Alessandro

Rush

Profile:

I am a graduate in Product Design (BA) from De Montfort University. As a young and enthusiastic person I am seeking a role within the design industry where I can prove and expand my skill-sets. I can combine technical and analytical abilities with problem solving, creative ability and a strong aesthetic sense to truly thrive in a wide variety of projects and tasks. I am selfmotivated, able to work on my own initiative but also enjoy working as part of a team.



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Skills

Personal Skills:

- Working to tight deadlines
- The ability to work effectively in a team
- An aptitude for critically evaluating work, whether my own or that of my peers
- Concept generation skills
- Independence
- Use of different tools and machinery: (eg.)
 - Ban saw
 - Circular saw
 - Vacuum-forming machine
 - 3D printer
 - Lave
 - Laser cutter
 - CNC machine

Software Skills: -Microsoft Office programs -Photoshop -Illustrator -Sketchbook Pro -Solidworks -Keyshot -Fusion360

Languages and Nationality: I am mother tongue in English and Italian as well as having dual citizenship and passports.

Employment

Next-(Retail)

2019 - December 2023

Part-time paid employment, providing support to the management team. Working both on the salesfloor and in the stockroom to offer a friendly service to customers in a timely manner. Ensuring stock gets to the salesfloor as quickly as possible and keeping the salesfloor looking tidy, well organized and easy to shop in. Accurately and rapidly processing stock, including locating, packing, and promptly transferring stock in and out of store as deliveries arrive.

Education

De Montfort University - (Leicester) (BA) Product Design While studying here I was able to harness and improve the skills I had learned in college as well as learning and using new skills and software such as CAD and model making. 2017 - 2021

Leamington College - (Warwickshire College Group) LV3 Art and Design Extended Diploma. 2015 - 2017

Mark: Pass

(GCSE) 2012 - 2015

- Art
- Maths
- Science
- Italian
- English

Giggling Squid-(Restaurant) 2014 - 2015 Part-time waiter and barman, here I worked both on the restaurant floor and at the back in the bar. Roles included: making sure that customers were always satisfied, waiting at tables and acting as middle man between customers and the kitchen; managing the stock to ensure that there was always product available for customers to order and maintaining an organised and clean workspace to ensure safety and efficiency.

In this course I was taught fine art, model making, several Adobe packages, metalwork (jewellery) and photography

Stratford Upon-Avon School -

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