# Curriculum Vitae

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### Work Experience

#### REHAB

Senior UX Designer (Contractor)
01/2019 - Present

Running workshops, research and strategy, prototyping and testing in order to define products. Worked on web apps, Đ-apps, chatbots and voice actions/skills. Clients include Google, Facebook, Nike and HSBC.

#### SHEFFIELD HALLAM UNIVERSITY

Associate Lecturer 10/2018 – Present Working with Level 6 Graphic Design students. Conducting assessment of both written and practical work. Running briefs and workshops around service, product, UX and UI design.

#### FREELANCE

Designer → Front-end Developer 06/2014 – Present In parallel with contracted/employed work. Projects include front-end development, branding, UX & UI design, and publications. Notable clients include the NHS, Comic Relief and Barefoot Books.

#### Tengio

Designer → Android Developer (Contractor) 10/2018 – 01/2019 UX workshops, prototyping and testing, and UI design for the hybrid mental health app AeBeZe and Artocene, an art therapy app. Worked on the Gumtree Android app, implementing user profiles, analytics and espresso tests.

#### Амрніо

Lead Designer & Front-end Developer 09/2016 − 07/2018 Led design sprints with external clients like the Institute of Physics. These design thinking sessions including stakeholder interviews, sketching ideas, storyboarding, rapid prototyping and user testing to verify ideas and drive both design and business decisions.

UX and UI design for iOS, Android, hybrid & web apps ranging from services for the Institute of Physics, tools for G. Henle Verlag and games for Fondation Louis Vuitton. The process included creating user-flows, high-fidelity prototyping, usability tests and, creating and maintaining design systems.

Responsible for front-end development on web and iOS. Experienced working in Agile/Scrum methodology and using Git for version control.

Experienced in articulating problems and explaining solutions to both the internal team, clients and other stakeholders. As the sole designer I was also responsible for hiring and managing freelance designers when necessary.

## Touchpress

*Designer* 11/2015 – 09/2016 Re-designed several iOS apps for Android working with an external development agency. UI design for several iOS and Apple TV product updates. Led the re-branding work from Touchpress to Amphio when we sold our back catalogue and transitioned to an agency model.

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**TOUCHPRESS** *Junior Designer*10/2014 - 11/2015

UX & UI design for iOS apps with partners such as the Juilliard School, the Philharmonic Orchestra and Faber & Faber. Also responsible for localisation and asset production as well as designing marketing materials and microsites.

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Design Intern

03/2014 - 09/2014

A series of placements in which I worked on a responsive campaign site for Sony & Fifa's World Cup mobile application, worked on pitches for Yamaha and designed & implemented email campaigns.

#### Education

SHEFFIELD HALLAM UNIVERSITY

BA(Hons) Graphic Design 08/2011—06/2014 FIRST CLASS HONOURS

University of the Creative Arts

Foundation Degree in Art → Design 09/2010—06/2011

DISTINCTION

OAKWOOD PARK GRAMMAR SCHOOL

Secondary School 09/2003—07/2010 **A LEVEL** 2 A's, 1 C **GCSE** 2 A\*'s, 12 A's

### Skills & Hobbies

CODING HTML, CSS & Javascript (inc. React), Clojure/ClojureScript, Swift,

Objective-C, Java, Dialogflow and Bash.

**PROTOTYPING SOFTWARE** Proto.io, Invision, Adobe XD, Botsociety, Voiceflow and aframe.js (VR).

Design software Sketch, Invision Studio, Zeplin, Adobe CC Suite including;

Photoshop, Illustrator, InDesign, After Effects, Premiere,

Media Encoder and Audition.

Other software Xcode, Unity, Omnigraffle, Draw.io, Terminal, Git, Apple iWork suite,

Google Cloud suite, Microsoft Office suite.

# References