Matthew Griffiths

Designer & Front End Developer



Profile

Accomplished creative professional with a proven track record of producing successful, result-driven solutions across print and digital media.

Relevant Experience

Designer & Front End Developer | griffital DESIGN

May 2017 - Current (self-employed)

Key achievements

- Established and continually grow a successful freelance business that delivers creative expertise, technical proficiency and project management.
- Extensive portfolio of global clients including industry startups, market leading businesses and household name brands.
- Spearheaded the launch of multiple startups with a key focus on their brand identity and promotional assets to ensure profitability and growth.
- Overseeing and working within assigned budgets with a 'under-promise, over-deliver' approach to all work.
- Ability to offer design, development and project management services.
- 100% project completion with over 85% client retention year-on-year.

Design & Production Manager | Rork Media, London

Freelance project

- Designed a complete brand package for a startup publisher that helped them grow into the now industry leading brand with a global audience.
- Responsible for business critical project management and client liaison.
- Manage all print and digital assets, plus annual events/shows.
- Praised by client as 'a key figure in the continued growth of our business'.

Web Designer | Sheppy's Cider, Taunton

Freelance Project

- Designed an e-commerce store and developed an interactive prototype to showcase to the client the user experience.
- Successfully re-designed their website homepage and subsequent additional pages with a complete branding overhaul from a limited brief.
- Worked closely with the CEO and business development manager to ensure expectation was managed within the assigned budget.

Designer & Front End Developer | Unit Stack, London

Freelance Project

- Designed a complete brand package for startup software agency.
- Developed and deployed their new website.
- Assisted marketing team with social media strategy and promotions.

Previous Employment

Magazine Designer | Archant Life, Cheltenham
Senior Designer | Archant Life, Cheltenham
Designer | Archant Specialist, Essex
Junior Designer | Archant Specialist, Essex

Feb 2011 – Mar 2017 Sep 2009 – Feb 2011 Jun 2006 – Sep 2009 Oct 2005 – Jun 2006

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Design & Coding

- HTML, CSS (Sass)
- JavaScript
- Visual Studio Code
- Version control (Git)
- Package managers (npm, Homebrew)
- Command Line
- Responsive UI/UX design
- Adobe Creative Suite
- Figma

Project Management

- Slack
- Discord
- Trello

Certifications

 Front-End Engineer (Codecademy, 2023)

Personal Skills

- Strong communication
- Excellent interdepartmental coordination
- Project management
- Timekeeping
- Problem solving
- Reliable & self-motivated
- Strong team player
- Willingness to learn new trends
 & languages
- Successful reputation

Number Stats

17 Years industry experience

06 Years freelancing

215 Completed projects

08 Sectors worked in