

# education

### 2014 - 2018

BA (Hons) Communication Design Gray's School of Art, Aberdeen

#### 2008-2014

Inverness Royal Academy, Inverness

### software skills

#### Proficient in:

Adobe Creative Cloud software (Photoshop, Lightroom, Illustrator, InDesign, Premiere Pro, After Effects, Audition)

Cinema4D and Blender HTML and CSS Microsoft Office Windows and Mac OS

### Working knowledge in:

Javascript Processing

## personal achievements

kunsten Arnhem February – July 2017 Secret 7" Winner - 2018 Duke of Edinburgh Award: Bronze, Silver and Gold Duke of Edinburgh Leadership Training Scouting Association Young Leader Training Full Driving Licence

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## experience

### April 2018 - Present

Animations for Aberdeenshire Council

Series of three stop motion animations to highlight what happens to recyclable materials and the larger benefits of recycling.

#### March 2018

Animations for The Locked Door, Aberdeen

Series of digital idents to introduce potential customers to escape room games and advertise the individual rooms, along with a suggested logo refresh.

### June - September 2017

Valet - Vauxhall Inverness

I had the responsibility of looking after clients, ensuring products were always ready on time and in prime condition for presentation. This improved my time management skills and made me aware of the importance in managing client relationships and expectations.

### December 2016

CD:TV Ident

As part of my third year at university, I created a sting for RGU TV. This allowed me to teach myself a new skill in the form of 3D animation.

### June 2016

Art and Design Teaching Assistant

I had the responsibility to apply my knowledge gained whilst at university to help lead younger classes in drawing techniques and colour theory, while advising the Advanced Higher students on what to expect from Art School and also help young creatives build their portfolios. I learnt the importance of passing on skills which I believe will help me in the workplace.

### July 2012 - Present

Waitor/Housekeeper – Lochardil House Hotel

Responsibilities include ensuring that guests have everything they need throughout their stay and co-ordinating and training the younger staff in the restaurant and during functions. Working at the hotel has built my confidence and improved my communication skills. I have also become accustomed to working effectively under pressure and I know the importance of being professional in stressful situations and feel this is a useful skill to bring to future employment.

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