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Semantic Summary

Laudits was a UK-based YouTube auditing channel that epitomised the 2024–2025 pivot within the auditor scene from general public-space filming to migration-focused confrontational content. Launched in May 2024, the channel operator — described by UnHerd as "clad in designer gear and tall enough to loom above many of his interview subjects" — became a familiar figure at anti-migrant protests and outside asylum-seeker accommodation, filming confrontational interviews with asylum seekers and coverage of hotel protests. The channel was profiled in UnHerd's August 2025 investigation "The YouTubers shaping anti-migrant politics," which examined the monetisation of anti-migrant sentiment, and was later documented operating alongside fellow auditor AY Audits at migrant hotel locations. Laudits was also the victim of a physical attack by masked anti-racism protesters while walking to a migrant hotel demonstration in Southampton, an incident that circulated within the auditor community as evidence of the risks they face. The channel was subsequently terminated by YouTube, returning a 404 and suggesting a permanent ban for community guideline violations — a trajectory shared by several figures in the space whose confrontational style crossed platform boundaries. Laudits is cited alongside Yorkshire Rose and AY Audits in internal hotel industry memos warning staff about auditors targeting asylum accommodation.

|| Field | Detail | | **Platform** | YouTube | | **Category** | UK anti-migrant auditing | | **Status** | Channel terminated (404) | | **Full Name** | Unknown | | **Real Name** | Not publicly identified | | **Subscribers** | Unknown (channel terminated — estimated moderate reach) | | **Channel** | @Laudits (terminated, 404) | | **Email** | officiallaudits@gmail.com | | **Description** | "Unfiltered UK. Exposing the TRUTH. Filming & Documenting." | | **Launched** | May 2024 |

Overview

Laudits was a UK-based YouTube auditing channel that focused on filming migrant protests and interviewing asylum seekers. According to a major **UnHerd** article (August 2025) titled "The YouTubers shaping anti-migrant politics," Laudits was described as "one of many YouTubers attempting to make a career out of interviewing asylum seekers and filming migration protests."

The channel was launched in **May 2024** — "Laudits was soon hooked. In May 2024, he launched his own channel and started traveling around Britain to film the exteriors of businesses and football grounds" before pivoting to migrant content.

He was described as "clad in designer gear and tall enough to loom above many of his interview subjects," making him a familiar figure at migration protests across the UK.

The channel has since been **terminated by YouTube** (returns 404), suggesting a permanent ban for violating community guidelines.

Notable Content

- Filming outside migrant hotels and asylum seeker accommodation
- Interviewing asylum seekers in confrontational style
- Coverage of anti-migrant protests across the UK
- Auditing of businesses, football grounds, and public spaces (early content)

Controversies

Channel Termination

- The Laudits YouTube channel has been terminated (returns 404). The exact reason is unclear but likely related to hate speech or harassment policy violations.

Associaton with Other Auditors

- Appeared alongside **AY Audits** and other auditors in content filmed at migrant hotels
- Part of the ecosystem documented in the UnHerd investigation

Physical Attack (Southampton)

- **Southampton Times**: Laudits was attacked by masked "anti-racism" protesters while walking to a migrant hotel demonstration in Southampton. Footage posted online shows him being confronted and struck by a group of masked individuals.

UnHerd Profile

- Featured in the August 2025 UnHerd article "The YouTubers shaping anti-migrant politics," which examined the growing trend of content creators monetising anti-migrant sentiment.

Broader Context

- Part of a wave of auditing channels that pivoted from general public filming to migration-focused content during the 2024-2025 asylum hotel controversies
- The UnHerd article noted: "The art of the auditor is to remain just within the bounds of the law, driving your target to apoplexy by calling their bluff and refusing to stop recording. The more heated the confrontation, the more views it will get."

Social Media

- YouTube: @Laudits (terminated)
- Email: officiallaudits@gmail.com

References

- UnHerd (Aug 2025): The YouTubers shaping anti-migrant politics
- Southampton Times: Masked 'Anti-racism' Protesters Attack YouTuber Laudits walking to Southampton Migrant Hotel Demonstration

Known Associations

Auto-generated from cross-references in this archive.

- **Yorkshire Rose** — 10 mentions
- **AY Audits** — 3 mentions

Tags

- anti-immigration
- auditor
- ay-audits
- channel
- content-creator
- far-right
- laudits
- migrant-hunter
- person
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