

## DAVID STRUGNELL - CURRICULUM VITAE JUNE 2007

Date of Birth: 06/11/1984  
Nationally: British  
Driving Licence: Full and Clean

### EDUCATION

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**Brunel University, Uxbridge:** Sept '03 – June '07

#### BSc (Hons)

- 1<sup>st</sup> Class Honours in Multimedia Technology and Design BSc with professional development

**Harrogate Grammar School, Harrogate:** Sept '96 - June '03

#### A-levels

- Graphics – **A**
- Maths – **A**
- Physics – **A**
- General Studies – **C**

#### AS-level

- Geography – **C**

#### GCSEs

- Two **A\***
- Five **A**
- Two **B**
- One **C**

### WORK EXPERIENCE

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- **IBM, Hursley (nr. Winchester):** July 2005 - August 2006  
I worked as a New Media Designer on a student work placement as part of my university course. I mainly use Macromedia Flash, Macromedia Dreamweaver and Adobe Photoshop.
- **Hays Personnel, Harrogate:** July 2004  
Through Hays I did work for the NHS doing general office administration such as photocopying, printing out letters and filing.
- **The Great Yorkshire Show, Harrogate:** July 2004  
I worked as part of a team in the kitchens of the member's area as a kitchen porter.
- **Hays Personnel, Harrogate:** June 2004  
Through Hays I worked at Harrogate Health Care NHS for 2 weeks in the payment office in order to catch up with their filing.
- **Klick Photopoint, Harrogate:** June 2003 - Sept 2003  
Here I worked as a sales assistant. My main duty, as part of a small sales team, was to serve and help the customers.
- **Smith Smalley Architects, Harrogate:** July 2000  
2 weeks work experience using Auto CAD to design my dream home. At the end of the two weeks I received a gold certificate from school.

## RELEVANT SKILLS

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### Computer Skills

- Good knowledge of **Macromedia Flash** and **ActionScript**. I began using these at school and have since used them to create both interfaces and animations at university and while working at IBM.
- Good knowledge of **Adobe Photoshop**. As well as using this through out my time at university I used it during my GCSE and A-level Graphic courses and during my work placement at IBM. I am also comfortable with **Macromedia Fireworks** but prefer Photoshop.
- Quite good knowledge of **Macromedia Dreamweaver**. I have used this for several university projects; my own personnel webpage, [www.strugnell.com](http://www.strugnell.com) and at IBM. I mainly keep it on the code view and have experience of hand coding **XHTML**, **CSS** and **PHP**.
- Quite good knowledge of **Macromedia Director** and **Lingo**. I used these during my second year of university for a variety of different projects.
- Experience of **Microsoft Word**, **Excel** and **PowerPoint**.
- Experience of both **Adobe Illustrator** and **Macromedia FreeHand**. I have used both of these for university projects.
- Experience of **3ds max**. I began using this during my 2<sup>nd</sup> year of university.
- Experience of **Adobe InDesign**. I have mainly used this to create PDF files and page layouts for university essays.
- Experience of video editing software including **Adobe Premiere** and **Final Cut Pro**.
- I can also use the **Internet**, have used email clients such as **Lotus Notes** and have experience of both **Apple Macs** and **Windows PCs**.

### Teamwork

- At IBM I have done several group projects, the biggest of which was a voluntary project to create an activity for IBM Hursley's Blue Fusion – an activity week for local schools used to encourage an interest in science and technology.
- I have done several projects at university such as producing films and developing websites in which I have worked in groups ranging from 2-10 people.
- While working at the Great Yorkshire Show I worked as part of a team in the kitchens.
- I worked as part of a sales team at Klick Photopoint.

### Communication

- At IBM I did work for people based in America and Canada which required communication via email, instant messaging and the telephone.
- I have had experience of communicating with the public while working at Klick Photopoint, as my main duty was to serve and help the customers.
- During my second year at university I did a module about communication.

## INTERESTS

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- **Sports:** I enjoy playing Badminton and regularly used the university gym. I occasionally play football and tennis and recently started playing squash. I have also had a go at skiing, go karting and wind surfing.
- **Music:** I enjoy both listening to music as well as playing the guitar and find this a very good way of relaxing.
- **Other:** For as long as I can remember I have had an interest in magic and solving puzzles and I also enjoy socialising with friends.

REFERENCES AVAILABLE ON REQUEST