt* magazine.
- Interviews.** Feature-length interviews with celebrities and public figures for *Exeunt* and SoSoGay.com.
- Opinion.** Opinion pieces for the *Times Educational Supplement*, *Attitude*, Huffington Post and SoSoGay.com. I have also ghost-written for a celebrity contributor to the *Guardian*.

Editor-in-chief, SoSoGay.com

London, 2010-2011

- I was recruited to relaunch a website, SoSoGay.com, turning it from a lifestyle blog into an influential online LGBT magazine. During my editorship I set up a style guide, editorial grid and recruiting policy, and commissioned features and photography across lifestyle, arts, culture, news, opinion and politics. Over the course of my editorship the magazine increased its monthly readership from fewer than 1,000 unique hits to more than 10,000, and was nominated for a Stonewall Award.

Previous roles

- Media Manager.** Stonewall, 2011-2013.
- PR & Communications Manager.** City & Guilds Centre for Skills Development, 2008-2011.
- Commissioned Officer.** Royal Air Force, full-time 2001-2008, part-time 2008-present.