



## Profile

I am a new media designer and developer with focus on simplicity, usability and quality. With great experience in latest technologies as well as graphic design, I'm capable of creating a technically, aesthetically and functionally pleasing product. I have a flexible working style and enjoy working with a team as well as on my own.

## Personal

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## Skills

### Programming:

C/C++ - Visual Studio (6 + .NET) and Borland syntax; Visual Basic, C# and Java

### Web Programming:

Page: HTML, XHTML, XML, CSS - expert, (AAA - SEO)

Server Side : PHP - expert  
ASP (+.NET) - good knowledge  
Java Servlets / JSP

Client Side : JavaScript / AJAX - advanced  
ActionScript - good knowledge

### RDBMS:

MySQL, Firebird, MS Jet, MS SQL Server 2000

### Packages:

Microsoft Office (95 - 2003 + 2004 Mac)

Visual Studio - versions 6, .NET 2003 + 2005, Express - advanced

Zend Studio - advanced

Macromedia:

Dreamweaver - expert

HomeSite - expert

Flash - advanced

Fireworks - advanced

Adobe:

PhotoShop - expert (including digital painting)

Illustrator - expert

InDesign - advanced

ImageReady - expert

AfterEffects - good knowledge

QuarkXPress - good knowledge

CorelDraw Graphics Suite, Painter - advanced

3D Studio Max - Modelling in NURBS, Splines and Poly (plain and with MeshSmooth)  
+ Animation, IK and rig setup.

MentalRay Rendering System - working knowledge

VRay Rendering System - expert

Brazil Rendering System - advanced

Maya 6.5, 7 Modelling - good knowledge

### General:

Extensive Microsoft Windows and Mac OSX experience.

Experienced in many flavours of Linux.



## Career Summary

### Web Specialist

> QR8 Design Ltd. (Jan 2006 - present)

- System architecture design and development.
- API design and integration.
- Full server setup (Mac, Linux, Windows platforms).
- Research and consultation.
- 3D & 2D graphics, motion graphics.

### Web Specialist

> Webtechnik Ltd. (2005 - 2006)

- Web site design and development.
- AAA accessibility, latest standards and cross-browser design and coding.
- Research and consultation.
- Graphic design. Layout graphics, image manipulation, content illustration.
- Content Management Systems setup (Mambo, Typo3)
- E-commerce packages (Erol, Actinic, Astrosell)
- PHP, JavaScript, MySQL, XHTML and CSS creation and editing, SEO.
- Apache, MySQL 5, Xmail and Exim servers. Setup and maintenance.

### Designer/Tech.

> Need-A-Sign (2005)

- Large media print design and setup.
- Vector design and plotter setup.
- Software/Hardware setup and maintenance.

### Software Developer

> Prometheus UK (2004 - 2005)

- Bespoke system development.
- Integration with Microsoft Office.
- Cryptography and Networking.
- Concurrent operations and Multithreading.
- GUI Design.
- Multiple database integration (SQL Server, Jet, Firebird)
- RDBMS development. Database design, Stored Procedures.
- Graphic Design. Icons, GUI graphics, promotion literature.
- Company web site design and development.
- Direct mass marketing. Marketing data acquisition and mass merge.



## Designer/Developer

> DS Print & Design (2003 - 2004)

- Bespoke Web Design, accessibility and standards coding.
- Web Development. Creating web applications using PHP and ASP.
- Bespoke content management systems.
- Graphic Design. Using many packages (Corel, Adobe, Macromedia, Quark).
- Book Publishing. Using Ventura, Quark and InDesign.
- Customer service, answering customer queries (over phone/email or in person).
- Printing and finishing. Digital printing setup, binding, cutting and folding.