

Hello.

My name is Kevin Torrington
and this is my resume

my story

It's fair to say my work history is interesting, to say the least. From an early age, I found school difficult, however, I excelled at creative tasks and computers. I was later diagnosed with dyslexia and for that reason did not continue with further education. I did, however, put my creative brain into action, first as a Photographer and then as a Company Owner.

From designing my own user experiences with my Events Company B Lucky to now designing bespoke estimating software for leading blue-chip companies such as Schneider Electric. I have always been passionate about users.

WORK EXPERIENCE

2015 - Present

ELECTRIKA

Operations Manager / UX Design

2013 - 2014

WENSO

UX Designer

2009 - 2013

B LUCKY

Founder / UX Designer

2007 - 2009

SONEX SOUND AND VISION

Assistant Manager

2006 - 2007

D.E PHOTO - STUDIO

Studio Manager / Photographer

2007 - 2005

D.E PHOTO - EVENTS

Photographer

2002 - 2006

OLAN MILLS PHOTOGRAPHY

Duty Manager / Photographer

2001 - 2002

BOOKERS CASH AND CARRY

Sales Assistant

EDUCATION

2012 - 2013

NVQ Level 2 - Business Management

JP Training

1997 - 2001

11 GCSES

Bedminster Down School

TRAINING COURSES

GDPR Compliance:

Essential Training

Freecodecamp:

Front End Libraries

Lydia.com:

design & UX certificates

Air Training Corp:

Civilian Instructor

SKILLS (in order of proficiency)

1

Requirements gathering

2

Adobe XD

3

Adobe Illustrator, Photoshop & Indesign

4

Adobe After Effects, Premiere Pro & Audition

5

JIRA (Admin / Scrum Master)

6

Protopie

7

VS Code

8

HTML / CSS / Bootstrap / Material Design

9

Javascript / Angular 4

10

Umbraco / Wordpress

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B LUCKY CASINO KNIGHTS
SCHNEIDER ELECTRIC

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GIT (needs updating)

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SOME OF MY WORK

Schneider Electric - Field Sales

Role: UX Designer / Project Manager

Overview:

Schneider Electric is one of the worlds largest electrical manufacturers with a large field sales department. We were asked by Schneider Electric to replace their outdated lotus notes quotation system as it was soon to be deprecated.

Problem:

Their existing system required field engineers to use an old Windows 7 laptop and dial in via VPN. Once connected making quotes was time-consuming not to mention inaccurate.

A lot of Schinders Electric customers are based in secure locations where the use of the internet is prohibited.

After my first meeting with around 30 sales engineers, it was clear the current process was to slow and stopped them from even attempting to quote for some jobs.

Research:

After reviewing their technical requirements and meeting with relevant stakeholders, it was clear that an offline iPad app supported by a web app was the way to go.

The tool would require integration with existing systems such as SAP, job management systems and a secure single sign-on system.

Insights:

The majority of the sales engineers would not consider themselves good with computers however the admin team are. When I came to consider personas I kept this in mind focusing on ease of use vs the ability for admins to take control of a complex internal process.

Prototypes:

I first started with a paper-based wireframe to test out ideas with my team internally, I then converted these rough designs into a greyscale digital design for our client to see my thinking before adding details, colour and clear user journeys based on my defined personas via Adobe XD.

I then ran multiple workshops onsite with the sales engineers and other stakeholders within Schneider Electric.

Adobe XD allowed me to connect 30 iPads to my PC to show progress and allow the sales engineers to touch and feel the app.

Develop:

I then worked with the dev team to organise milestones, define tasks and sprints to bring this app to life.