

Matthew Judd

Web development and content management

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An experienced web developer with a core background of content manager and publishing, and a career history that extends to web, print, and TV at leading companies in London, Melbourne, and Wellington.

At home with both online and print publishing, having produced high-quality content in fast-paced, deadline-driven environments.

Flagship work includes:

- developing and producing server-based HTML/CSS/JS/PHP templates for generating personalised data-responsive videos;
- web campaign project management: building and managing EDMs, responsive campaign landing pages, analytics, and client expectations;
- website CMS and governance;
- designing and producing a database for TheLancet.com scheduling management;
- repurposing content into eBook packages for Amazon, iBooks, and Kobo;
- migrating a library of *Lancet* online content into a new global CMS.

Recognised among colleagues for initiative, approachability, and "getting it done".

Skills

A largely self-taught content manager, I am proficient in HTML, CSS, JavaScript, jQuery, Ajax, and PHP. I also have experience working with JS frameworks, like Bootstrap, NodeJS, and React.

I can manage Git repositories, AWS services, APIs, and databases.

An Adobe Create Suite, Google, and Microsoft Office professional, I am considered advanced in most digital management software.

I have worked within many large-scale international content management systems, each of which were custom built for the company concerned.

Project management philosophies: practising Agile, trained in PRINCE-2.

Experience

Data Creative/Visual Domain - Web developer and campaign manager SEPT 2015 - PRESENT, MELBOURNE

At a startup company-with-ambition, this has been a hands-on technical role that has tested my comfort-zone with advanced coding and web-based deliverables.

This year, I have stepped up to a leadership role with day-to-day management of simultaneous campaigns bringing together quality content, scheduling, internal and external stakeholders.

I continue to be the lead developer for building the company's data-responsive video templates using HTML, CSS, JavaScript, and PHP.

Additional functions

- Designing, UX, and building responsive campaign landing pages and online forms/dashboards;
- Managing Amazon Web Services (AWS) - EC2, S3, and SQS services;
- Git project management;
- Building and managing EDM sends;
- Production services using Adobe Creative Suite tools.

TheLancet.com @ Elsevier Ltd - Digital content and project manager,
Global E-Operations department

JAN 2014 - JULY 2015, LONDON, UK

Digital content management, development and campaigns on TheLancet.com, driving content through Elsevier's global CMS.

Working with 80+ internal and external stakeholders (editorial, production, marketing, technical, international), providing support, and resolving issues.

TheLancet.com presents original academic research across many independent *Lancet* journals, hundreds of themed medical research series and editorial campaigns, while interlinking content with complementary multimedia. A world-leading medical research publisher, *The Lancet's* content is deadline-driven, frequently time-sensitive, and follows strict international embargo rules.

Projects

- Scheduling database: proposed, designed, produced. A web-based database with secure login, global access, data submission management, reporting features. An agile project.
- Integration and redesign of established workflows (internal and external) into Elsevier's Production Tracking System (PTS). Significant compatibility issues, cross-department stakeholders.

Additional roles

- **Local Application Manager:** Designated Lancet expert on PTS and associated databases. A company role, part of an international collective of LAMs that meet regularly, occasionally in Amsterdam.
- **Staff management:** supervision, training, workload allocation, support of contract staff.
- **Lancet staff representative:** on the Elsevier UK Staff Council (3+ years)

Regular responsibilities

- Multi-platform content management for web, primarily via [Literatum](#) — a customised global CMS, like Umbraco or Squiz Matrix..
- Scheduling, quality control, and communication across editorial, marketing, PR, and production departments.
- Suppliers: close relationship with external suppliers in Chennai, India, and California, USA.
- International stakeholders: regular logistics collaboration with Elsevier colleagues in Amsterdam, St Louis, New York, Oxford.
- Creative design. eg, a social-media-friendly infographic hub.
- Cross-browser and device testing; A/B testing.
- Supporting the Marketing team's EDM campaigns.

The Lancet journals @ Elsevier Ltd - Senior Production Editor, eBook producer

OCT 2010 - DEC 2013, LONDON, UK

Seven independent Lancet titles, primarily responsible for the weekly flagship journal: *The Lancet*. Working in a networked Adobe Creative Suite production environment, I managed content and produced page composition to daily, weekly, and monthly deadlines for web and print delivery.

- Designed, produced, and published The Lancet's first eBook titles: released on Amazon's (Kindle) and Apple's (iBooks) global stores, leading to 15000+ downloads worldwide in first 9 months
- Administrator, Lancet Global Health blog page
- Participating in UAT for The Lancet iPad app

SAGE Publications - Production Editor

APRIL 2008 - OCT 2010, LONDON, UK

Coordinating production of internationally distributed engineering journals, from editorial acceptance through to publication online and in print.

VisitBritain Publishing - Media administration

2007 - 2008, LONDON, UK

A 'jack-of-all-trades' in media administration: managing CMS, contributing to PR, research, XML/HTML editing, distribution, eCommerce databases, and marketing of 15 VisitBritain titles and three VisitBritain websites.

New Media Age, Centaur Communications - Researcher

2007, LONDON, UK

New Media Age was a weekly B2B publication, releasing highly regarded annual *Top 100 Guide to Interactive Agencies*. I collated information on 250+ UK-based new media agencies, leading to researching, writing and/or editing 100+ profiles.

Education

RMIT - BA (Media) — literature and media production

1999 - 2004, CITY CAMPUS, MELBOURNE

Awards

(2010) Young Publisher Grant recipient from the Society for Scholarly Publishing to attend their annual conference in San Francisco, June 2010.

(2002) Tony Staley Award for best Australian community program (2002). Assistant Producer/Editor/Floor Manager, *Dawn's Crack*, Saturday morning variety TV, Channel 31, Melbourne.

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