

Summary of Key Skills and Experience:

- 5 years experience in a digital marketing agency near London. Employed as the in-house Multimedia Developer.
- 3 years retail and sales experience. Employed as sales assistant at John Lewis Ltd.
- 2 seasons experience running a ski chalet in France as chef and host, catering for guests.
- Took a 1 year sabbatical in New Zealand, gained experience in a multitude of jobs from dairy farm assistant, barman assistant, factory worker, vineyard labourer, and numerous work-exchanges for accommodation on several farms.
- Full UK driving license held for 12 years.

Qualifications:

- BA Honors Degree Graphic Design Visual Communication (2:2) - graduated July 2007
- HND Multimedia - 2:1 Merit grade - graduated May 2006
- 3 A-Levels - Art, English and Business Studies
- 10 GCSE's - English, Maths, Science x 2, Art, Geography, French, Business Studies, RE, DST Food.
- Level 1 First Aid Certification.
- Level 2 Food Hygiene Certification.

Employment History:

2005 - 2015 - freelance web-designer, animator, and writer. Self-published novel 'Lunaria' in 2014.

2013 - 2015 in France - Chalet Host in Meribel and Chalet Host Assistant in La Plagne, for Skiworld Ltd.

2013 in New Zealand - Various jobs - bar assistant in Queenstown, dairy farm assistant, factory worker, contract labour work at a vineyard, and volunteer on several farms under the WWOOFing scheme.

2008 - 2013 - Employed at Enigma Marketing Ltd, near London for 5 years. Hired as HTML web designer and animator, promoted to in-house Multimedia Developer, producing animations and video work for clients such as Samsung, Sharp, and Symantec.

2002 - 2005 - Sales assistant for the John Lewis Partnership. Experience serving customers face to face, operating the tills, offering advice on specialised products and built skills working with a team of people.

About Me:

I have recently returned from numerous travelling adventures around the world. After 5 years working behind a desk, I needed to seek new experiences that challenged me in other ways, and the time has come to seek a career that will do the same. I had lived in England my entire life - this was my first time travelling by myself, and I loved every minute of it. In my spare time, I enjoy getting out and exploring my surroundings - hiking and trekking up the nearest big hill mostly, plus the odd bungee jump and skydive! I'm always looking forward to my next adventure. I wrote and published my first novel during my time-out and am currently writing a second book, hoping to find a job and lifestyle that allows me time to pursue this hobby. My enthusiasm and open-mindedness should be of benefit to anyone who hires me, and I hope I can make myself useful as I continue to learn what I'm capable of.