CHRISTIE HOULIHAN

GRAPHIC DESIGNER

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SOFTWARE

- Adobe AfterAffects
- Adobe Illustrator
- Adobe Photoshop
- Adobe Indesign
- Figma

SKILLS

- Advertising Design
- Brand Identity
- Editorial Design
- Mobile and Web Design
- Typography

EDUCATION

SECONDARY SCHOOL

Sacred Heart of Mary Girls' School

2014 - 2021

GCSE's 6-8

A Levels C,B,A

BACHELOR OF ARTS

Arts University Bournemouth 2021-2024

BA (Hons) Graphic Design 2:1

VOLUNTEER

Typographer for exhibition catalogue "In a Pot of Hot Soup" for Brunei Gallery

PROFILE

I am a dependable team player with strong collaboration skills, a positive attitude, logical thinking, and the ability to work independently. I am driven, committed, and a creative thinker who thinks outside the box with design.

EXPERIENCE

BA(HONS) GRAPHIC DESIGN

Oct 2021 - Jul 2024

- Acquired knowledge in design principles such as colour theory, typography, and layout
- Explored business facets including client relations, project management, and ethics
- Developed strong verbal, written, and visual communication skills to present ideas and work collaboratively within diverse teams and client relationships.

CUSTOMER SERVICE ASSISTANT

BH Live Corfe Mullen, Bournemouth

Mar 2024- Jul 2024

In this position, I have refined my capacity to comprehend and foresee client requirements, a critical skill in design where client interaction is paramount. Additionally, this role has enabled me to cultivate robust problem-solving skills that manifest as innovative solutions in design ventures.

- Improved client engagement and satisfaction by overseeing reception duties, such as adept email communication and efficient phone call handling.
- Contributed to boosting gym sales by creating sales posters alongside my main responsibilities for the cafe and sponsorships.

WAITRESS

Pho Bournemouth

Dec 2022- Sep 2023

- Through this position I acquired multitasking abilities by handling customer service and operational duties, ensuring smooth dining experiences.
- Developed quick-thinking and adaptability in a busy restaurant setting, transferable to meeting project deadlines in design work.