

# Kevin Torrington

Designing solutions that respond to user and business needs is my biggest passion and throughout my career, I have proven myself to be an excellent problem solver and a motivated team leader.

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## EXPERIENCE

### **Electrika Ltd** — *Lead UX Designer, Project Manager*

2015 - Present

#### **OneTime** – Product Information Management Web App

Responsible for research, design and project management to design a market-leading PIM system for the manufacturing sector. I am currently leading a team of two full stack developers and two data analysts using sprints and the agile methodology to build powerful data import, management and export tools. I run the daily stand ups and weekly sprint meetings.

#### **Schneider Electric** – Estimating Software iPad and Web App

Responsible for research, design and project management to redesign the Schneider Electric's outdated estimating system. I led a team of three full stack developers on a year-long project using sprints and the agile methodology to deliver a better experience for sales engineers on both iPad and the web. I ran the daily stand ups, weekly sprint meetings and stakeholder milestone meetings.

#### **British Gas** – Site Survey iPad and Web App

Responsible for research and design of a site survey tool for British Gas engineers. The tool was designed to reduce callouts to unprofitable on-site visits by asking customers to complete a simple survey and provide supporting images to allow sales engineers to pre-qualify jobs.

#### **Electrika** – Product Search Web App

Responsible for research, design and project management to redesign an outdated web app for looking up product information for electrical estimating. I led a team of three full stack developers on a six-month project using kanban and the agile methodology to deliver a better overall experience, especially on mobile, and improved SEO. We increased website traffic by 1,233%. I ran the daily stand ups, weekly sprint meetings.

## SKILLS

Visual Design  
Design System Creation  
Interaction Design  
Card Sorting  
Wireframing  
Prototyping  
User Research  
Empathy Maps  
Information Architecture  
UX Leadership  
Team Leading  
Scrum Master  
Sprint Board Admin  
Kanban Board Admin

## TECHNOLOGIES

HTML / CSS  
Javascript  
Flexgrid  
Bootstrap  
Material Design  
Angular (basic)

## AWARDS

**Professional Diploma in UX Design** – UX Design Institute  
(In progress)

**Business Management NVQ**  
**Level 2** – JP Training

### **Unitrunk – Product Website Web App**

Responsible for research, design and project management to redesign an outdated website for one of our clients. Myself, and a full stack developer using kanban and the agile methodology, created a simple product website for Unitrunk to pull data from the OneTime API.

### **Wenso Ltd — Head of UX Design, Project Manager**

2013 - 2014

#### **Four Magazine – Content Management System Web App**

Responsible for research, design and project management of a bespoke content management system/enterprise resource planning tool for a print publishing company. I oversaw an outsourced development team based in India using the agile methodology.

### **B Lucky Casino Hire — Head of UX Design, Owner**

2009 - 2013

#### **B Lucky – Website**

Responsible for research, design and project management of a simple brochure website for online event booking for my casino themed events company. I worked closely with an outside consultant to complete the coding using the agile methodology.

#### **B Lucky – Events**

Responsible for the research, design, planning, and hosting of over 800 themed events. Event management is comparable to UX design, as you must understand the client's requirements, plan the flow of events and measure success.

### **Sonex Sound and Vision — Assistant Manager**

2007 - 2009

Responsible for assisting the manager with the running of a high street Sony Centre in Debenhams in the heart of Manchester. Ensuring a high-level customer experience was essential due to the high ticket price.

### **DE Photo — Studio Manager / Photographer**

2005 - 2007

#### **Studio**

Responsible for managing and principal photographer of a high street photography studio located in Debenhams in the heart of Manchester. Ensuring a high-level customer experience was essential due to the personal nature of visiting a photography studio.

## **TOOLS**

Adobe XD

Sketch

InVision

Prototopia

Axure RP

After Effects

Premier Pro

Illustrator

Photoshop

Confluence

JIRA

Visual Studio

GIT

## **HOBBIES**

Dungeons and Dragons

Musical Theater

Board Games

Video Games

## Event Photographer

Principal photographer at sporting events throughout the UK.

## **Olan Mills** — *Duty Studio Manager, Photographer*

2005 - 2006

Responsible for managing and principal photographer of a high street photography studio located in Debenhams in the heart of Manchester. Ensuring a high-level customer experience was essential due to the personal nature of visiting a photography studio.

## EDUCATION

## **UX Design Institute** — *Professional Diploma in UX Design*

2019 - Present

## **JP Training** — *Business Management NVQ Level 2*

2012 - 2013

## **Bedminster Down School** — *GCSE's*

1997 - 2000