

# Jack Richardson

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A User Experience and User Interface Designer in continual employment at ClearCourse Membership Services (APT Solutions prior to their acquisition).

My main area of focus is in ensuring accessibility in apps and websites, and more generally in interface & web design. With 7 years and counting in the Web industry and a focus on Human-centred User experience design, I have a background and continued interest in Psychology and Computer Science that help inform and contextualise my skills, specifically an interest in the applications of Behavioural Theory in Visual Design.

I'm a big advocate for LGBTQIA+ & Disability representation, I believe that designing for the minority of users first improves the experience for all & I bring a perspective that doesn't consider these groups solely as an afterthought.

I'm an animal lover and when I'm not at work I'm either reading, gardening, running DnD or modding video games.

Date	Employment	Education	
2023	UI Designer @ ClearCourse (Jan 2021- Present)	Naidex Disability Conference 2023 @ Birmingham NEC	
2022		Naidex Disability Conference 2022 @ Birmingham NEC	
2021		First Aid Certification	
2020	Web Designer @ APT Solutions (Feb 2018 - Dec 2020)		
2019			
2018		User Experience Academy @ General Assembly - London Campus	
2017	Junior Developer Apprentice @ APT Solutions (Feb 2016 - Jan 2018)	Computer Science Apprenticeship @ Telford College (Feb 2016 - Jan 2018)	Full Stack Web Development Certification @ freeCodeCamp
2016			
2015		Psychology & Counselling @ University of Bradford	
2014			

## **Interpersonal Skills**

- Working within & collaborating with an Agile front end dev team.
- Interfacing with third party suppliers & external agencies.
- Participating in customer workshops and discovery exercises as subject matter expert.
- Planning and pitching meetings with customers.
- Training customers on product use in meetings & writing training manuals.
- Educating stakeholders and product owners regarding accessibility law & best practice.
- Collaborating on developing & implementing a wide range of style guides and brand visions.

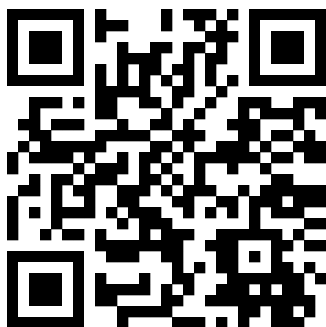
## **Product Skills**

- HTML5, CSS, Javascript.
- Vue.js.
- PHP & Laravel.
- Bootstrap & Tailwind.css.
- Knowledge of usability, accessibility, interface design.
- Conducting Accessibility audits.
- Graphic Design, product mockups, interfacing with print companies.
- Researching and adapting the latest design trends and technologies.
- Typesetting, Proofreading, Copywriting in adherence of brand tone and style guide.

## **Software Experience**

- Visual Studio Code.
- Axure, Figma, InVision.
- Software similar to Sketch.
- Adobe Creative Suite, namely Photoshop, InDesign, Illustrator & XD.
- DaVinci Resolve.
- Git & Github.
- Atlassian software: Confluence, Jira, Bitbucket, Trello.
- CMS software: Umbraco, Hawk, Engage, Shopify, Prestashop.
- Microsoft Office Suite.

**My Portfolio site**



<https://notthatgothic.github.io/>

**My LinkedIn profile**



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