

Edward Perks



Curriculum Vitae

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(Portfolio & Projects)

Experience

Capability Events Ltd

2010-present

Multiple Roles

Personally involved in nearly every aspect of event management and installation. This work involves liaising with clients, event design and logistics, lighting and sound rig installation, personnel management, event photography, van driving, marquee rigging, power distribution and bar work. I also was the equipment repair and maintenance engineer.

SRP Studios

2009-present

Manager/Audio Engineer/Producer

In the summer of 2009 a colleague and myself undertook a large project to construct a recording studio and run it as a business. We built it alone and construction took 7 months. We both work as sound engineers and producers there while providing many other multimedia services. Running every aspect of a business has been an interesting and invaluable learning experience.

The Swan Inn at Hanley Swan

2007-2010

Kitchen Porter/Sous Chef

Part time kitchen porter for a year then promoted to Sous Chef.

Karl Storz Endoscopy

July 2007

Work Experience

Work experience in the technical repairs department, working with engineers that repair damaged endoscopes as part of a customer care process.

Qinetiq Malvern

July 2006

Work Experience

Work experience in multiple departments, with the Tarsier radar engineers, airport security research (working on the full body scanner), the web software developers, the 3D printing department and the patents management.

Skills

- » **Proficient** in many forms of audio technology, including hardware and software for live and studio work. 5 years of studio experience. Software includes Logic Pro, Pro Tools and Max/MSP.
- » **Experienced** in audio equipment maintenance and repair. Proficient in the use of testing tools including the Lindos MS20.
- » **Self-taught** photographer with experience in digital and analogue mediums. Worked as an event photographer at Capability Events Ltd for 2 years. Undertaken freelance jobs producing product photographs. Further experience in DSLR cinematography.
- » **Comprehensive** knowledge of Adobe Photoshop, for use as an image editor and graphic design software. Designed logos for bands, companies and charities.
- » **Skilled** with MS Word, Excel, PowerPoint, In Design and Access.
- » **Self-taught** PCB design skills, using Eagle CAD.
- » **Website** design using Dreamweaver and Photoshop, (HTML, CSS)

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Hobbies

Electronic engineering.
Developing my own electrical products based around audio systems and improving/repairing existing systems

Producing electronic music on digital sequencers

Photography and Image editing

Working alongside a local band as a producer and live sound engineer

Rock/indoor climbing

Education & Qualifications

De Montfort University 2010-2013
BSc Audio & Recording Technology
First Class Honors Degree

Covering modules in production, electronics, acoustics, video, equipment testing and mastering.

My final year project was based around developing a new digital input device for music creation, for which I obtained the 'Best Final Year Project' award. For the last two years I was the student representative of the year group.

Hanley Castle 6th Form 2007-2008
A levels:
Physics B
Mathematics C
Chemistry C

I was awarded the annual Physics prize in 6th Form for my project work on acoustics.

Hanley Castle High School 2002-2007
GCSEs:
Double Science 2xA* Mathematics A
English A English Literature A
ICT A* Graphic Design A*
Business Studies A* General Studies A
German C Religious Studies B.

I was awarded the ICT prize at GCSE level for my database work with MS Access.

Personal

- » Determined problem solver and practical thinker
- » Always striving for perfection in projects in which I'm involved
- » A quick learner and an ability to adapt to new skills quickly
- » Thrives as part of a team or working on own initiative
- » Very hard working – I often undertake many hours overtime at Capability Events
- » Good communicator – talking to customers of the studio, discussing their needs and building a relationship
- » Highly personable

Date of Birth: 11/02/1991

Full, Clean UK Drivers License (Manual) and UK Passport.

References

available upon request.

