

PERSONAL QUALITIES

- Adaptive and responsible; able to excel independently and as a team member
- Experience with socialising and interacting with staff and customers
- Reliable and dependable in meeting objectives in tight scheduling environments
- Strive for quality and applies process and discipline towards optimising performance
- Friendly and approachable
- A team-player with exceptional verbal and written communication, an asset to a team working environment
- Reliable and dependable with high personal standards and attention to detail
- Strong planning, organising and monitoring abilities; an efficient time-manager

TECHNICAL SKILLS

- Familiar with core multimedia applications including video editing, sound production, web design, 3D and 2D production and image editing manipulation.
- Comprehensive experience working with Photoshop and Illustrator to create visual aesthetic imagery
- Can present coherent layout designs for print and web in Indesign and Quark Express
- Can work confidently with 3D Studio Max, Maya, Final Cut Pro, Audacity, GarageBand, and Microsoft Office and versatile with Windows or Mac.
- Extensive understanding of X/HTML and CSS languages, typically coded by hand with assistance with Dreamweaver
- Clear understanding of programming languages in Director's Lingo and Flash's Action script
- Strong illustrating and drawing skills to visualise my concepts
- Use of SLR Canon cameras able to master the exposure, aperture and shutter speed to capture the shot wanted

EDUCATION

September 2005 - Present [BSc \(Hons\) Brunel University, Uxbridge, Middlesex](#)
Multimedia Technology Design - Year 2

September 2004 - April 2005 [BSc \(Hons\) Brunel University, Uxbridge, Middlesex](#)
Multimedia Technology Design - Year 1

September 2001 - April 2004 [A-Levels Strode's College, Egham, Surrey](#)
Art: C, Media: C, AVCE ICT: BB, GNVQ ICT: Distinction

September 1997 - June 2001 [GCSEs Sunbury Manor School, Sunbury-on-Thames](#)
10 GCSEs including: Art: B, English: C, Maths: C, Business: C

PROJECT WORK

September 2006 [Interactive Quicktime VR panorama](#)

Working in a team of 4 we are to produce an interactive Quicktime VR panorama, using a SLR Canon Camera.

- We set the camera up with a tripod, adjusted the exposure and aperture to suit the setting
- As a team we took turns to capture 24 shots of the gallery
- In the Post production we stitched the photos together using VR Worx and some Photoshop editing to correct the photos

The project was successful, however we did run into some problems with the exposure and lighting this was later corrected in Photoshop.

December 2006 - February 2007 [Marketing Campaign](#)

In my Marketing assignment and working with a partner we were to produce a website to help promote each other as a multimedia designer.

- Collaborated together to brainstorm ideas on how to promote each other as designers
- Designed banners and ads and other advertising materials to support the campaign
- Working together as a team we helped one another using CSS and Actionscript to enhance our websites

- At the end of the project we presented a presentation showcasing our websites and our marketing campaign and the strategies we incorporated in the promotion

This assignment helped me develop my team working skills, it boosted my presentation skills, allowing me to spring up strategic ideas and implement sophisticated plans to create a winning campaign.

Summer 2006 - February 2007 [Personal Portfolio Website](#)

To help promote myself as a designer I set out to design my own portfolio website.

- Using CSS to produce my website, knowing accessibility to be the key, I built a stand compliance website.
- Using my enhanced visual skills with Photoshop to design a mock-up of my website and creating ready-web graphics.

When building this website I was very conscious of making it accessible to all users, by testing it on multiple browsers and different platforms. User testing was run to help improve usability issues. This experience has helped me to further understand web design, including making websites faster loading.

WORK EXPERIENCE

June 2001 – Present [Blue Sky Chinese Restaurant, Egham, Surrey](#)

Customer Assistant

- Responsible for taking orders down, even suggesting recommendations.
- Good communication skills are required to interact with customers, including taking down telephone orders using the touch-screen computer based ordering system.
- Updated the design layout of the new 2006 menu for print

Summer 2001 [Ashford Designs & Printing Ltd](#)

Print Worker

- Handling print jobs
- Organising, photocopying and binding prints
- Paying extra detail attention to printers processing the correct output

INTEREST

I enjoy watching movies at the cinema, social gathering with friends, I also play for a football team regularly in Richmond. I like to draw and exercise my illustration skills. I am a huge fan of Anime and Manga I love the astounding tension to detail and dramatic sequential art visioned in the medium, my favourite director of all time is the founder of Studio Ghibli in Japan, Hayao Miyazaki. I like to read Manga and graphic novels in my spare time, and have a host of DVD collections on Anime.

Besides reading and watching movies I like to keep myself updated with latest trends in the design industry through reading magazines and checking out websites on the latest digital software and technology

REFERENCES

Available on request