



## Phil Newton

### Grip NVQ 3 Key Grip

Phil began his career at ITV's Facilities House in Leeds after earning a degree in engineering. Over the course of 20 years, working on a variety of projects in HETV and Film, he progressed through the ranks to Key Grip. Phil then furthered his qualifications with an NVQ Level 2 and an Advanced Level 3 Diploma .

Based in North West but happy to travel.

## Features / TV Drama

Production	Director of Photography	Director	Additional Information
Matilda (The Musical)	Tat Radcliffe	Peter Talbot	2nd Unit Grip, Dailies
Bill	Laurie Rose	Richard Bracewell	Grip, Dailies
Emmerdale	Chris Ramage	Various	Key Grip
Jonathan Strange & Mr Norrell	Lukas Grebel	Tony Haynes	2nd Unit Grip, Dailies
Dark Angel	Larry Smith	Brian Percival	Grip Dailies
Coronation Street	Paul Burton	Various	Grip
Eternal Law	Tony Slater Ling	Adrian Shergold	Grip, Dailies
If Dogs Run Free / A Touch of Frost	Robin Vidgeon	Paul Harrison	Grip
The Royal S12	Geoff Healey	Ian Barber	Grip
Heartbeat	Colin Poustie	Pip Short	Grip
Boy Meets Girl	Sean Van Hales	Alfric Riley	Grip
My Parents are Aliens S8	Les Flanagan	Various	Grip, Dailies
Housewife 49	Cinders Forshaw	Gavin Miller	Grip, Dailies
Diamond Geezer S2&3	Robin Vidgeon	Paul Harrison	Grip, Dailies
Cracker	Florian Hoffmeister	Antonia Bird	Trainee Grip
Barking	Gordon McGregor	A.J Quinn	Trainee Grip
Where the Heart is	Russel Glavin	Clive Arnold	Trainee Grip
The Chase	Peter Butler	Ian Levitt	Trainee Grip
The Magic Flute	Roger Lanser	Kenneth Branagh	Trainee Grip, Dailies
Love, Lies, Bleeding	Simon Richards	David Drury	Trainee Grip
If I Had You	John Daly	John Deery	Trainee Grip

## Education & Training

**Education:** 2015 Advanced Grip Level 3 Diploma, 2009 Grip Level 2 Diplmoma, 2006 – 2007 ITV Grip Traineeship, 1998 – 2001 John Moores University, Liverpool BSc Broadcast Technology.  
1997 – 1998 Foundation Engineering, 1995 – 1997 York Sixth Form College A – Levels: Three including Theatre Studies

**Further Training:** HGV Class 2 Driving license. IOSH Qualified. Screen Yorkshire – Digital Skills for Screen Course, ScreenSkills

- Intro into Digital Production. Screenskills Online Training Modules completed April 2025: [Diversity, Equity & Inclusion for the Screen Industries](#) [Tackling Harassment & Bullying at Work](#)