

CLAUD PLAATJES

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Curriculum Vitae

Profile

My name is Claud Plaatjies, a passionate Web designer from Cape Town. I am 27 years old, & have been building websites for over 6 years.

My love for design, art & computers made me pursue a career in web design & led me to graduate from Cape Peninsula University of Technology (CPUT) with a national diploma in Multimedia.

I am a dedicated web designer with the suitable skills to competently complete any web design project I undertake.

Personal Information

Age: 27 years

Address: 41 Barracuda street, The Hague, Delft, 7100

Citizenship: South African

Status: Single

Dependents: One

Health: Excellent

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Educational Qualifications

2005: National Diploma in Multimedia - Cape Peninsula University of Technology

2002: Matric- Eerste River High

Employment History

2012: Employed at Brand Inc – as a web/graphic designer

- Creating web layouts, e-mailers and web banners using Photoshop/Illustrator/Flash
- Developing websites & e-mailers using XHTML/HTML, CSS & JQuery
- Designing various branding & print collateral for print campaigns using Photoshop/Illustrator/In-Design
- Using PHP for basic back-end functionality for web projects
- Working on animation & video projects using Flash/Sony Vegas/Sound Forge

2006: Employed at Spaceacre – as a web/graphic designer

- Creating web layouts & other GUI's using Photoshop
- Developing websites using XHTML/HTML, CSS & JQuery
- Building websites on a content management system
- Creating & running advertising campaigns on Cape Business News website & various other websites
- Maintaining & updating current CMS websites
- Designing, developing & maintaining Cape Business News & Gauteng Business News website
- Running assorted newsletter & promotional mail campaigns
- Building modules for content management system using PHP. (Fiddled with existing PHP code)
- Completing various print projects

2005: Employed at Redshift – doing search engine optimization

- Building mini-sites for a network
- Writing SEO optimized articles for mini-sites
- Creating blogs
- Keyword research & optimization
- Reciprocal linking

Proficient in/Technical skills

Creating valid XHTML/HTML markup for web & e-mail
Creating web layouts & optimizing graphics for web using Adobe Photoshop, Illustrator & Fireworks
Creating full flash websites, stand-alone presentations & animations using Adobe Flash
Creating & manipulating graphics using Adobe Photoshop
Formatting web content & creating web layouts using CSS & JQuery
Creating & running email campaigns using Mailgate
Creating artwork for print using Illustrator & In-Design.

General Skills

Adapting & functioning well in a group
Time management skills
Project management skills
Enthusiastic about learning new skills related to my field

Interests & Hobbies

Photography
Cray fishing
All kinds of Art
Graffiti (only on paper, never done a wall before)

References

Professional reference

Mr. Wayne Shonfeld

CEO

Spaceacre

Tel: 021 423 6882

Professional reference

Mr. Damon Freeman

Creative Director

Brand Inc

Tel: 021 418 3603

Character Reference

Mr. Wendal Koopman

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