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Summary

I am a young, up-and-coming designer bursting with enthusiasm. I have strong interests in User Experience, interaction, typography and building standards-compliant content for the web. I also possess strong developer skills to put ideas in action.

I am looking for a place to further my experience in the industry and help to create extraordinary work for clients.

Experience

Freelance

Jun 2009 - present

- Worked with a small number of clients on a per-project basis. Work included web design, development and print material.
- Clients included Dominant Contact Rugby(dominantcontact.com) and Frank Design (frankideaworks.com).

Synergy Learning

Belfast, N. Ireland

Aug 2009 - Mar 2010

- Designed and coded client themes for the Moodle elearning content management system.
- Worked with Adobe Flash to create interactive ebooks for online learning.

Extranomical Adventures

San Francisco, California

Jun 2007 - Aug 2008

- 15-month Online Marketing internship with a San Francisco tourism and sightseeing company.
- Worked extensively on Search Engine Optimisation, online advertising, UX design and customer service.
- Designed a customer service system in PHP for monitoring customer feedback.

Education

BSc. Interactive

Multimedia Design

University of Ulster

Belfast, N. Ireland

Jun 2009

- Graduated from this four year course with a First Class Honours degree, very near top of the class of 90 people.
- Picked up design skills including grids, typography and branding from some world-class teachers.

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A Levels

Ballymena Academy
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Jun 2005

- Gained three A (advanced) -levels in ICT, Media Studies and Economics during my final year at high school.

Technical Skills

- HTML
- Wordpress
- SEO
- Photoshop
- CSS
- PHP & MySQL
- Flash/ActionScript
- Illustrator

Volunteer Work

Sailing

Summer, 2008

I helped out on an old boat serving tourists in the San Francisco bay. I went every Saturday for about 3 hours lending a hand to the captain and crew by preparing the ship and looking after the safety of the guests on board.

Recognition

Two Minds Project

June 2007

I submitted a site design for a collaborative project between the Royal Society of Ulster Architects and Arts and Business called Two Minds as part of a university assignment. My design was chosen from a shortlist of 33. The site encompassed branding, forum integration and user interaction using jQuery.

References

References available upon request.