


DAN SAMS

Full Stack Designer

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An enthusiastic, diligent full stack designer that specialises in **motion**, **web** and **graphic design**. I have the ability to be able to quickly understand client requirements and then come up with logical solutions. I am eager to take on new challenges in order to progress my career even further. Ultimately, I love to make things come to life through interesting concepts, awesome storytelling and beautiful aesthetics.

EDUCATION

- 2010-2014 UNIVERSITY OF KENT**
BSC MULTIMEDIA TECHNOLOGY AND DESIGN  **FIRST CLASS HONOURS**
- This course provided me with the fundamentals of web, graphic and motion design. I learnt how to use all the industry standard software and technologies; I have continued to develop these skills since.
- 2010-2014 MID KENT COLLEGE**
HND IN MUSIC PRACTISE
- 1998-2004 CHATHAM GRAMMAR SCHOOL FOR BOYS**
11 GCSES INCLUDING MATHS, SCIENCE AND ENGLISH

WORK EXPERIENCE

- SEP 2015 - DEC 2016 PLAYTECH : DESIGNER**
- This role involved working with major brands such as DC, Warner Bros and Ace Ventura. Tasks included motion graphics and video editing to produce cutting edge game trailers and videos for big events, HTML5 banner design, web design, image editing and print work varying from large wall displays to small flyers. I worked with one other designer and together we communicated effectively to produce the best quality work possible with the time and resources given.
- FEB 2015 - SEP 2015 LIVE NATION : JUNIOR DIGITAL DESIGNER**
- I created web banners, email templates, homepage takeovers and videos for various artists, adhering to strict branding guidelines at all times. I worked very closely with my Senior; communication and organisational skills were key so all deadlines were met with high standards.
- 2012-2014 ASH GAMING : JUNIOR LOCALISATION DEVELOPER/DESIGNER**
- I worked within Adobe Flash Professional to localise many games; any design or development bugs related to localisation were my responsibility. My communication and team-working skills were developed in this role; the work was distributed out evenly to meet important deadlines. Travelling to London and incorporating deadlines greatly improved my time management skills.

SKILLS

APPLICATIONS

ADOBE PHOTOSHOP CC

ADOBE AFTER EFFECTS CC

ADOBE MEDIA ENCODER

ADOBE PREMIERE PRO CC

ADOBE ILLUSTRATOR CC

ADOBE INDESIGN CC

ADOBE XD

AUTODESK 3DS MAX

LANGUAGES / TOOLS

HTML 5

CSS 3

SASS

JQUERY

CAMTASIA STUDIO

ATOM

INTERESTS

DESIGN AND TECHNOLOGY

There's always something to learn and someone to learn from. I like to keep up with all modern design trends and put them into practise. I spend my time lurking around dribbble, behance and other creative networks as well as reading design articles. Having an interest in all areas of design is challenging at times but it always keeps me busy!

MUSIC AND LIFE

When away from the screen music is a big passion of mine, in particular the guitar. I play a variety of guitar styles ranging from light acoustic to heavy rock. With my music I have played concerts in aid of the Prince Of Wales Trust as well as shows and pantomimes at local theatres including the Hazlitt Theatre in Maidstone. I have my own YouTube channel dedicated to music. I have also enjoyed teaching guitar and music theory. Aside from music, I enjoy gaming, socialising and spending time with my family.

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