

Curriculum Vitae

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Personal Statement:

I am an independent filmmaker studying Creative Media Production Level 3 at Colchester Institute and I am due to graduate in June of this year. I have been involved with the BBC on several occasions after winning the 'Design a Monster' for Doctor Who competition in 2005. I have directed and participated in the production of several short amateur films and it is my ambition to make my career in the film industry, learning and working my way up to ideally become a director. I very much enjoy being involved in the whole production process.

Educational History:

I studied Media, Drama and Digital applications as my main options at the Gilberd School and I am soon to finish studying Creative Media Production Level 3 Extended Diploma at Colchester Institute.

Qualifications:

English GCSE - C	CIDA Using ICT - C
Maths GCSE - C	CIDA Graphics - B
Media GCSE (Double award) - x 2C	Drama GCSE - C
Level 3 Diploma for Creative Media Production - Double Merit	

Work Experience:

In 2011 I took part in work experience working with the IT technicians at the Gilberd School where I gained a knowledge of building computers and installing software. I also demonstrated how to use Final Cut Pro and Cinema 4D to the staff. During the experience, I filmed and edited the school sports day video and was also given the task of editing together a video presentation for a teacher's leaving assembly. I currently have a part-time job at Brantano Footwear where I have been working for four months.

Achievements:

In 2005 aged nine, I won first prize in the Blue Peter 'Design a Monster for Doctor Who' competition and part of my prize was to visit the BBC television centre and the Doctor Who set in Cardiff. The experience of working with the film crew was where I first realised that I wanted to be involved with film making as my career. Afterwards, I was regularly contacted by the BBC for my views and opinions of Doctor Who and appeared on Blue Peter, BBC Breakfast, Doctor Who Confidential, a DVD extra titled 'Who Peter' and several radio interviews.

At secondary school in 2008, I was elected as a member of the year council and later the school council and I was subsequently given Prefect position in 2010.

In 2011 I was offered and accepted a place at Colchester Institute.

I used to attend Colchester Filmmakers Club meetings where I directed several short films and I am also actively participating in the making of college videos and amateur films.

In 2013, I took part in paid casual work for Colchester Institute by filming the leaver's graduation ceremony.

Interests:

I enjoy the process of filmmaking, photography using my Canon EOS 650D, socializing, model-making, cycling and travel.

Links:

IMDB Page: <http://www.imdb.com/name/nm2287847/>