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Front end developer (& designer)
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About me

Excitable, interested, out-going g33k. Self taught coder. Love talking about space.

I collect Russian badges, run a pop-up restaurant, organise an annual soap box derby & could fancy dress myself out of a paper bag.

Currently writing a space bible, creating a recipe, ingredients and shopping list scheduling app & building a digital interactive place name based pictogram pun map.

Education

UWE.
2005 - 2008.
BSc, Creative product design.

Skills

- Creating interactive & responsive CMS websites using HTML, SCSS, JS, KnoutoutJS, jQuery, JSON, PHP, Gulp, Webpack, NPM, Sourcetree (GIT), Docker, Jenkins, AEM, Wordpress & Shopify.
- JIRA, Stash, Confluence, Fisheye & Crucible in an Agile team.
- UI design in Illustrator.
- UX with personas, wireframes, usability testing & focus groups.
- Image editing in Photoshop.
- Print & layout in InDesign.
- Animation with AfterEffects.
- Learning ES6, React & Vue.js.
- Marvelapp for prototypes.
- Canon for photography.
- Twitter, Facebook & Instagram for social media.
- Pinterest for mood boards & collecting pictures of palm trees, garage doors & hand type logos.

Front end developer.

Dyson. Engineering & technology.
August 2017 - present.

A mix of BAU work on the Dyson website & developing a new site for the James Dyson Foundation. Both are built on AEM & I use HTML (HTL), SCSS, JS, jQuery, Knockout, Agile, Atlassian toolset (JIRA, Stash, Confluence etc), SourceTree (GIT), Docker & Jenkins every day. I have also performed user testing to create usability and user experience reports and in turn create JIRA tickets which I work on to enhance the user journey.

Front end developer & designer.

The Group of Seven. Design agency.
June 2013 - August 2017.

I conceived, designed & developed CMS websites for Bristol Water, NHS, Harbour festival, WOMAD & an interactive map for the Colston Hall. The sites were mostly Wordpress, but I did build some on Drupal, Umbraco, EasysiteCMS & Shopify.

Freelance designer / developer.

danpudsey.com
October 2011 - present.

Sometimes it designing a food menu or a website for a stranger & sometimes it's neither of those things.

General manager.

Durty Gurties Dining Room. Pop-up restaurant.
October 2015 - present.

I set up a pop-up restaurant with my family. We've ran 4 events which have sold out everytime. For 4 nights we serve between 70 - 200 people a night.

UX&D recruitment consultant.

Cadence Resourcing. Recruitment agency.
April 2010 - June 2013.

I recruited UX designers for large organisations.

Assistant manager.

Las Iguanas. Restaurant.
April 2006 - April 2010.

Managed 20 staff in a busy Latin American restaurant.