

CURRICULUM VITAE

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PROFILE

I am a web designer specialising in user interface design, experienced with (X)HTML, CSS, JavaScript/AJAX and many design applications, who is keen to further my career in website design/development. Adept at both creative and technical work, I am able to work on my own initiative or as part of a team. I'm quick learner who is versatile in a variable work environment.

WORK EXPERIENCE

Xgames Ltd, 43-51 Wembley Hill Road, Wembley, London

Web Designer/HTML Developer

I have designed the company website, as well as improved the code of our clients' websites, improving load time and compliance with web standards. I designed user interfaces and maintained Flash based games using object-oriented ActionScript. 2007 - Present

Website Services, Mickleton, Gloucestershire

Web/Graphic Designer and IT Assistant

I created and redesigned a number of company maintained websites, making sure they comply with web standards and improved the usability using CSS and PHP. I combined 3D and Flash to create full motion banners and product movies. As well as general web maintenance and IT duties. 2006 - 2007

AlphaQuad Internet Solutions, Bidford-on-Avon, Warwickshire

General Web Assistant

I worked as part of a team responsible for a high standard of presentation of large websites for high profile clients and ensured the sites were kept up-to-date. 2005

Currys Superstore, Redditch

Warehouse Assistant, Back-up Warehouse Supervisor 2001 - 2003

INDEPENDENT EXPERIENCE

Information video for Recotherm Ltd.

I was commissioned to create a video demonstrating how one of their installed systems operate. This video now forms an integral part of Recotherm's online advertising campaign. 2005

Ongoing development of MMORPG Game

Aiding in the development of a Massively Multiplayer Online Role Playing Game, I have created graphics, web content and interactive demonstrations. 2006 - Present

QUALIFICATIONS

OCN Level 3 in Macromedia Flash MX 2004 North East Worcestershire College, Bromsgrove	2005 - 2006
OCN Level 3 in 3d Studio Max North East Worcestershire College, Bromsgrove	2005 - 2006

EDUCATION

BA in Media Production and Film Second Class Honours Upper Division Buckinghamshire New University	2002 - 2005
3 A Levels: Grades B-C in Film, Media and English North East Worcestershire College, Redditch	2000 - 2002
9 GCSEs: Grades B-E Studley High School	1993 - 1998

KEY SKILLS AND PERSONAL QUALITIES

Ability to work in a team and consideration for others: Working as a team to meet website development deadlines as a web assistant and in media projects throughout university, I have displayed the ability to be an active and highly motivated member of any team I am involved in.

Good technical knowledge and a willingness to learn: I have a great understanding of all forms of technology and am very proficient with computers. I am also a firm believer in constantly expanding my knowledge and have always had a great enthusiasm for learning new things.

Good creative skills and inspirational: I have a keen interest in all areas of art. I especially like the medium of interactive media, however, because of the versatility and virtually limitless capability of expression. I enjoy designing and creating media work and put a lot of attention into all aspects of the work I do.

ADDITIONAL SKILLS

- Experienced in programming languages (X)HTML, CSS, JavaScript, ActionScript and knowledge of PHP and MySQL. Experience in object-oriented programming.
- I.T. literate, Experience with specialist packages such as Adobe PhotoShop, Flash, Dreamweaver, Fireworks and After Effects as well as Avid Xpress and 3ds Max.
- Clean driving license

INTERESTS

- Interest in and extensive knowledge of a wide range of films.
- General computer usage, using multimedia packages and using the internet.
- Keen interest in a range of music and art.
- Playing badminton and football and keeping fit.

REFERENCES

References are available upon request.