Will Foster

Curriculum Vitae

Work

UX / UI Designer

Midsummer Energy, 2022 - 2025

Software design, focused primarily on two system design products, 'Easy PV' and 'Heatpunk'. Building design structures, systems and practices from the ground up in a company which had never previously had a design team.

Initially working closely with an experienced designer and engineering team to help create aesthetic, functional and usable designs for a less digitally literate user base.

Later taking charge of all product design within the company, working closely with the MD on SAAS sites, shop sites, design systems and branding.

Graduate Scheme

Midsummer Energy, 2022

Working in various roles throughout a multi-national, fast growing company, gaining an in-depth understanding of how each department within a company works together to function successfully.

During this time, I worked across several roles, including sales, operations, technical assistance for solar systems, heat pumps, and off-grid systems, and often was called to assist with marketing.

Design Engineer

Pioneer Pump, 2020 - 2021

Designing, engineering, and building pumpsets for floods, mines, and quarries. Overseeing and executing a design project to convert half the existing EMEA fleet from fossil fuel to electric-powered, whilst converting the existing canopies to be stackable. Updating datasheets, guides, and visuals with modern, coherent designs.

Other work Experience

2016-2020

Various roles including architectural work experience, work as a decorator, lifeguard and bar staff at several bars, giving me a greater understanding of professional practices, work within a team and dealing with difficulties and issues in a fast-paced environment.

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Education

1st with honours

Product design and Technology (Bsc) Loughborough University

3 A-levels of AAB

Mathematics, Product design and Economics

12 GCSE's A* - C

Software Experience

Design

Figma



Indesign



Illustrator



I also have experience in Photoshop, Webflow, Adobe XD, Premier Pro, After Effects, Adobe Firefly, among others.

Engineering

HTML



CSS



Javascript



I also have experience with **Jira, C** and programming hardware.

3D Design

Solidworks



Keyshot



Blender



I also have experience **Alias Speedform**, **Sketch Up** and **Visualise**, among others.