

ALEX PAYNE



- 2009:** Hosts corporate hospitality events for UBS & PRA
- 2006-Present:** Presents various rugby and poker events on Sky Sports
- 2005:** Travels with Lions to NZ as touchline reporter
- 2002:** Graduates from Edinburgh University, Joins Sky Sports News
- 2001:** Joins Sky Sports News on work experience



Alex began his television career as a presenter on the 'Rugby Club' before travelling to New Zealand as the reporter on the 2005 British and Irish Lions tour. On returning to Sky he began presenting for Sky Sports News and was thrown straight into the hot seat - a challenge he relished. Since then he has become a regular face of Sky Sports' live rugby coverage including presenting coverage of England internationals, the Heineken Cup and the Tri Nations. He also presents poker for Sky Sports and Fox, including the FullTiltPoker.com Million Dollar cash game and Shane Warne's Poker Ashes .

Away from the TV cameras, Alex has hosted testimonial dinners for players including World Cup winners Jason Robinson and John Smit and conducted corporate hospitality for companies including the RPA, QBE and HSBC. Alex makes the perfect MC or host at any type of event and he will consider all media projects including, voice-over, radio and writing. Alex is a hopeless golfer and also enjoys skiing and surfing.