**Mr Jack Dicken**

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**Profile**

I am a photography graduate from Southampton Solent University, I am looking for work within the creative industry to extend my talents and feed my interest in the arts, as well as to help fund my interest in creating books and images. I am a driven individual who can work well alone or as part of a group. I have a great amount of experience with creative programs such as Adobe Photoshop, Bridge, Light room, Capture One as well as my skills with large-scale printing and all the usual skills with Microsoft Office. I also have darkroom skills, and am able to process film by hand using D76 or ID11 processes or using a C41 machine, as well as RA4 colour hand printing. I am highly capable in a studio environment, and have experience with studio lighting techniques for both portraiture and still life works. I

I have gained experience in public relations and of leading a team from my part-time holiday job as a supervisor at my local pub/restaurant. This position gave me experience of cash and stock handling and I currently hold a personal licence authorising the sale of alcohol in Surrey,

**Work Experience**

**Mitchell and Butler's Rose and Thistle, Frimley Green, Surrey**

**Team Leader / Supervisor** June 2009

This job came with a lot of responsibilities which I took in my stride. whilst on duty I was in charge of site, customer and staff safety as well as cash management and, once I had obtained my Personal Licence,authorising the sale of alcohol. Other tasks that came with the job included health and safety assessments, stock management, kitchen training, banking, staff incentives as well as training new staff. This job gave me a wide range of customer relations skills from dealing with internal M&B staff at head office or any trouble caused on a friday night or simply just attending to any complaints or requests from people dining in the pub.

**Halfords, Blackwater Retail Park, Farnborough**

**Mechanic / Sales Assistant** April 2007 – June 2009

This position gave me the basis of my experience with customer relations, dealing with repairs and returns and assuring customers that they would be dealt with attentively, carefully and to their satisfaction. I also had to handle a busy schedule, making sure i completed all of the repairs and bike builds within the allotted time.

**Tesco, Sandhurst, Berkshire**

**Online Shopping Picker** September 2006 – March 2007

My first job, gave me experience with day-to-day working, with early starts and late finishes and the responsibilities of a full time job.

**Education**

M&B Surrey Heath Borough Council February 2012 – February 2012

Personal Licence

Licensing Act 2003 Pass

Southampton Solent University September 2009 – July 2012

Degree

BA Photography (Hons)

Farnborough College of Technology AQA September 2007 – July 2009

National Diploma

Photography Pass Pass Merit (3 awards)

Tomlinscote School AQA September 2004 – July 2006

9 GCSE Grades A-D

**Interests**

I play basketball whenever possible, I used to play in a league but games were saturday nights and when I started work at the pub it wasn't possible for me to have saturday nights off regularly. Now I play leisurely with my friends whenever I have time.

Whilst living in Southampton I used to photograph the local gigs for a music promotions company called Wrong Way Wrong Promotions, and in that time I also filmed a music video and did some band photo shoots for web promotion.

I also enjoy playing both acoustic and electric guitars.

**Exhibitions**

Photography and the Collection City Art Gallery, Southampton 2010

Southampton Solent Degree Show Bargate Shopping Centre 2012

Fracture Host Gallery London 2012

**References**

**Referee**

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