

STEVE RIDGWAY

LEAD DESIGNER / DESIGN MANAGER

SUMMARY

I'm an experienced multi-disciplined designer with a background in digital and graphic design. I've over 13 years industry experience working in agencies, my own business and as an in-house designer at a startup business. Currently I'm design manager at hedgehog lab.

EXPERIENCE

Design Manager at hedgehog lab

June 2019 - Present (3 years 9 months)

Digital designer and design team manager working with global brands such as Deliveroo.

Lead Designer at Spontly

June 2014 - 2019 (2 years 3 months)

Product owner and lead creative for community based app platform. Roles include: re-design of platform from ground up to maintaining and evolving design for both iOS and Android platforms.

Co-Founder at Tint Digital

April 2013 - April 2016 (3 years 1 month)

One half of and founder of digital agency Tint Digital and chief creative. Working with brands such as B&Q, HSBC, RNIB, Newcastle University and numerous start-ups.

Senior Designer at Komodo Digital

2007 - April 2013 (6 years)

6 years experience working from Jnr to senior design role in digital design agency. Working with brands such as Newcastle United, ITV, NHS, Go Ahead Group and Newcastle United.

Jnr. Designer at Azure Graphic & Web Design

June 2006 - May 2007 (1 year)

Several work placements working with The Football Supporters Federation and numerous start-ups to mid-size organisations.

SOFTWARE KNOWLEDGE

Sketch
Adobe Creative Suite
• Photoshop
• Illustrator
• Indesign
• After Effects
Marvel
Invision
Trello
Microsoft Office
Basecamp

SKILLS

User Interface Design
User Experience Design
iOS & Android Design
Wireframing
User Journeys
Team Management
Man Management
Scrum Methodology
Web Design
Illustration
Brand Development
Logo Design
Animation
Typography
Art Direction
Graphic Design
Print Design

BRANDS I'VE WORKED WITH

Deliveroo
ITV
British National Formulary
The Football Supporters Federation
Go Ahead Group
Newcastle University
B&Q
Jaguar Land Rover
Tommee Tippee
Newcastle United Football Club
NHS
Rust-oleum

EDUCATION

Northumbria University

2003 - 2006

BA Hons Graphic Design, Graphic Design

City of Sunderland College

2002 - 2003

Degree in Foundation Art & Design

City of Sunderland College

2000 - 2002

A Fine Art, B English language, C Art & Design

Farringdon community school

1995 - 2000

12 GCSEs from A to C grade

PERSONAL DETAILS

DOB

21.07.1984

Marital Status

Single

Languages

English

Interests

My dogs, Walking/Hiking, Interior design, Gaming, Music, Movies, Cooking, Food, Football, Fitness, Sunderland AFC, Comic Books, Reading

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