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designer*

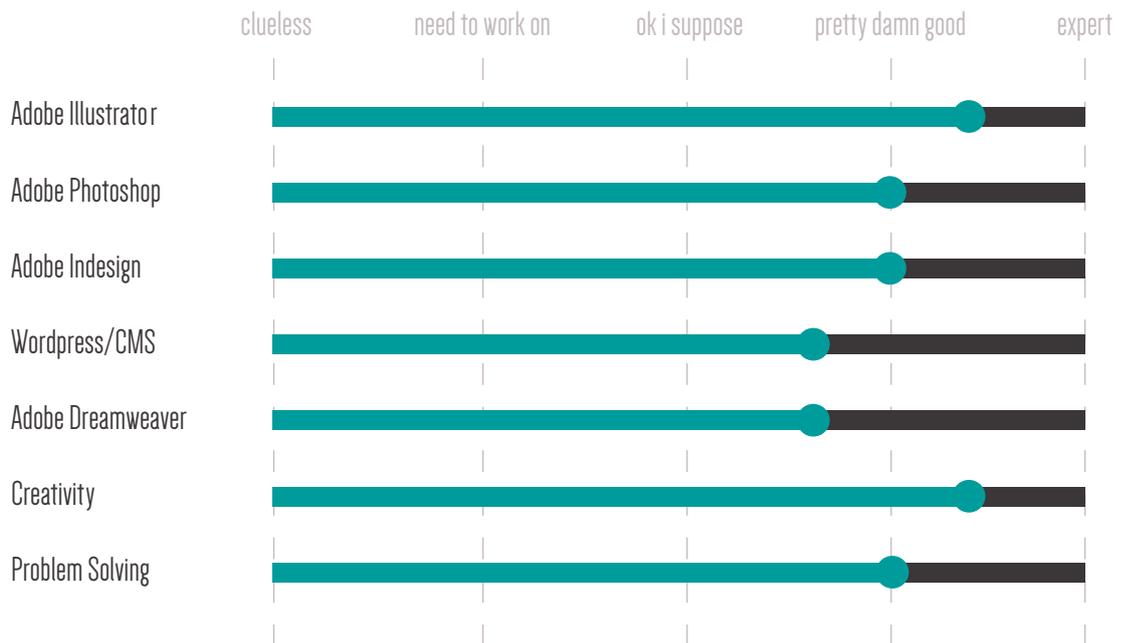
STUART MACDONALD



profile

A hard working and enthusiastic individual who has a good knowledge and understanding of the Adobe CS programs, both for print and screen design. I am a very self-motivated designer with excellent time management and the ability to manage my own workload under tight deadlines while maintaining a good attention to detail. With these qualities, along with an ability to work on various jobs simultaneously and achieving equal success doing so.

skills & abilities



MS Office -

A good knowledge of MS Office programs.

Ability to multi-task -

Good time management and able to work to tight deadlines, through organising work load, study, learning new skills, and using initiative.

Capable of...

Accuracy -

Works to very fine detail to be as precise as possible when producing work.

Team worker -

enjoy working in a team based work environment as well as working on my own.

Time Management -

Excellent time management, never missed a days work at Scotcrest.

Customer service -

I have experience in building up a customer base and working in a service orientated environment face to face, over the phone and via email as well as with suppliers.

qualifications

2008 - 2010

Second Class BA Hons degree in Applied Graphics from Glasgow Caledonian University

2006 - 2009

HND Graphic Design (2006 - 2008), & Intermediate Digital Photography from Glasgow Metropolitan College. Web Design and Web Authoring Evening course at New College Lanarkshire.

June 2015 - present

Scotcrest Uniforms

Graphic Designer

As graphic designer I am responsible for all print related jobs for Scotcrest which includes, but is not limited to, creating artwork, interacting with customers to take orders and discuss all of their design requirements and options, and pricing up the orders. This can include vinyl printed and screen printed garment, flyers, leaflets, banners, and business cards. My duties also include the creation and printing of all signage across all the shops both for inhouse and external printing. I am also responsible for the running of the company CMS website (Open cart) which requires me to manipulate imagery for each individual item going on the website, as well as running the facebook page.

June 2010 - June 2015

Freelance Work

Freelance Graphic Designer

My freelance work consisted of working on projects every now and then when I could to improve my skills and techniques as a designer and build the best possible portfolio. I tried to take on projects that would challenge my skills as a designer and getting short work experience working at Minute Man Press and The Shine Agency to try and learn as much as I could.

July 2010 - December 2014

Brightwork Ltd (working for William Grant and Sons, Diageo, Morrison Bowmore)

Production Line Operator/Machine Operator

My duties included working on a variety of production lines in the bottling factories. The production lines included jobs such as accurate labelling and quality checking, maintaining a consistent high quality, and bottle feeding as well as changing machine parts. I also spent time operating the depal machines which included making sure the machines were running correctly and being maintained to the high standards expected of me.

October 2005 - February 2006

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Customer Service Operator

My duties while working for the Next retail shop would include assisting the customers, working in the fitting rooms, stock replenishing, as well as cash handling at the till.

June 2004 - September 2004

BeCogent (J.D. Williams)

Customer Service Operator

My duties involved receiving incoming calls from customers wishing to place orders from major catalogue retailers. Using communication and keyboard skills I had to confirm and process order details for the customers, as well as trying to increase the number of order purchases of customers.