

CURRICULUM VITAE

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Profile: A very keen, hard working and dedicated student currently studying a BA in 3d Digital Design and Animation at Greenwich university. I am a punctual and self-motivated able to work well alone and as part of a team and have had experience in both situations in work and as part of university projects. Excellent at communicating with customers and always willing to learn new skills and develop current ones through practical criticism. Has previous experience working in the retail outlet Next in Liverpool St and Burton in Surrey Quays and Mediterranean style furniture.

Contributions to school/ college

2003-2005-(SPARC) conflict resolution prefect. Providing support for the year 7 students to help them settle in the school, conducting equipment and uniform checks and running a room where year 7 students can catch up on work.

2004- New York virtual enterprise ambassadors- involving 12 students selected from over 250 candidates going to New York and looking at the education and extra curricular facilities in the business studies. departments of three different schools.

2004-Young Enterprise Scheme - Set-up and run simulation business.

2005-Swanlea 10th year celebrations- performed a choreographed Capoeira routine at the ceremony.

2007- Helped teach a class of students to use Photoshop/ Imageready in preparation for media coursework.

Work Experience:

Summer temp at Next 34-37 Liverpool Street, London : I worked at the Liverpool street

branch of Next as a summer temp, my tasks involved working both in the warehouse and the shop floor. Whilst working in the warehouse I helped in the process of preparing the products for the summer sale. While working on the shop floor I assisted customers and helped replenish stock. The skills I have developed are communication skills with both customers and staff, working to tight deadlines as was required while working in the warehouse and team working skills.

Date started: 4/07/2006 Date finished: 5/08/2006

Burton- Christmas temp - 24-26 Redriff Road, Surrey Quays Shopping Centre

I worked at Burtons as a Christmas temp, during my time there as a sales assistant I was trained to use the tills, open store card accounts for customers which helped me develop valuable customer service skills. I worked in various areas around the shop ranging from the stock room to the shop floor. I really enjoyed working at burtons because I came into contact with staff and customers of many different cultures and backgrounds, I also liked the atmosphere that the shop had.

Date started 13/10/07 Date finished 31/12/07

Mediterranean style furniture-799 Romford road

I have worked part-time at Mediterranean style furniture since its opening for my father. I have worked in various parts of the business from taking orders, making deliveries, opening the shop and of course dealing with customers. It has been an interesting experience interacting with different customers and a positive change from clothing retail.

15/05/09-current date.

A-levels

A-s Graphics- B
A-level English literature + language-C
A-level media-A
A-level sociology-B

Interests and Other Skills:

At the moment I am very interested by the media industry particularly sectors relating to my own course in the future I would like to go into the creative media industry and utilise the skills I have gained through my course. I enjoy playing football, driving and paint-ball shooting. I like to learn new skills and putting them into practise particularly ones that can help me later on in the practical production of media. I like to listen to different types of music and watching Japanese films. I would like to take a year out after university and hopefully do some travelling before jumping into a career.

Programs/packages:

At the moment I have knowledge in 3DS Max , Photoshop and some basic After Effects/ Premier. I have had experience with motion builder and working with motion capture data and also recording motion capture data.

References:

Carolyn Sandys
Tower Hamlets College
Poplar High Street
London E14 0AF

Sansan- Assistant Manager
Next
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London
EC2M 7PP

Tendi – Manager
24-26 Redriff Road,
Surrey Quays Shopping Centre

COVERING LETTER

Dear sir/madam,

I am currently a 2nd year 3d digital design and animation student and I wanted to justify my reasons for applying to be part of the YDP project. The reason I wanted to take part is primarily experience in a professional environment but I feel that by taking part in the project I can further my learning and also help me make a decision as to which way would like to take my own learning and career path. Another reason for wanting to join this project is to also make contacts with other people in a similar field, I have been told by many that the creative media industry and in fact all industries " it is not what you know but who you know".

I think I would be a good asset to have on the team, as I am the type of individual who likes to learn new things . An example of this would be from a recent project in which myself and a small group of people decided to use motion capture within our work. We had to learn how to use motion builder and implemented it successfully in our work. I found the project demanding and we hit problems here and there but through learning a new skill and creating a piece of work that I could be proud of was worth it.

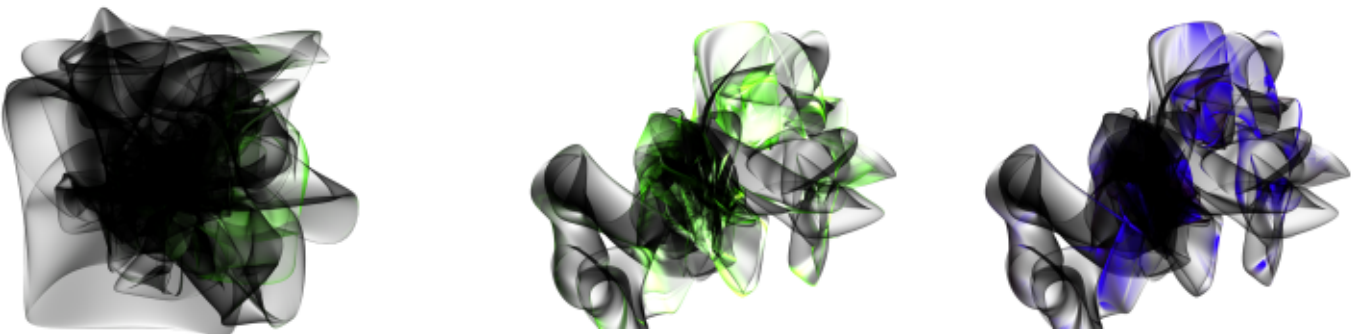
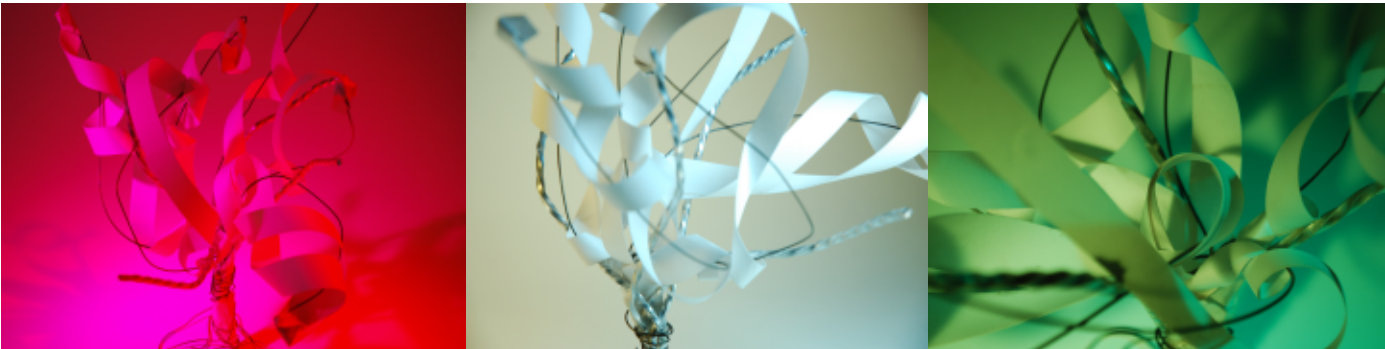
I am team player but I can also take initiative and also take charge of a situation if things are not working well, I try to voice my opinions if I feel something is not right with a project and try to come up with an alternative. I also try to think outside of the box when thinking of new ideas and ways of implementing those ideas.

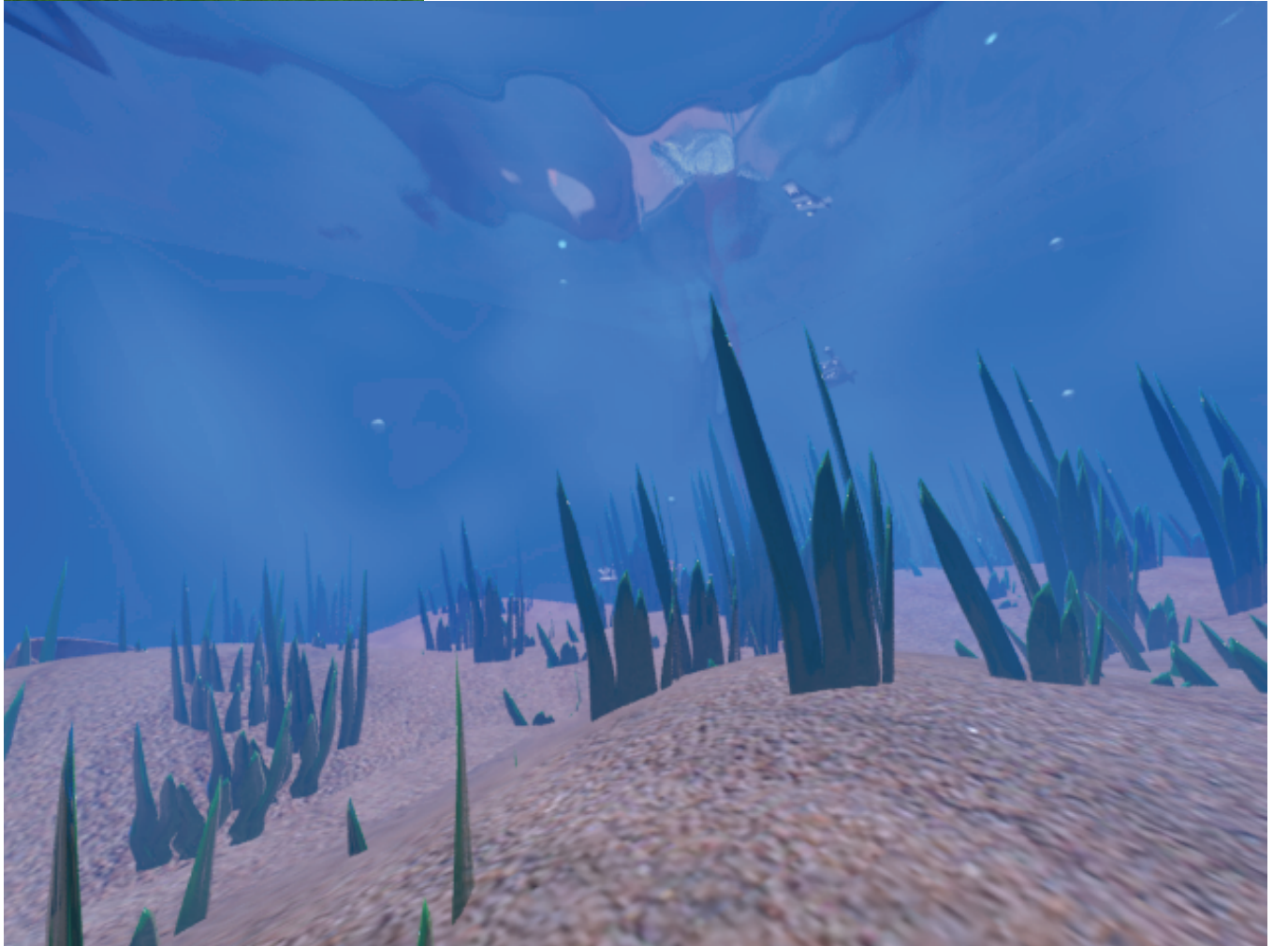
As I said before I am currently unsure about what career path I would like to go down but what I do know is that I am interested in the field I am studying in and by allowing me to join the project you would be giving me a chance to have a glimpse into what to expect in the future.

I thank you for taking my application into consideration and await your reply.

Adel Benfares.

EXAMPLE WORK





For Office Use only DATE OF APPLICATION No: _____

Decision: _____

APPLICATION FOR YDP PLACEMENT 09-10

PERSONAL INFORMATION

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BY SIGNING THIS FORM, APPLICANT AGREES TO ALL TERMS AND CONDITIONS PRINTED BELOW.

1. The programme will run in two phases
Phase A: Will start on the 11th May 2010 and will end on the 28th May 2010, with the celebration event.
Phase B: D&AD Exhibition, preparation for the exhibition will start from the 20th June till 24th June 2010, and the exhibition will take place between 24th to 28th June 2010.
2. You accept to work with a multidisciplinary team, consisting of professionals and FE, HE students.
3. It is a requirement to attend meetings with your design team, on a previously scheduled day.
4. Participation to the UoG - YDP is part of your University Placement; a 100% contribution to the programme must be achieved.
5. It is a requirement to actively participate and be present where is necessary.
6. As part of the YDP you will be asked to travel to different location where the meetings will take place. There is a possibility to claim your travel expenses at the end of the programme only by submitting proof of travel. (Tickets, receipts, etc.)
7. Any withdrawn from the programme has to be fully justified and proved in a written form.
8. You agree, that The University of Greenwich, SELLLN and the Sorrell Foundation could use any design work and photographs of yourself, as part of their archive material and for further promotion of the programme.

Name/ Surname: Adel benfares

Sign: _____

A. Benfares

Date: 25/04/10
