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PERSONAL DETAILS

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PERSONAL PROFILE

Hard working, ambitious, with well organised research skills, and the ability to be flexible and reliable as well as motivate and communicate with others. Optimistic outlook and accustomed to working to tight schedules in a pressurised environment.

QUALIFICATIONS AND EDUCATION

1994 - 2005	University of Derby (Part Time Study)
	PhD in A Spatial and Temporal analysis of Heavy Snowfalls across Great Britain between the years 1861-1999
1997	New College Nottingham, Nottingham (Full Time Study)
	City and Guilds certificate in Further and Adult Education Teacher's Certificate (Stage One)
1992 - 1994	University of Derby (Full Time Study)
	BSc (Hons) Geography (2:1) Main Subjects Studied: Climate, Population Geography, USA and Japan, Urban Geography, Soils, Transport Geography, Environmental Conservation, Remote Sensing/GIS and Data Handling (Mathematics/Statistics)
	Final Year Project: 'A History of Blizzards over the United Kingdom in Relation to Lamb's Weather Types'. This involved identifying a link between the major blizzards with the synoptic circulation, temperature and rainfall totals and Lamb's Weather Types (Grade A obtained)
1991 - 1992	University of Bedfordshire (Full Time Study)
	Certificate of Higher Education in Environmental Science with Geographical Science Main Subjects Studied: Marine/Terrestrial Science and Computer Studies
1989 - 1991	Mid-Cheshire College, Northwich, Cheshire (Part Time Study)
	B.T.E.C. ONC Building Studies
1986 - 1989 1981 - 1986	Sir John Deane's Sixth Form College, Northwich, Cheshire Rudheath Community High School, Rudheath, Northwich, Cheshire
	'A' Level: Geography 'O'/GCSE Levels: Seven, including Chemistry, English, Land Surveying and Mathematics

PROFESSIONAL AFFILIATION AND MEMBERSHIPS

Fellow of the Royal Meteorological Society (FRMetS) since October 1990 to present Member of the National Geographic Society since January 1993 to present Member of the Tornado and Storm Research Organisation between the years 1993 - 1998 Associate of the Royal Geographical Society between the years 1994 - 1995 Member of the Association of British Climatologists since January 1995 to present Fellow of the Royal Geographical Society (FRGS) since January 2005 to present Vetted by the Expert Witness Directory between January 2005 to October 2017 Member of the UK Register of Expert Witnesses since February 2007 to present Member of APIL (Association of Personal Injury Lawyers) since April 2007 to present Member of the Academy of Experts (MAE) since June 2007 to present Vetted by the Round Table Group since October 2007 to present Trained 'in the aspects of report writing' by Bond Solon since July 2008 to present Professional Member of the Chartered Society of Forensic Sciences (MCSFS) since June 2009 to present Included on the NPIA (National Policing Improvement Agency) Expert Advisers Database since September 2010 to present (this was transferred into the Serious Organised Crime Agency (SOCA) in April 2012 and then the National Crime Agency (NCA) in October 2013)

Vetted by the Expert Witness Directory of Ireland between October 2010 and November 2016 Vetted by the Expert Witness Directory of Scotland between October 2010 and October 2016 Trained 'in the Jackson Reforms' by Bond Solon since May 2013 to present Vetted by the Law Society of Scotland since November 2016 to present

SELECTION OF CONFERENCES SPOKEN AT (1996 - PRESENT DAY)

Association of British Climatologists, 16 March 1996, at Birmingham University, Birmingham Title of Talk: Defining the origin of the word blizzard and how a blizzard is defined in the United Kingdom

Tornado and Storm Research Organisation, 8 June 1996, at Oxford Brookes University, Oxford Title of Talk: Frequency of blizzards/heavy snowfalls/snowfalls greater than fifteen centimetres across Great Britain, 1861-1995

Tornado and Storm Research Organisation, 22 March 1997, at Oxford Brookes University, Oxford Title of Talk: Summary of heavy snowfalls in the British Isles 1996

Tornado and Storm Research Organisation, 21 March 1998, at Oxford Brookes University, Oxford Title of Talk: Summary of heavy snowfalls in the British Isles 1997

Tornado and Storm Research Organisation, 20 March 1999, at Oxford Brookes University, Oxford Title of Talk: Summary of heavy snowfalls in the British Isles 1998

Tornado and Storm Research Organisation, 18 March 2000, at Oxford Brookes University, Oxford Title of Talk: Summary of heavy snowfalls in the British Isles 1999

Tornado and Storm Research Organisation, 24 March 2001, at Oxford Brookes University, Oxford Title of Talk: Summary of heavy snowfalls in the British Isles 2000

1989 - 1991	Brian D. Etchells and Partners, Manchester (Full Time)
	Trainee Quantity Surveyor: responsible for mathematical checks from Tenders, Bill of Quantities and Final Accounts. Also responsible for surveying areas from architect drawings and on site investigations
1988 - 1994	Hassalls Ices, Pickmere, Cheshire. (Part Time, Summer Work)
	Ice Cream Seller: responsible for selling ice cream to the general public at several picnic sites within Cheshire
1997 - Present	WeatherNet Ltd, Bournemouth, Dorset (Full Time)
	Weather Services Commercial Manager/Senior Forensic Meteorologist: Responsible for overseeing weather-related activities including weather forecasting, severe weather warnings and consultancy work. Also provided countless interviews/written quotes for local/national radio, TV and newspapers.
1998 - Present	Tornado and Storm Research Organisation (TORRO), Oxford, Oxfordshire (Full Time)
	Research Leader and Founder of Heavy Snowfalls which is a part of the Thunderstorm and Severe Weather Division. Responsible for research, data collection and producing academic publications about heavy snowfalls and blizzards across the UK
POSITIONS OF RESPONSIBILITY	
	University of Derby, Derby: Halls of Residence Warden (1993 - 1994) Secretary of the Geography Society (1994 - 1995) Supervised undergraduate examinations (1994 - 1996)
	Wessex Blues, Poole (Official Manchester City Supporters Club) General Secretary (2012 – present)
ADDITIONAL SKILLS	
	I am familiar with a variety of computer programmes such as: MS Works (Version 3), MS Word (all versions), MS Excel (all versions), MS Windows (all versions), Adobe Acrobat (Versions 5-11), Lotus Approach (Version 9), Lotus Word Pro, Lotus 1-2-3, Lotus Organiser 5, Outlook Express and Micrografx Designer 7.
	Have used the Internet since 1991 Full clean driving license since 1987
INTERESTS AND ACTIVITIES	
	Travelling, power walking, ice skating, philately, cricket, badminton, selling on auction sites and listening to current affairs and politics. I also have a keen interest in a wide variety of music, entering competitions and surveys. I am also an avid fan of Manchester City Football

BOOKS PUBLISHED (1997 – PRESENT DAY)

Wild, R. (1997) Back to basics. Frontal weather and the pilot. Met, Vol. 1. Tregaron: Llangeitho Times Publishing, 17 pp

Club where I hold a season ticket.

Wild, R. (1998) Back to basics. Wind shear and the pilot. Met, Vol. 2. Tregaron: Llangeitho Times Publishing, 14 pp

Wild, R. (2005) A spatial and temporal analysis of heavy snowfalls across Great Britain between the years 1861-1999.

Unpublished PhD Thesis, University of Derby, 344 pp

Wild, R. (2016) Heavy snowfalls across Great Britain. In: Roe, R. K. (ed.) Extreme Weather: Forty Years of the Tornado and Storm Research Organisation (TORRO). Wiley, Blackwell. pp. 283-300

RESEARCH PAPERS PUBLISHED (1995 - PRESENT DAY)

- Wild, R. (1995) Definition of the British blizzard. Weather, 50, 327-328
- Wild, R. (1996) Frequency of blizzards and heavy snowfalls greater than 15 centimetres across Great Britain 1861-1995. *Journal of Meteorology*, 21, 217
- Wild, R. (1996) Describing the origin of the word 'blizzard' and how a blizzard is defined in the United Kingdom. Climate News, 15, 1-2
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- Wild, R. (1998) A review of the heavy snowfalls greater then thirteen centimetres in Great Britain during 1997.
- *Journal of Meteorology*, **23**, 348 Wild, R. (1998) A review on the heavy snowfalls/blizzards/snowstorms/snowfalls greater than 13cm in Great Britain between 1861-1996:
- Part 1: 1861-1899. Journal of Meteorology, **23**, 3-19
- Wild, R. (1999) Blizzards and Heavy Snowfalls Division Summary 1998. Journal of Meteorology, 24, 139
- Wild, R. (1999) A review on the heavy snowfalls/blizzards/snowstorms/snowfalls greater than 13cm in Great Britain between 1861-1996: Part 2: 1900-1925. *Journal of Meteorology*, **24**, 19-32
- Wild, R. (2000) Heavy snowfall summary for the UK in 1999. Journal of Meteorology, 25, 130-131
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- Wild, R. (2001) Heavy snowfalls and blizzards division summary for the United Kingdom 2000. Journal of Meteorology, 26, 181-183
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- Wild, R. (2004) Snowfalls/blizzards/snowstorms/snowfalls greater than 13cm in Great Britain between 1861-1996: Part 4: 1946-1959. *Journal of Meteorology*, 29, 17-26
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- Wild, R. (2005) Blizzards and heavy snowfalls in the United Kingdom 2004, Journal of Meteorology, 30, 214-216
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- Wild, R. (2006) Heavy Snowfalls and Blizzards in the United Kingdom 2005. *The International Journal of Meteorology*, **31**, 224-228
- Wild, R. (2006) Heavy Snowfalls and Blizzards around the World 2005, Part 1. The International Journal of Meteorology, 31, 296-301
- Wild, R. (2006) Heavy Snowfalls and Blizzards around the World 2005, Part 2. The International Journal of Meteorology, 31, 324-329
- Wild, R. (2007) Heavy Snowfalls and Blizzards in the United Kingdom 2006. The International Journal of Meteorology, 32, 279-281
- Wild, R. (2007) A review of heavy snowfalls/blizzards/snowstorms greater than 13cm in Great Britain between 1861-1996:
- Part 7: 1976-1979. The International Journal of Meteorology, 32, 325-334
- Wild, R. (2008) Heavy Snowfalls and Blizzards in the United Kingdom 2007. The International Journal of Meteorology, 33, 193-194
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- Wild, R. (2009) A Review of Global Heavy Snowfalls and Blizzards in 2006: Part 2. The International Journal of Meteorology, 34, 14-22
- Wild, R. (2009) A Review of Global Heavy Snowfalls and Blizzards in 2007. *The International Journal of Meteorology*, **34**, 82-92
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Film Title	Year Film Released
Aladdin	2019
Stan and Ollie	2018
Swimming with Men	2018
The Angel	2018
The Favourite	2018
Bohemian Rhapsody	2018
Johnny English 3	2018
The Kid Who Would Be King	2018
The Little Stranger	2018
Christopher Robin	2018
M:I 6 – Mission Impossible	2018
Mamma Mia! Here We Go Again	2018
Solo: A Star Wars Story	2018
Avengers: Infinity War	2018
Red Sparrow	2018
Outlaw King All the Devil's Men	2018
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Mary Poppins Returns Holmes and Watson	2018
The Nutcracker and the Four Realms	2018
Justice League	2010
All the Money in the World	2017
American Assassin	2017
Murder on the Orient Express	2017
Dunkirk	2017
Breathe	2017
Kingsman: The Golden Circle	2017
The Hitman's Bodyguard	2017
Annihilation	2017
Star Wars: The Last Jedi	2017
Transformers: The Last Knight	2017
King Arthur: Legend of the Sword Beauty and the Beast	2017 2017
Doctor Strange	2017
Grimsby	2016
Jason Bourne	2016
The Conjuring 2	2016
Me Before You	2016
Miss Peregrine's Home for Peculiar Children	2016
Now You See Me 2	2016
Their Finest	2016
War Machine	2017
The Legend of Tarzan	2016
Alice Through the Looking Glass	2016
Spectre Stor Worse The Force Awakans	2015
Star Wars: The Force Awakens Pan	2015 2015
Avengers: Age of Ultron	2015
Pride and Prejudice and Zombies	2015
Man Up	2015
Cinderella	2015
The Man from U.N.C.L.E.	2015
Into the Woods	2014
Fury	2014
Dracula Untold	2014
Guardians of the Galaxy	2014
Edge of Tomorrow	2014
Maleficent Mumeta Most Wanted	2014
Muppets Most Wanted Jack Ryan: Shadow Recruit	2014 2014
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47 Ronin	2013
How I Live Now	2013
Gravity	2013
World War Z	2013
Redemption	2013
Jack the Giant Slayer	2013
This is The End	2013
Welcome to the Punch	2013
Skyfall	2012
Hyde Park on Hudson	2012
Dark Shadows	2012
Wrath of the Titans	2012
John Carter	2012
War Horse	2011
Hugo	2011
W.E.	2011
Harry Potter and the Deathly Hallows: Part 2	2011
X-Men: First Class	2011
Gulliver's Travels	2010
Harry Potter and the Deathly Hallows: Part 1	2010
Hereafter	2010
Inception	2010
Get Him to the Greek	2010
Tamara Drewe	2010
Alice in Wonderland	2010
Green Zone	2010
The Wolfman	2010
Sherlock Holmes	2009
Harry Potter and the Half-Blood Prince	2009
The Boat That Rocked	2009
Valkyrie	2008
Quantum of Solace	2008
The Dark Knight	2008
The Bourne Ultimatum	2007
Harry Potter and the Order of the Phoenix	2007
Blood Diamond	2006
Casino Royale	2006
The Da Vinci Code	2006
Harry Potter and the Goblet of Fire	2005
Batman Begins	2005
Harry Potter and the Prisoner of Azkaban	2004
Lara Croft Tomb Raider: The Cradle of Life	2003
Die Another Day	2002

TELEVISION CREDITATION

Television Title	Year TV Programme Released	
The Women in White	2017	
Guilt	2016	
Sense 8 (Series 2)	2015	
Los Alamos	2015	
Killing Jesus	2015	
Marco Polo	2014	
Accused	2010	
Heartbeat	2007 - 2009	
The Royal	2007 - 2009	
Britain's Worst Weather Episode 4: Snow	2007	
The World's Worst Weather	2006	
Sweet Medicine	2003	

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