

Berenice

freelance photographer

Berenice Guzzo is a recent photojournalism graduate, artist and freelance photographer, part of the Italian Journalist Association (ODG) since 2016.

Multilingual and proactive, she is specialized in documentary and sport photography, in particular tennis and basketball: she covered the 2016 FIBA Olympic Qualifying Tournament and the 2018 Volleyball World Championship.

Her latest project **“Immota Manet”** focused on earthquakes and restoration in central Italy. Berenice collaborated with organizations such as Segretariato Regionale Abruzzo and Archdiocese of L’Aquila, which granted her access to historical sites closed to the public.

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EXPERIENCE

Holborn Studios

freelance studio assistant (February 2022 - present)

- set up and take down of studio/lightning setup
- general studio upkeep and tidy up
- maintain and hire out photographic equipment
- liaise with clients and assist on photographic shoots

UAL Art Temps

photographer (April 2022)

- camera test for BA Performance course students at London College of Fashion, Lime Grove.
- use Capture One to facilitate tutors' live feedback
- **focusing on costumes, prosthetics, make-up, wigs and 3D effects and objects**
- experimenting with lightning and angles with attention to detail

Freelance photographer (2016 - present)

- critical thinking to pitch stories and interviews
- creativity for designing zines and photobooks
- good multilingual listening and communication skills to engage with collaborators
- post-production and sending images to clients

Sport Journal Pictures

photographer, writer and editor (2016-2019)

- covering international tournaments and games (basketball, tennis, volleyball, ice-hockey)
- responsible to contact press offices for event accreditations and to schedule interviews
- pitching and doing interview, writing game reports
- picture editing for magazine and website
- laying out Sport Journal Pictures magazine and publishing on online platforms
- creating and sharing social media contents on Facebook and Instagram

SKILLS

Software working knowledge

- InDesign
- Photoshop
- Lightroom
- RawTherapee and Gimp
- Capture One
- Movavi Video Editor
- Wordpress, Squarespace
- Microsoft Office

Other skills

- **multilingual:**
 - Italian (native)
 - English (proficient)
 - French (advanced)
 - German (intermediate)
 - Spanish (basic)
- detail oriented and organised
- flexible and time management
- teamwork

EDUCATION

2020-2021

University of the Arts, London

MA Photojournalism and Documentary Photography

- production of major project: “Immota Manet - Art after the Earthquake in L’Aquila”
- experimenting with multisensory approach and research
- study of ethics of representation, copyrights and privacy
- production of decolonizing narrative for the collaborative project “The Flaneur Review”
- use of darkrooms and studio light equipment, bookbinding

2015-2019

Università degli Studi di Torino, Italy

Bachelor in Modern Languages and Literatures

Comparative Literatures, English and French

Undergraduate Dissertation “Jacob Riis: Reformation in Gilded Age New York City”