

MR DANIEL WILKINS – Live CV

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Personal Profile

Presently, I am undertaking my third and final year of studying Digital Media Development at the University of Winchester and once I have finished my degree, I aspire to work within a successful website development company. I am exceptionally conscientious, hard working and meticulous, being highly reliable and trustworthy and I possess a creative flair, self-discipline, self-motivation and the ability to work effectively, both independently and as part of a team.

My Current Achievements

Winning team member from 'Pitch Your Project' Recycle+ Business idea at University of Winchester - April 2018

Programming for the Web – Getting Interactive – June 2016

Programming for the Web – Layout and Style with CSS – March 2016

Programming for the Web – An introduction to HTML – February 2016

ICT recognition of hard work and commitment award Midsomer Norton Sixth Form - January 2016

Certificate in Business Administration – February 2016

Rockschool Grade 4 Drums – Merit – December 2015

Rockschool Grade 3 Drums – Merit – November 2013

Rockschool Grade 2 Drums – Distinction – December 2012

Rockschool Grade 1 Drums – Merit – December 2011

Skills

My strongest asset is developing websites as I have an abundance of knowledge relating to HTML and CSS. This therefore enables me to create a substantial structure of a web page and apply a stylesheet to additionally add an appearance which will entice and engage the user. Furthermore, I have a good understanding of Adobe Photoshop, Illustrator and After Effects and even though I am studying Digital Media Development, it is still beneficial to have a level of understanding of this software. Coding languages including JavaScript, PHP and MySQL I am aware of, participating in an introductory course covering some of these aspects as well as reading books about these topic areas and undertaking tasks. However, I am not as confident with using these languages as HTML and CSS. Furthermore, I have also used WordPress and therefore have a basic knowledge of how to develop websites with the software.

Qualifications

Previous to studying at the University of Winchester, I have studied ICT, Spanish and English Literature and Language at A Level of which I received two B grades (in ICT and Spanish) and one C grade (in English Literature and Language). Studying Spanish and ICT has assisted me in understanding both the different software and coding languages I have been introduced to.

Prior to my A Levels, I achieved 10 GCSE A-C grades in a variety of subjects ranging from English Language to History.

Industry Related Work Experience

Coullweb, Basingstoke (12-23 November 2018)

During my time spent at 'Coullweb', I undertook many tasks which included making front-end page edits through the use of HTML and CSS and producing a fictitious clients partner page, allowing for filtering of clients by category via the use of WordPress. I also undertook the task of creating a fictitious register and login system, allowing users to create an account as well as being able to log into their account and reset their password if forgotten. The technologies utilised for this were PHP, WordPress and MySQL. The final task that I undertook at 'Coullweb' was to create a landing page, utilising HTML and CSS to achieve this.

The ICE Agency, Winchester (8-12 October 2018)

Throughout the week I spent at 'The ICE Agency', I was set the task of creating both a home page and about page of an already created website to understand how I would approach building both pages, following provided designs by the company. The technologies utilised to undertake this task included HTML and CSS with a new technology called Flexbox being discovered and applied also to help structure the sections of each page. Furthermore, a requirement was for WordPress to be used, creating 'Page Templates' to assign to created WordPress pages, allowing for custom development to be applied. Another reason why WordPress was used was to allow myself to integrate the plugin called 'Advanced Custom Fields', enabling for editing of certain fields on each page. As well as the technologies stated above, I was introduced to other new areas including Gulp JS, Bitbucket, Sourcetree and Emmet.