



Rob interviewing Morgane Milin of Tebeo

Rob: I'm in the studios of Tébéo here in Brest, with Morgane Milin, a person who does everything. Tébéo isn't very well known, I'm afraid, in the Central Brittany area. Can you tell us what it is?

Morgane: It's a local TV channel in Brittany, and we broadcast in Finistère, in a bit of Cotes d'Armor, and we have Tébésud in Morbihan, which covers all of Morbihan.

Rob: And how big is it? I mean, how many people are employed here?

Morgane: We are only 15 people working here, and we broadcast 24 hours a day

Rob: Is that so? What kind of programmes do you do then? Is it about this area?

Morgane: Yes, 95% of our programmes are related towards Brittany. So we have a news broadcast every evening at 7:00pm. And then at 7:15 there is a talk show. Every Monday we talk about sports. Every Tuesday it's a bit of everything, it's a programme that can be any subject that's relevant of the actuality. On Wednesday it's cultural, we have bands over for a live performance, and we talk about culture and about theatre, cinema...

Rob: ...which is profoundly hit at the moment of course, isn't it?

Morgane: Yeah, yeah

Rob: Are you still finding things to report on?

Morgane: Yeah, of course. People are finding new ways to express themselves, and this programme is quite good for that.

Rob: You say you broadcast 24 hours, seven days a week

Morgane: Yes

Rob: Do you have programmes running all night?

Morgane: Well, we have about three hours of fresh programme every day, and then they repeat themselves. If you missed them at the first broadcasting, then you can see them again the next day.

Rob: And is there a Breton element? I mean, is the Breton language used in the shows?

Morgane: Unfortunately, not enough. But about 3% of our programmes are in Breton. I think it pretty much reflects the people working here as well. Only one person here talks Breton, so...

Rob: And the broadcast – people living in the west of Brittany can pick up Tébéo



Morgane: Well, actually on the TNT you can see it's on channel 31, but if you live anywhere in France and you have internet box, you can see it's on most of the platforms, anywhere in France.

Rob: So I've actually listened to some of your programmes by just tapping in Tébéo in the search engine, and your programmes come up. They can be picked up at any time, and presumably anywhere in the world.

Morgane: Yeah, on our website you can see it anywhere in the world. There is a direct, you can see what's on at any given moment. And there are programmes you can see on replay also, for one month.

Rob: Do you think you have a message to give about Brittany? Is it trying to say something about Brittany itself?

Morgane: Well, I think it's a good platform to see, to learn a lot about the region, because we have a lot of magazines that talk about the sea, but also the food, cultural events, sports. There is always something to watch. Depending on what you like, you'll always find something to watch, for sure.

Rob: And do you get to use your English?

Morgane: Not enough. That's a shame. But any time there is a chance for it, they call me right away.

Rob: Tell me where your English comes from, because it's perfect.

Morgane: Thank you, it's the best compliment! Well, I've travelled a bit. I lived a year in Canada, about a year in Ireland, a year on the Isle of Wight

Rob: As an au pair, perhaps?

Morgane: Yeah, au pair. I've been an au pair twice, and also a French language assistant.

Rob: And what brings you to Brest?

Morgane: Well, I'm from here. I was born near Brest, and it's my region.

Rob: And how long have you been working with Tébéo?

Morgane: For about three and a half years now.

Rob: And you do everything. You met me at the door, for one thing.

Morgane: Yeah

Rob: What else do you have to do?



Morgane: I'm like office manager, community manager. Sometimes I do voiceover for commercials, and for advertising things on our website as well. And I do the coffee

Rob: Very important

Morgane: I really like my role here because I get to work with everyone, and that's nice.

Rob: Well, I hope people can access Tébéo programmes

Morgane: Yes, I hope we'll make you want to watch Tebeo. Just go on the website, www.tebeo.bzh, and www.tebesud.bzh

Rob: And what's the difference? I didn't quite pick up the difference.

Morgane: Between Tébéo and Tébésud? It's almost the same thing, but on Tébéo we talk about Stade Brestois, and on Tébésud we don't, because it's Morbihan.

Rob: Well, Morgane Milin, thanks for giving us a quick guided tour

Morgane: Thank you.