# PAIGE BOYD

## **DIGITAL DESIGNER**

## DETAILS

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# SKILLS

Illustrator **After Effects** Sketch InDesign Adobe XD Prototyping Wireframing **UI & UX Design** HTML5 & CSS3 Responsive Design Illustration

# INTERESTS

**UI** Design **Visual Design Front-end Coding** Illustration **UX** Design **Immersive Tech Motion Design & Animation** 

## EXTRAS

**Deloitte Digital Experience Award, 3rd** Place - June 2018: Awarded for my major project completed during the final year of my degree.

**EDGE Award - June 2018:** Supported by UU and PwC to recognise extra-curricular activities that aid employability.

**Dean's List - 2014-2016** (Year 1 & 2) Dean's List of **Outstanding Students.** 

Articles published in Medium publications: Prototypr and ARVR **Journey** 

## REFERENCE

**Paul McCormack Course Director** 

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## PROFILE

I am a self motivated, enthusiastic Interaction Design graduate from Ulster University. I am passionate about UI/UX, illustration, immersive tech and accessibility in design having spent my final year focusing on visualising how AR could improve communication between the Deaf and Hearing communities.

## EDUCATION

#### **BDes (Hons) Interaction Design with First Class Honours**

September 2016 - June 2018 (Years 3 & 4)

Ulster University, Belfast School of Art

Classification: First Class Honours with Diploma in Professional Practice with Commendation.

Award Won: Deloitte Digital Experience Award - 3rd place to acknowledge outstanding skill and creative thinking in Interaction Design.

#### **BSc (Hons) Interactive Multimedia Design**

September 2014 - June 2016 (Years 1 & 2)

Ulster University, Jordanstown Campus

Year 1 Average: 1st & Dean's List recipient. Year 2 Average: 1st & Dean's List recipient.

#### **GCSEs & A-Levels**

September 2010 - June 2014

St. Michael's Grammar School, Lurgan

GCSE: 8 GCSEs A\* - C including English (A), Maths (B) & ICT (A\*) A-Levels: Applied ICT (A), Religion (B), Design & Technology (B)

## EXPERIENCE

#### Freelance Digital Designer

August 2015 - Present

Paige Boyd Designs Ltd

I currently work as a freelance digital designer. In August 2018 I took my freelancing journey a step further by establishing my own company. I work with companies and start-ups both remotely and in the Belfast area to assist them with UI/UX design, illustration and digital design projects for mobile and the web. Clients include: TapSOS, Funds-Axis, Danske Bank

#### Web & Multimedia Content Designer

September 2016 - June 2017

Faculty of Art, Design & the Built Environment

Ulster University, Belfast School of Art

A 10 month placement taken on for Year 3 of my Interaction Design degree. My role involved helping the School of ADBE create and maintain a consistent web presence in line with the other faculties as it went through a rebranding. As the only designer in the Faculty, I designed web and print content for events within the school. Throughout the year I also worked with the CMS and code including HTML, CSS and JS.

## **Junior Web Designer**

January 2013

31 Interactive, Belfast

During my A-Levels I undertook a week long work placement where I shadowed web designers and developers. During this time I created promotional material for a local photography business, with my designs being featured on their website and social media, as well as on billboards, leaflets and in-store advertisements.