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2018 - Present

Senior Designer

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Scratch Digital

2015 - 2018

Intermediate Digital Designer

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The Designership

2017 - Present

Community Manager

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Brandoilers

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Snaffle Jobs

2012 - 2013

Digital Designer

Designed concepts to improve the User Experience on the Snaffle Jobs website. Worked as part of a small team leading design discussions, on how to deliver the best product for our users. I also worked on marketing for the launch of the websites.

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Summer Job

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Education

Otago Polytechnic

2010 - 2012

Bachelor of Design - Communication (Merit)

Learned how to apply proper design thinking and improved my communication skills. Developed a strong focus on branding, web, print, UI/UX, animation, film, photography, and public speaking.

Otago Polytechnic

2009

Certificate in IT Service & Support

Developed all the necessary skills to perform computer repairs, network services, and user issues. Developed vital client communication skills.

Cromwell College

2006 - 2008

University Entrance

Acquired NCEA Level 1, Level 2 and Level 3 all with Excellence.

Skills

Adobe CC

Sketch

Figma

Adobe XD

Framer

Invision

Invision Studio

UX Pin

Balsamiq

HTML

CSS

JS

Wordpress

Final Cut

Zeplin

Trello

Principle

Interests

Fitness

Hiking

Travel

Biking

Music

Photography

Reading

Personal Growth

Community Managing

Networking

Mentoring