

**Olivia Sykes**

**Stand by costume assistant & Stylist**

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**based**

**Huddersfeild**

**West Yorkshire**



**SKILLSET**

**Platforms:**

**MAC**

**Windows**

**All Social Media**

**Digital, 35m, Medium Format cameras**

**Software:**

**Sewing kit**

**Sewing Machine**

**MS Office**

**I Works**

**Adobe Creative Suite;**

**Photoshop**

**illustrator**

**indesign**

**Lightroom**

**Paintbrush**

**DRIVERS LICENSE**

**9 years experience**

**Clean License**

**Personal Vehicle**

**FILM & TV EMPLOYMENT HISTORY:**

**ITV Emmerdale**

**Freelance Dresser**

May 2014

From 2 week intern to Freelance contract

**Costume supervisor**

**Typhoo Tea Commerical**

**Featuring Ben & Marina Fogel**

2 Day shoot on Location

February 2013

**Yorkshire Tea Commerial**

**Stand By Costume Assistant**

2 Day shoot on two Different Locations

March 2015

**THEATER EMPLOYMENT HISTORY:**

**Wonder in Oz**

**Costume Designer, seamstress, dresser**

february 2013 Bradford Alambra studio

May 2015 Leeds Roundhouse

**A Soilders Story (WW1)**

**Researcher, Costume Designer, Seamstress, Dresser**

May 2015 The West Yorkshire Playhouse

**We will remeber them (WW2)**

**Researcher, Costume Designer, Seamstress, Dresser**

March 2014 Bradford alambra studios & The West Yorkshire Playhouse

**OTHER EMPLOYMENT HISTORY:**

**Vintage Picker & Sales Executive for Vintage Wholesale: Queenchi Wholesale**

March - 2014 - September 2016

- Hand pick and identify vintage and retro clothing fo resale.
- Liason with vintage buyers and regular clients.
- Responsible for grading and upkeep of stockrooms and showroom.
- Merchandise and photograph in detail items for Online resale.
- Social networking executive.

**Dresser B Authentic Period Costume Hire**

January 2013 - December 2014

- Trained to a high standard with period, military and theatrical costume.
- Oversaw and Organized all photography studio bookings
- Accountable for photography assistant support when needed on set.
- Prepared and Closed all studio equipment.
- Improvised with stock to dress all clients in their desired looks.
- Advised on specific period and military attire knowledge.
- Implemented accurate write ups of all hired items.
- Safeguarded all business money transfers.
- Committed to steaming, mending and replenishing all pieces.
- Provided a polite telephone manner and excellent customer service.

**CV**

**uk.linkedin.com/pub/olivia-sykes/67/106/784**

**Portfolio**

**www.oliviasykesphotography.com**

**EDUCATION**

**London College of Fashion**

**BA HONS Fashion Photography**

2007-2010

2:1

**Huddersfield Technical College**

**BTEC Art & Design.**

2005-2007

Attained : Distinction, Distinction, Distinction

**Bradford College**

**Pattern Cutting Course**

2012-2013

Completed

**NON-PROFIT-PROJECTS / WORK EXPERIENCE**

**Costume Supervisor and Stand in Art Director : Typhoo Tea TV Commerical :**

**Fashion Stylist : Nicky Clarke Salon : 70s' Photoshoot**

**Fashion Show supervisor 1940s : Help for Heroes**

**Fashion Styling Assistant for Cobbie Yates .**

**Fashion PR Intern : Haynes PR :LDN**

**Fashion Week Backstage Dresser; Lousie Asurp S/S**

**12,Osman Yussuf S/S 11, On / Off S/S 12Founder,**

**Designer and Maker : Snuggle City : Pyjamas.**

**Model Booker Intern : Strike Model Managment : LND**

**Photographed Lookbook Images with;**

**Young Reckless Hearts,**

**MCXI A/W13 Collection,**

**Skin Deep Magazine,**

**Prowl Magazine:**

**fashion editorials**

**Written Shopping page for published magazine.**

**Lifestyle Photographer : VPL Aromas**

**Photography Assistant Mark Lebon : I-D Magazine:**

**Fashion editorial.**