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PERSONAL STATEMENT

I have a strong passion for design, it has always been my career ambition. Motivation and hard work allow me to operate with a high degree of autonomy, but can equally perform well as part of a larger team. I value my communication skills and enjoy dealing with different people and clients, then working out solutions that can please everyone. I am imaginative, innovative and creative in my approach to delivering a design from concept, through client re-design iterations, to completion.

I have in-depth knowledge of the following applications:

InDesign
Photoshop
Illustrator
Dreamweaver
Quark
Office packages

In addition, I can operate within a 3D animation environment and video editing packages. I have worked on many video shoot locations, including: corporate events, show reels and weddings. I can work easily on either of the main operating systems:

Windows and MacOS.

My design roles have exposed me to many of the challenges facing the design industry. The competitiveness and global nature of this business demands high level design solutions. These are areas in which I have been tested and have welcomed the opportunities they presented.

WEB PORTFOLIO

To view my online portfolio please visit:
www.martyng.com

EDUCATION

Glasgow College of
Building & Printing
www.glasgowmet.ac.uk

HND (With Distinction)
Multimedia Design & Production

National Certificate
Art & Design

Lenzie Academy
www.lenzieacademy.org.uk

Advanced Higher
Art & Design

Higher
Computing

Higher
English

Intermediate 2
Graphic Communication

Intermediate 2
Modern Studies

HOBBIES / INTERESTS

Over Christmas 2009 I successfully climbed Mount Kilimanjaro, which was an amazing experience. The challenges and hopes of succeeding have really made me realise how far someone can push themselves - and these values are now a great focus in my career. I proposed to my girlfriend on the top as well.

I particularly enjoy a number of sports both as a spectator and a participant, from football to golf, rugby and swimming. I am also a keen photographer and world traveller which have exposed me to a wide variety of cultures and values. I also have an active social life and enjoy going to the gym.

EMPLOYMENT

Head Graphic Designer
Lynnet Leisure Group, Glasgow
www.lynnettleisure.co.uk
May 2008 - Present

I run a busy in house design studio for Scotland's number one leisure operator. Our team handle all areas of print design, marketing, promotional material and web design for a large number of leisure units, including: clubs, restaurants, bars and hotels. Such as 'Karbon', '29' and 'Rogano'. LLG also has a strong corporate presence. Each area targets different audiences and age groups making the work very diverse.

Graphic Designer
Greybar Design, Aberdeen
www.greybardesign.com
February 2007 - April 2008

A full service design agency where my skills and experiences were expanded greatly in a short period of time. I jumped in at the deep end handling many new responsibilities, various projects and dealing with new and challenging clients.

Junior Designer
Gourlay Graphics, Glasgow
www.gourlay-graphics.co.uk
July 2006 - January 2007

A well established design consultants, where I worked on a number of exciting projects. I started as a recent graduate and shadowed the designers to learn as much as I could - this provided me a great starting point for my career. I also worked closely with their sister company: 'Geewhiz Digital Media' on a number of corporate video and photography projects. I still join them on certain jobs.
www.geewhizdigitalmedia.co.uk

REFERENCES

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Greybar Design, Aberdeen
www.greybardesign.com

Allister Gourlay - 01236 734 512
Gourlay Graphics, Glasgow
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