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Profile:

I am fluent in the Adobe Creative Suite, currently working on CS5.5, on both Mac and Windows. I am experienced in both web and print design having studied an ABC National Diploma in graphic design at the London College of Communication. I am fluent in HTML and CSS and have a good working knowledge of PHP, MYSQL, JQUERY and Ajax.

I strive for success, and am always up for a challenge. I enjoy working in a team as well as independently. I love to experience new things, meeting new people and am very passionate about web developing. I always aim to keep my work to a high standard and test my sites on W3C’s validator to ensure that it stays at the forefront of a universally recognised standard.

Key Attributes:

I am fluent in the following programs/software:

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| Photoshop | Illustrator | InDesign | Dreamweaver |
| Flash | Campaign Monitor | Formstack | Eventsforce |
| CEVENT | Wordpress | Concrete5 | Tumblr |
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I am able to code in the following languages:

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| HTML | HTML5 | CSS | CSS3 |
| PHP | MYSQL | JQUERY | AJAX |

Front-end web developer

From January 2011 to August 2012 I was employed at a leading events and communication agency in London, where we achieved numerous amounts of awards every year with high-end clients, which includes the likes of Vodafone, RIM, Canon and many more. I was in charge of designing and coding microsites and HTML emails as well as rebranding the company website. This involved recoding the site to run on a content management system. My role also included creating wireframes and templates, whilst using the latest web technologies. I also worked on a number of print collateral with the senior designer.

Web and Print Design

I completed a six week internship where I worked directly with the senior designer. Within the first week I was given my own projects that I had to see through to final production, which included web design and designs for a number of CNN programs including ‘My City My Life’. This furthered my ability to meet tight deadlines, interact with the project managers and be an excellent team player as well as working on my own.

**Career History**

Currently **Cloud Sherpas**

January 2013 **Rani Mirza**

I was asked to redesign and develop Rani's beauty salons site, which was 15 years dated. I was asked to design a clean, easy to use site that displayed a large amount of content, without looking crowded.

It has a responsive design layout, that automatically hides/displays content depending on the screen size.

http://www.ranimirza.co.uk

Skills used:

HTML / HTML5

CSS / CSS3

Jquery

PHP

Photoshop

November 2012 **Union Ventures**

I was asked to design and develop Bobby's private investment and advisory site. Bobby asked for a clean, minimalistic site that got the message across quickly and effectively.

http://www.unionven.com

Skills used:

HTML

CSS

Jquery

PHP

Photoshop

October 2012 **TMP Worldwide**

This was a contract role based on Tottenham Court Rad, for an initial 2 day period, which was then extended to four days. I was tasked to design flash and image banners, working to brand guidelines, as well as coding a number of HTML emails and landing pages.

Skills used:

HTML

In-line CSS

Photoshop

Flash

January 2011 **AddingValue**

- August 2012 I was employed full time and responsible for the design and coding of numerous microsites, emails, forms and templates. I was in charge of setting up hosting, both shared and dedicated, purchase of domain names and liaising with our freelance developers, for both websites and apps. As well as web based solutions I was also involved on all on site collateral which includes menus, flyers, banners, place cards and many other bespoke items.

At times I had to work to strict guidelines, ensuring that the sites were cross-browser compatible and kept to the look and feel of our large blue chip clients, which include Vodafone, Canon, BT, LeasePlan, Peugeot and many more.

As well as designing and coding microsites and emails, I also designed apps for iPads for an event management app that was built by AddingValue’s external app development team.

http://www.addingvalue.com

Skills used:

HTML

CSS / CSS3

PHP / MYSQL

JQuery

Photoshop / Illustrator / InDesign / Flash

May 2010 - **3D Telecom**

November 2010 I was employed full time as the lead graphic and web designer; focusing on design aspects and preparing artwork for the web developers. My duty also involved coding the HTML and CSS style sheets for the web developers to carry throughout the site.

Skills used:

HTML

CSS

JQuery

Photoshop / Illustrator / InDesign

March 2010 - **Little Green Earthlets**

April 2010 Part-time work (2 days a week), where I was in charge of site

maintenance, HTML e-mails, and web graphics.

Skills used:

HTML

CSS

.NET platform

Photoshop

August 2009 - **Great Minds United**

September 2009 Volunteer work where I designed logos for a company that

focused on rebranding and using the latest technologies and

techniques to advertise starting and existing companies

August 2009 - **Innersound**

September 2009 An internship where I designed an online flash banner

to help promote their new website

May 2009 - **MyVinci.net**

August 2009 An internship where I designed online posters, leaflets and

business cards to help promote a new site built for artists,

illustrators, actors, models and designers.

I also created an e-mail database for promotion purposes

February 2009 - **The London Brigade**

May 2009 Volunteer work where I re-designed their leaflets to make

them more appealing to children and young teenagers

July 2008 onwards **CNN**

Freelance work working on a number of their programs

July 2008 **CNN**

August 2008 This was an internship where I worked alongside a web designer to gain experience in the web design industry

Skills used:

Posters for feature shows

DVD covers

Web site banners

Editing images

Designing mood boards and story boards

Accreditations:

2006 – 2007 ABC National Diploma in Graphic Design

1999 – 2006 LASWAP

2 GCE A Levels: English Literature [D], Graphic Design [D]

William Ellis Secondary School

8 GCSEs: English Literature [B], English Language [C],

Maths [B], Science [B,B], ICT [B],

Graphic Design [B], Geography [C]