

JOSH THOMPSON

Graphic Designer

Experience & Education

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BT Business Direct
Manpower Agency

April 2020 – Present
September 2019 – April 2020

- ◆ Since starting as an agency contractor I have transitioned to a permanent company contract. Working in the Enterprise part of BT, I work on briefs with people in my team as well as Web Dev, Commercial and IT Support.
- ◆ My biggest projects so far have been redesigning the business's homepage, the Microsoft minisite in the new BT branding and building my webpage template. I use Umbraco, SASS, JS (jQuery) and HTML5 during my development process and communicate with the web dev team for updates on project delivery. I also produce emails, social media collateral, internal wikis and documents using Adobe CC and Microsoft Office.

Customer Assistant

Tesco

November 2017 – September 2019

- ◆ To avoid the problem of lost reports I updated their visuals using Adobe Illustrator outside of work, my solution was much more eye-catching and colourful. The Produce Manager was very impressed with the designs in this self-assigned project, read more on my portfolio. I also improved my time management skills and started shifts at 5am.

Job Seeker

Jobcentre Plus, Irlam

July 2017 – November 2017

- ◆ With the help of my work coach I developed my CV to help market my graphic design skills to employers.

Student Graphic Designer

Huddersfield Students' Union

October 2014 – July 2016

- ◆ I worked on live projects such as Freshers' Survival Guide 2015 and SU Shop. The Survival Guide is a 64 page booklet offered to new students. It was a large project; I worked for three months and with multiple departments.

Graphic Design BA (Hons) Student

University of Huddersfield

September 2014 – July 2017

- ◆ With the help of a Senior Tutor, I began work on Runners' High by sketching ideas for the brand logo. I graduated in 2017 with a 2:1.

Skills

Adobe Illustrator CC

Adobe Photoshop CC

Adobe InDesign CC

Adobe XD

Web Design & Development

Good communication

Time management

References

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Bio

I live in Bolton and since COVID I've been working remotely from home.

After graduating I decided to develop my Runners' High brand into a web application and have tried it out on my phone. If you're a runner I'd love to connect via Strava, I also go to fitness classes at a boxing gym. Also, I'm a guitarist and gig-goer whose passion for metal and rock music is fierce.

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