

# Curriculum Vitae

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## Profile Summary

Bristol based animator & screen designer with 10+ years in creative production. A highly motivated, skilled and diverse creative freelancer who takes ownership of problems and can work on her own or in a team to find effective and efficient solutions. Plenty of experience working with creative agencies and marcomms departments, developing creative ideas or working from briefs/ storyboards to produce high quality screen-based media. Can work to tight deadlines and in demanding environments. Will work on-site or off-site in own studio with equipment.

**Portfolio:** <http://earsandwhiskers.co.uk/portfolio.html>

**Showreel:** <http://earsandwhiskers.co.uk/about.html>

## Key Production & Software Skills

A range of production skills including: direction, illustration, animation (**motion graphics and stop-motion**), modelmaking and video/audio editing. [\[MORE\]](#)

Software	Years	Proficiency
Adobe Photoshop	10+	High
Adobe Illustrator	10+	High
Adobe After Effects <i>with Expressions</i>	7	High
Adobe Flash <i>with Actionscript</i>	10+	High
Adobe Dreamweaver	10+	High
Adobe Premiere	7	High
Adobe Audition	5	Good
Audacity	7	High
Dragonframe	5	High
<b>Equipment</b>		
DSLR camera (Canon)	7	High
Lighting (for animation)	5	High
Audio recording	5	Good

## Employment Overview

In 1998, I undertook an internship with Canadian company, Headgear Animation Inc. On returning to the UK, I worked as a freelance creative, primarily in web animation & design with numerous ad agencies and marcomms departments in London. From 2008 – 14, I worked full-time in marketing & design with Daydream Group before recommencing a freelance career as an animator in 2015, following the completion of an MA in Animation at UWE, Bristol. I now make animated shorts. [\[MORE\]](#)

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## Most Recent Freelance Work (2015 – 2017)

### **Lord Mayor of Bristol's Children Appeal: Animation for Fundraising (Feb – Mar 17)**

Concept, illustration and animation for live fundraising event and online campaign (*After Effects, Illustrator, Premiere, Audition.*) [\[MORE\]](#)

### **Pickled Image: Animation for Stage Performance (Nov – Dec 16)**

Animation for on-stage projection for puppet theatre company (*After Effects, Photoshop, Premiere, Audition.*) [\[MORE\]](#)

### **Clothes Aid: Animation for Brand Awareness (Oct – Nov 16)**

Concept, illustration and animation of a promo for NFP/social enterprise (*Illustrator, After Effects, Premiere, Audition.*) [\[MORE\]](#)

### **Vegan Bath: Animation for Brand Awareness (May – Aug 16)**

Concept and animation of stop-motion promo for an online vegan press/PR company (*Dragonframe, After Effects and Audition.*) [\[MORE\]](#)

### **Don't Think Of A Pink Elephant: Independent Short Film (July 16)**

Model maker for animated short film, 'Don't Think Of A Pink Elephant' at National Film & Television School. Various materials/processes (including puppet maintenance). [\[MORE\]](#)

### **'VOZ Mobile': Animation for Brand Awareness & Product Launch (Jan – Mar 16)**

Concept, illustration and animation of a promo for a mobile applications provider (*After Effects, Illustrator and Audition.*) [\[MORE\]](#)

### **'Pegasus to Paradise': Animation for Book Launch (Nov – Dec 15)**

Animation of a promo for the book launch of, 'Pegasus to Paradise' (*After Effects, Photoshop and Audition.*) [\[MORE\]](#)

### **Content Builder: Animation for e-Learning (Aug – Sept 15)**

Illustration and animation of characters and environments for a series of corporate wellbeing programmes developed in Articulate (*Illustrator.*) [\[MORE\]](#)

### **Puppet Place: Associate Artist, News Editor & Press (July 15 - Current)**

Production of bi-monthly newsletter for Puppet Place, plus maintenance of social media and news blog, (*Mailchimp, WordPress, Microsoft Office.*) [\[MORE\]](#)

[A full project listing is also available on my LinkedIn Profile.](#)

## Education

**Masters in Animation** (University of the West of England, 2015)

**Masters in Time Based Media** (Kent Institute Of Art And Design, 1997)

**BA Joint Hons in Video Production with Marketing & Business Management**

(Manchester University, 1996)

References available on request