

JAKE A. WOOD

EXPERIENCE

UI DESIGNER / DEVELOPER

MADE BY UNFOLD | Oct 22 - Present

- Delivered projects from design to production under tight deadlines while maintaining optimal quality.
- Actively lead and gathered requirements during client meetings to produce a set of designs from low-fidelity to high-fidelity.
- Learnt new technologies such as WordPress, Twig and GSAP.
- Developed my design thinking skills when building WP sites to ensure blocks are built in a way that makes the process for clients easier to manage.
- Provided services to companies in diverse fields of work from gardening, intellectual property and self-storage.
- Put together an accessibility audit for a client's website.

FRONT-END DEVELOPER COACH

_nology, Bristol | Aug 21 - Sep 22

- Delivered live lessons to a cohort of students, ensuring the content was taught in a way that catered to all abilities.
- Designed the Figma wireframes for a number of real-world client projects. Each cohort of students worked on this over the course of four weeks and were designed with the student abilities in mind.
- Provided individual support to those that were falling behind on the course.
- Delivered several lessons to a school to encourage young learners into a career in tech.

HEALTHCARE ASSISTANT

NORTH BRISTOL NHS TRUST | Nov 18- Sep 20

Worked for two years on a complex care ward, specialising in a range of illnesses/disabilities (including dementia, Parkinson's, cancers, learning difficulties etc). I demonstrated a range of skills in the role, including:

- Ability to remain calm in order not to escalate a stressful situation further or induce more anxiety for patients/relatives involved.
- Practiced empathy, compassion and patience when trying to calm/comfort agitated or frightened patients.
- Strengthened my organisation & timekeeping skills to juggle paperwork, clinical jobs and patient's observations/needs.
- Active listening skills were essential; whether it was for comforting or to spot changes in a patients condition.
- Had to communicate effectively with patients and across a multi-disciplinary team, ensuring any sensitive information was disclosed to the correct team members.

PROFILE

A driven and conscientious individual with a strong background in team-based environments and a curiosity & willingness to learn.

Github:

<https://github.com/jakealistairwood>

Portfolio:

<https://jakealistairwood.dev>

Dribbble:

<https://dribbble.com/jakealistairwood>

SKILLS

FRONT-END

Javascript (ES6+), ReactJS, SCSS/BEM, Responsive Web Design, Semantic HTML, GSAP, Framer Motion, Twig, WordPress

FUNDAMENTALS

GIT, CI/CD, Version Control, AGILE, pair programming, Postman, REST API's, Accessibility

DESIGN

Figma, UI/UX Principles

EDUCATION

TRAINEE WEB DEVELOPER

_nology | Sep 20 - Dec 20

*BENG CIVIL ENGINEERING

UNIVERSITY OF BRISTOL | Sep 15 - Jun 16

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ACCESS TO HE DIPLOMA

CITY OF BRISTOL COLLEGE | Sep 14 - Jun 15

Maths & Physics - 30 Distinctions, 15 Merits at Level 3.

A LEVELS

PETROC COLLEGE | Sep 10 - Jun 12

Chemistry - Grade D.

GCSE'S

THE PARK COMMUNITY SCHOOL | Sep 05 - Jun 10

10 GCSE's at grade A* - C including:
Mathematics - Grade B
English Language - Grade C



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PERSONAL HIGHLIGHTS

ROUND THE WORLD TRAVEL

Mar 13 - Jun 13

- Experienced a range of different cultures which opened my mind to different ways of thinking.
- Researched the values and common courtesies of the countries prior to visiting, to ensure I wasn't being disrespectful in any way.
- Had to be intuitive and think on my feet, when I found myself in uncomfortable situations.

AIR TRAINING CORPS

Sep 06 - May 09

- Achieved the Bronze Duke of Edinburgh award.
- Reached the rank of Sergeant where I mentored new cadets by sharing the knowledge I had built up during my time in the Corps. This included giving advice and guidance, teaching drill and maintaining discipline and standards. This was a role I found hugely rewarding.

HOUSE SPORTS CAPTAIN

Sep 09 - Jun 10

- Elected House Sports Captain in my final year at school.
- Responsible for organising team lineups as well as preparing end-of-term presentations demonstrating the house's sporting performance.
- This gave me a role of leadership which required me to act as a role model to younger students.

OTHER INTERESTS

MUSIC

- Lover of all kinds of music; ranging from the 70's and 80's to ambient and the electronic music of today.
- In my spare time, I mix electronic music which is one of my primary creative outlets.

SPORTS & FITNESS

- Avid sports follower & player from a young age, which has developed a strong team work ethic.
- Played cricket for my local team for over 10 years.
- Represented my school at Cricket and Rugby.
- Was a member of the UWE Athletics society during my time there.
- Run in my spare time to keep fit and de-stress.

PERSONAL DEVELOPMENT & PSYCHOLOGY

- Read a variety of books and articles on these subjects to look at ways of how I can improve myself on a day to day basis and find insights into how the human mind works.

