

# **Credentials**2011

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## Hello. We are Beef.

We're an award winning agency specialising in ideas and solutions for all aspects of the digital playground. We can help you connect with your audience and stand out from the competition.

The digital arena offers a wealth of possibilities - we can help you figure out the why's and wherefores to find the right way to engage your audience. And we'll do it on time, on budget and be friendly and flexible at the same time.

#### What's our secret?

Thinking - we make considered and informed decisions: instinct brings ideas, insight makes them succeed

**Excellence in everything; strategy, creative, technical and management** 

We look to develop long-term, meaningful client relationships based on collaboration, trust and fun!

Structured yet flexible working methods

Big agency quality, small agency feel

#### **Some Beef facts**

Founded in 2004

**Privately owned and staying that way** 

Highly experienced team of 9

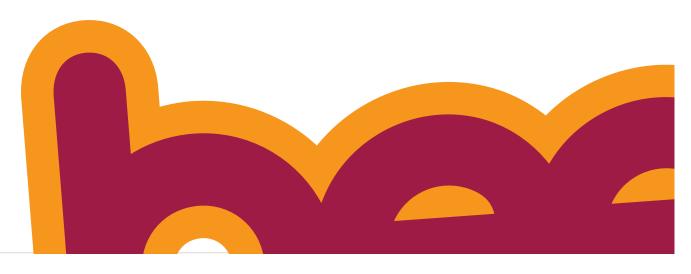
**Ambassadors for Open Source technologies and web-standards** 

Outstanding in the following disciplines;

- Strategic Thinking
- Branding
- Creative Concepting
- Visual Design
- Interaction Design
- Information Architecture
- Technical Development
- E-Commerce
- E-Communications
- Social Media Integration
- Search Engine Optimisation

# Why we believe Beef is the right choice.

We hope you agree.



# Why Beef?

We work with a wide range of clients allowing us to apply our thinking to an equally wide range of challenges. The first question we alway ask ourselves when looking at a new brief is; what is the problem we're trying to solve?

We have a proven track record of delivering projects on time and on budget with our flexible project management methodologies. We successfully complete multiple projects through the studio month on month.

We strive to find creative, functional and measurable solutions. We understand digital and how it can solve real life problems whilst meeting business and user needs - whether it be design, content, e-commerce, applications or campaigns.

The digital landscape continues to evolve faster and faster, and as a company we actively invest in developing our understanding, skills and techniques to ensure that we continue to offer our clients the very best solutions.

























## **Team Beef**

Our studio is jam packed with some of the best talent in the South West. Each core service is headed by one of our directors who collectively have over 30 years experience working in digital.

#### **Management**



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#### **Creative**



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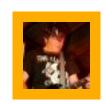


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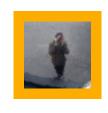
#### **Technical**



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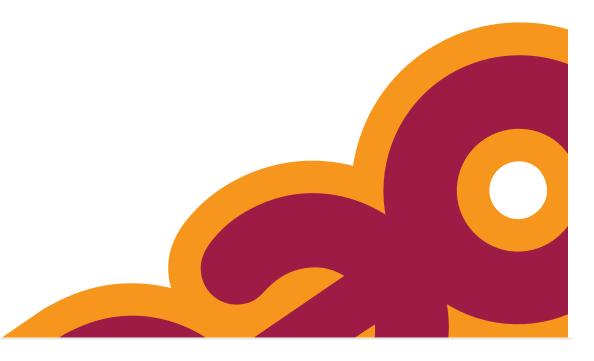
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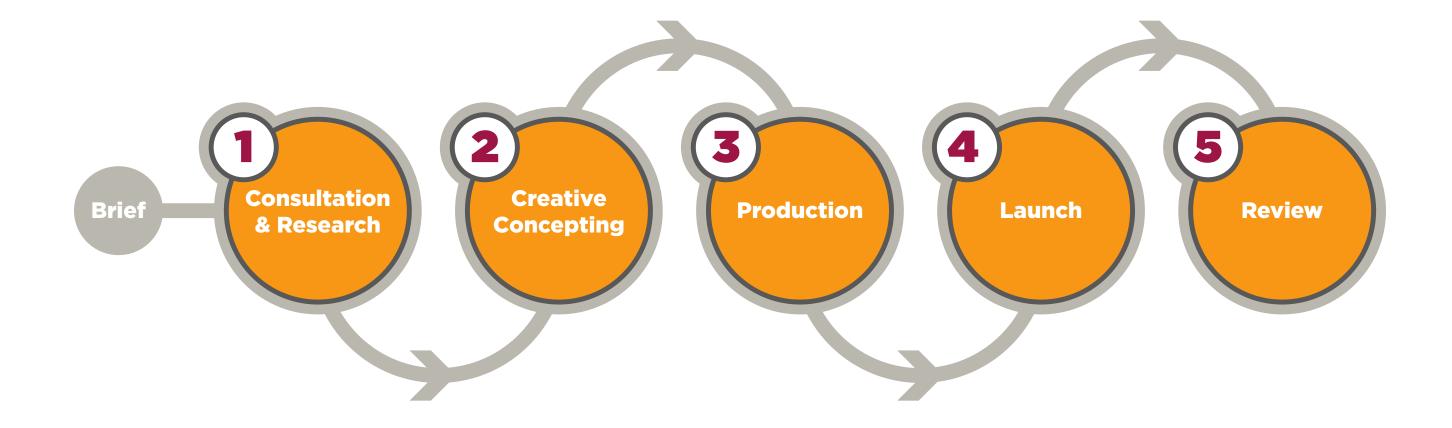
Liam Richardson
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# How we work.

No smoke, no mirrors.



## Our process



We have a structured approach to all aspects of what we do. A producer is appointed who will be responsible for the project and is the primary interface between yourselves and us.

During production key stakeholders in the separate disciplines (creative, technical etc.) will oversee the production of the deliverables and will play a key role throughout the process.

Throughout the process key milestones and meetings to ensure a collaborative and dynamic process from inception through to delivery. This is supported use of a simple online tool to track progress, gather feedback and manage change requests.

Collaboration is key to our process and within all phases of work there are opportunities for you to give feedback on what is being produced; your input is vital to a projects success and we value it highly.

# Let's look at some work.

We're pretty proud of it.



## **Case studies**

We have selected three projects that feel showcases our abilities in the disciplines relevant to your project.

If you would like to see further case studies or want to discuss our work in more detail, please don't hesitate to contact us.

Opposite we offer three referees with whom we have worked in the previous 12 months.

#### Jo Mills

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# Royal Agricultural College

www.rac.ac.uk

Winner: 'Best Corporate Website' at the 2010 CorpComms Awards.

The Royal Agricultural College is the oldest, and one of the leading agricultural universities in the country. We were appointed to deliver strategic consultation, information architecture, visual design, multi-media and a bespoke content management system.

As part of an ongoing contract we produce monthly performance reports and ongoing strategic work for the development of the site and marketing of the college.

#### **Key Activities**

- Brand Development for online
- Strategic Consultation
- Website
- Information Architecture
- Visual Design
- Technical Development
- Search Visibility
- Ongoing Support
  - Strategy
  - Content Creation
  - Technical Development

#### **Key Successes**

- 27% increase in open day bookings
- 250% increase in site traffic
- Winner: Best Corporate Website
   2010 CorpComms Awards

I feel very confident that with Beef's expertise and knowledge, we now have a professional, recruitment-led website that the web team and the College can be proud of.

Jo Mills

Head of Marketing & Development, Royal Agricultural College

#### **Key Aspects**

#### **Virtual Tour**

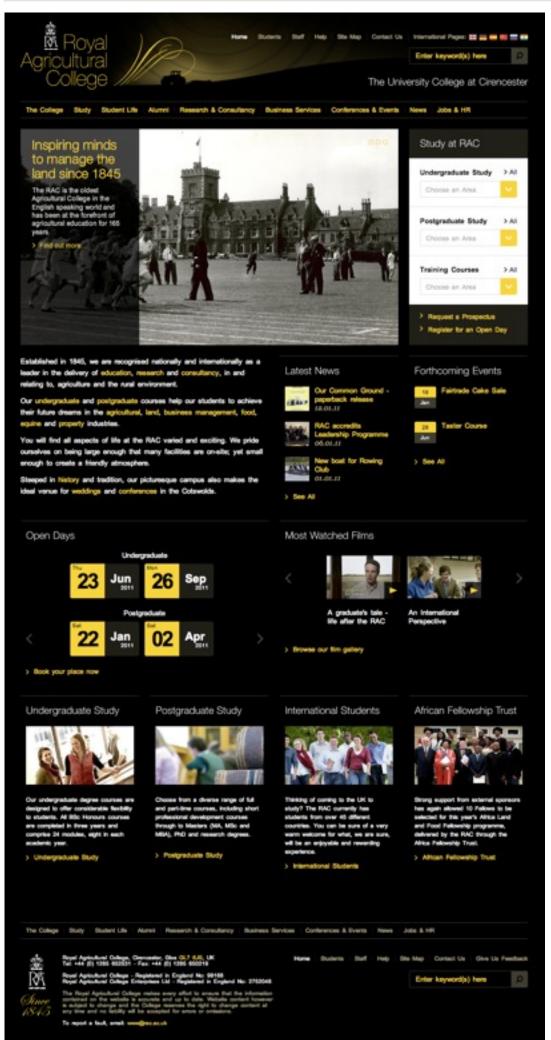
We created an interactive virtual tour of the college for which we created a 3d model of the campus. The tour has become one of the most visited sections of the site.

#### **Flexible templates**

We designed a suite of highly flexible page templates allowing the college to create dynamic layouts.

#### **Systems integration**

The system integrates seamlessly with Microsoft Sharepoint which is used by the college internally to manage network access.







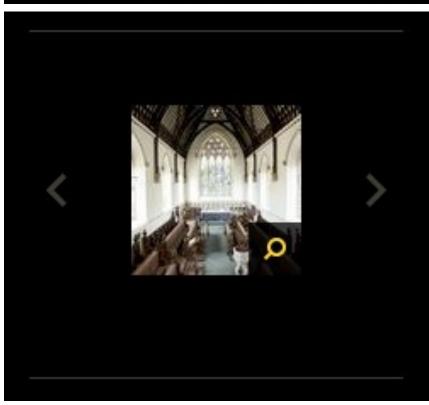


UCAS Score: 240 points or more

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UCAS Code: N200

Lecturer Contact Time: 15 - 20 hours a week (approx.)







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# Drytac

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Nominated: "Best Corporate Website" 2010 Media Innovation Awards.

Drytac are a global manufacturer and supplier of innovative products for graphic finishing from machinery through to consumables. We won a 5 way pitch to consolidate their brand and redevelop their global e-commerce solution.

We centralised the management of three distinct sites into one system that powers a multi-territory e-commerce system and continue to support Drytac with strategic advice and site maintenance.

#### **Key Activities**

- Strategic Consultation
- Brand Development
- Information Architecture
- Visual Design
- Technical Development
- Search Visibility
- Ongoing Support

#### **Key Successes**

- 6% increase in revenue in first quarter generating over \$245,000
- 97% increase in site traffic
- User feedback cited a greatly improved experience
- Nominee: Best Corporate Website
   2010 Media Innovation Awards

Beef delivered a sophisticated solution to our e-commerce challenge and feedback from across the business is that the new site is making a real difference to how we work.

Clare Mooney
Senior Sales & Marketing Executive, Drytac

#### **Key Aspects**

#### **Centralised System**

We combined 3 distinct websites into one globalfacing, centrally managed system.

#### **Multi-territory e-commerce**

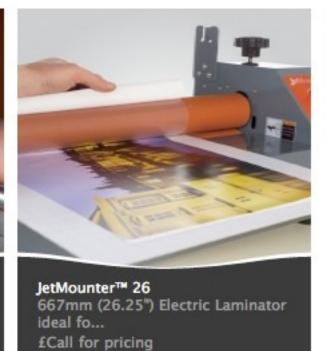
One database of over 1600 products powers e-stores across 3 territories

#### **Business Processes**

Flexible system minimises internal working impact



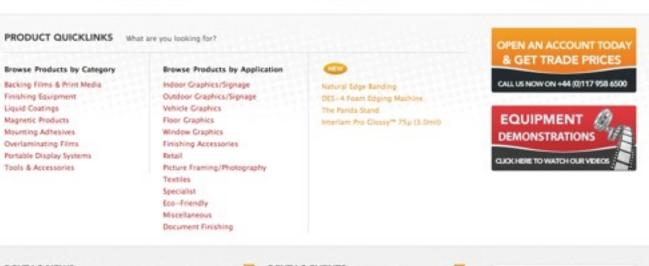






#### INTRODUCING DRYTAC

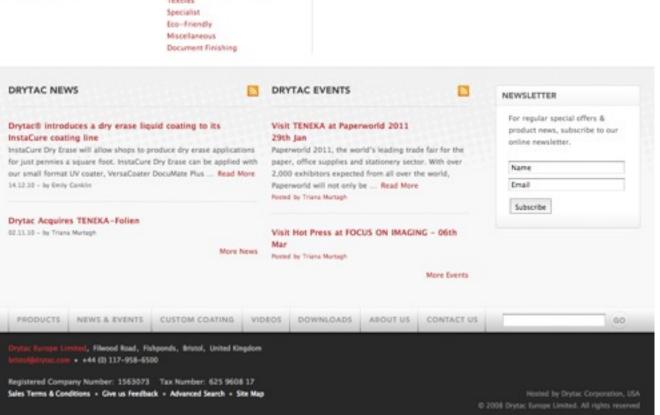
Watch this video for a brief introduction to the world of Drytac, experts in finishing solutions for the graphics finishing industry, including its staff, products and core values



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# **Good Energy**

#### www.goodenergy.co.uk

Good Energy are the UK's only dedicated supplier of 100% renewable electricity. Hot on the heels of a complete rebrand, we were tasked with translating and extending the new brand to work online.

We architectured, designed and developed a bespoke platform to give Good Energy maximum flexibility to run promotions and campaigns. We also developed key pieces of customer engagement content both online and for iPad and continue to work with Good Energy developing new campaigns and improving the site performance.

**Key Activities** 

- Website
  - Information Architecture
- Visual Design
- Content design and creation
- Technical Development
- Search Visibility
- Ongoing Support

**Key Successes** 

- 39% percent increase in customer sign ups
- 30% increase in unique visitors
- 75% increase in average page views
- Increased organic search visibility

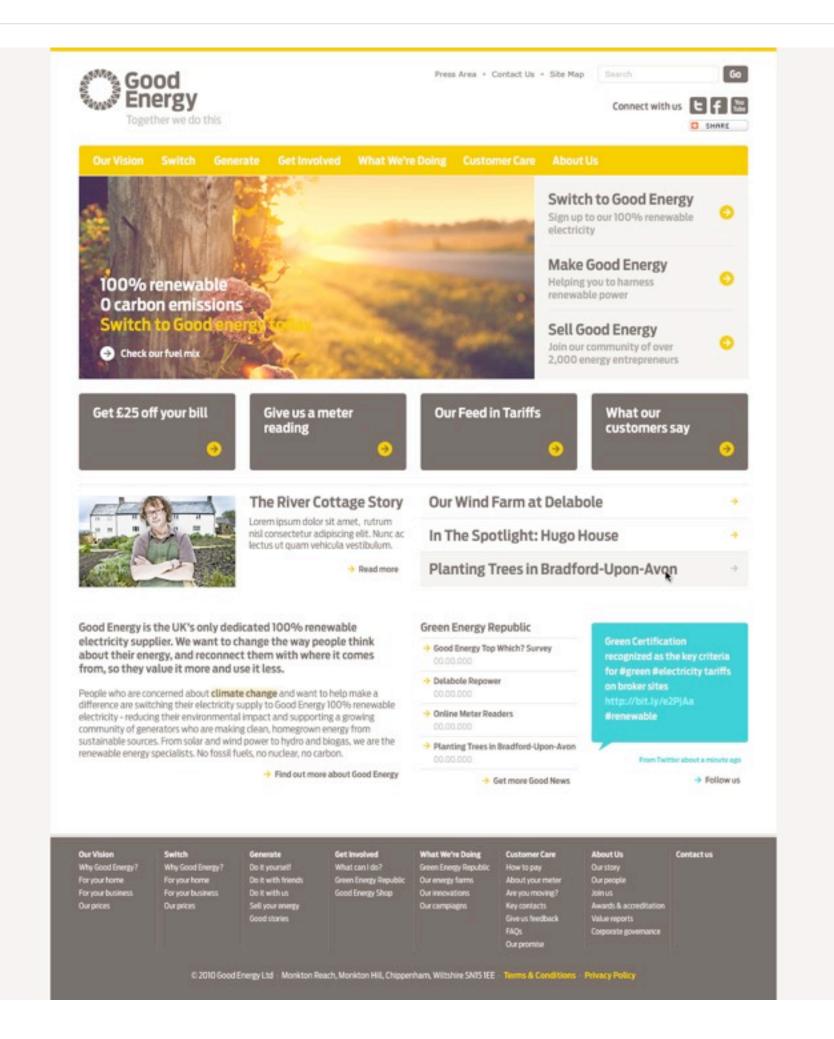
We gave Beef a complicated design and communications brief against which they delivered above our expectations

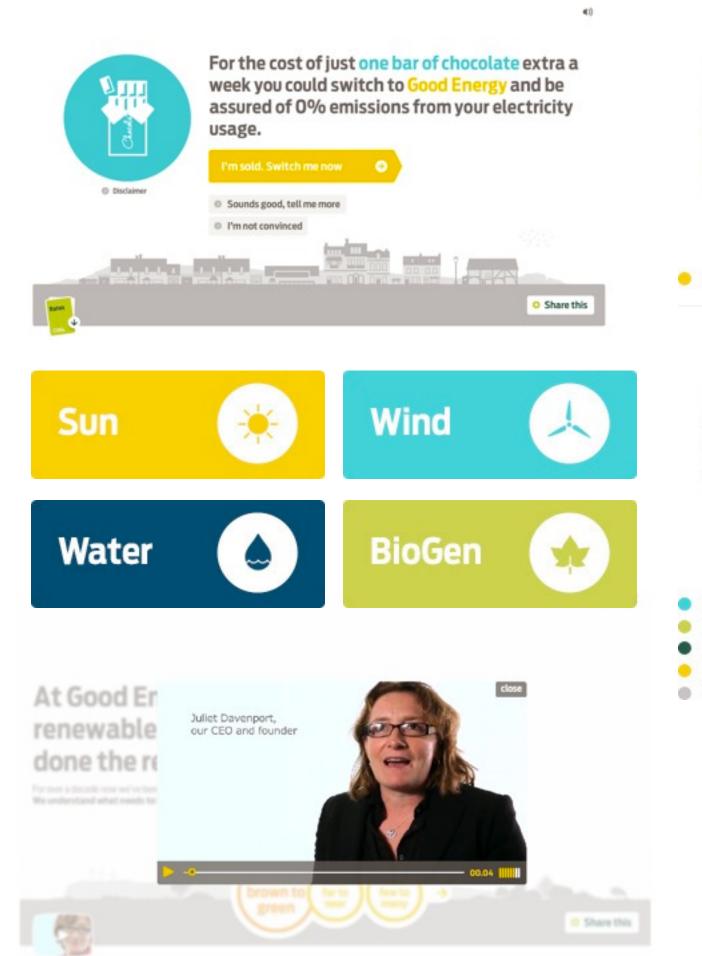
Martin Saunders
Head of Marketing, Good Energy

#### **Key Aspects**

The system is integrated with Good Energy's internal CRM tools to make managing new customer application easy and automated.

We developed a online price comparison tool which has been a runaway success and has been subsequently adapted for iPad.





# Thanks for listening.

We'd love to chat about how we could help you. Give us a buzz, drop us an email or pop in for tea n' biccies.

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