STEPHEN HIBBERD

GRAPHIC DESIGNER



INTRODUCTION

I am a skilled, creative and ambitious graphic designer with a First Class BA Hons in Graphic Media and Communication, along with 13 years' experience in the print industry designing and producing a wide variety of print and digital assets. A punctual and motivated individual with strong time management skills, I am able to work in a busy environment and with an great attention to detail, produce high quality work. I am an effective team player and equally able to work on my own initiative and manage my work load.

EXPERIENCE

GRAPHIC DESIGNER

Aurora Print and Design Ltd, Wincanton (Previously FWB Printing Ltd)

Jan 2006 - Present

- Design and produce wide range of assets for print and digital use - from packaging, adverts and publications to leaflets, invitations, logos and business stationary
- Thinking of creative solutions for client's requirements
- Designing work from client's briefs
- Working on projects to strict time scales
- Communicating with clients in person, phone and email
- Working with many print specifications and finishes such as Pantone colours, CMYK, bleeds, clipping paths, spot UV, foiling, embossing and die cutting
- Preparing files ready for lithographic and digital print
- Updating/altering existing files
- Printing client's work via a digital press
- Proofing files and managing revisions
- Photo manipulation and restoration of old photographs
- Managing work load and several projects at a time

HOME & LEISURE MANAGER

Morrisons, Wincanton

Nov 2004 to Dec 2005

Managing a team of five members of staff and all non-food and seasonal aisles in store. Organizing staff holidays, work schedules and stock ordering.

NON-FOOD SUPERVISOR

Safeway's, Wincanton

Jan 2003 to Nov 2004

Working within a small team managing products in the non-food aisles, this included stock rotation, ordering and warehouse storage.

GRAPHIC DESIGNER / TYPESETTER

Wessex Graphics Ltd, Gillingham

Oct 2000 to Jan 2003

Producing digital files for clients, checking supplied work, liaising with clients, working on photo retouching and producing adverts to be sent to various publications.

SKILLS

Adobe Photoshop	✓	Microsoft Office	/
Adobe InDesign	✓	QuarkXpress	1
Adobe Animate	✓	Wordpress / Wix	/
Adobe Illustrator	/	Extensis Suitcase	/
Adobe Acrobat Professional	1	Enfocus Pitstop	/

EDUCATION

BA (HONS) GRAPHIC MEDIA & COMMUNICATION TOP-UP | First Class

University Centre Somerset, Taunton

June 2019

HND IN MULTIMEDIA & GRAPHIC DESIGN | Merit Strode College, Street

June 2002

BA (HONS) IN GRAPHIC DESIGN (YEAR 1) | 120 Credits Falmouth College of Art and Design

June 2000

BTEC NATIONAL DIPLOMA
IN GENERAL ART & DESIGN | Distinction

Strode College, Street

August 1999

GCSE'S | 7 Grades at A to C King Arthur's Community School July 1997

INTERESTS

I love to read especially the novels of Stephen King and enjoy digital photography and taking photos. I listen to a broad range of music, enjoying many live music concerts and Glastonbury Festivals. I also collect 1:18 scale rally cars and film related models and figures.

I am a big fan of car rallying and have been lucky enough to visit and watch many rally events both in the UK and Europe, travelling around following the stages. Also having a passion for travel I have visited many places within the USA, Australia and Europe. I would love to drive Route 66 in a muscle car one day if I am lucky enough!

REFERENCES

Available upon request.