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REBECCA TURNER

## EDUCATION

- BA (hons) in Graphic design and illustration
- Foundation Degree in Art and Design
- A Grade A-Levels in G&T:Product Design and Fine Art

## Personal Skills

- Friendly, reliable and hard working
- Working as part of a team and self-motivated on individual projects.
- Time management and organisation
- Ability to work to deadlines and under pressure

## Technical Skills

- Experience with Mac OS and Windows
- Adobe Illustrator, Photoshop and InDesign.
- Corel Painter
- Traditional image making skills including pen, pencil, ink and painting.
- Knowledge of printing & manufacture processes and materials
- Some experience with QuarkXpress and Freehand

## REFEREES

Georgina Geannopoul - Manager  
Bijou Brigitte Limited  
Eden shopping centre, unit 15  
40 Newland Street  
High Wycombe  
Bucks  
Phone - 01494 451437

Cathie Felstead - Principal Lecturer  
Course of Graphic design and illustration  
School of Creative and cultural industries  
Collage Lane Campus  
Hatfield  
Herts

## FREELANCE

### Personal website design

- Creating navigational buttons and imagery on Adobe Illustrator and Adobe Photoshop
- Planning links and layout
- Designing the interactive experience

### Freelance project for board game concept 'Histeria'.

- Consisting of designing and creating 100 images of historical characters, designing the board and box cover, game cards and rules sheet.
- Set by Nikhil Datta and Nabeel Moosa (Naos Games)
- Contact; nikhil.datta@yorkentrepreneurs.org or 07817 208085

### Freelance design of site banner for www.nonamelan.co.uk

- Site owner and creator Dan Warden

### Ski Designs for Edelwiser

- ongoing ski designs for www.edelwiser.com

### Card Designs

- Multi-purpose card designs for special occasions i.e. birthdays, christenings, anniversaries etc sold at various retail outlets.

## EMPLOYMENT

### Brian Turner Trimmings Ltd

- Aiding in creation of tassels, fringes and drops.
- Mock up images of final outcomes on Adobe Illustrator.
- General administration duties and other workshop responsibilities.

### Bijou Brigitte Ltd.

- Organising merchandise by colour and design, and general shop floor duties.
- Window dressings, taking stock and inventory.
- Responsibilities including cashing up in the evenings and opening the store in the mornings as well as Banking weeks money when manager away.
- Dealing with customers in a polite, friendly manner and advising them on style and accessories.

## PERSONAL STATEMENT

From an early age I have enjoyed being creative, and in my free time I often like to sketch and draw both traditionally and digitally. I find image making of any kind enjoyable, and always try to develop my skills when I have spare time.

Since finishing University in June 2009 I have been commissioned for freelance illustration projects, which I feel has pushed me to meet commercial deadlines and transform my artistic skills and knowledge in to real world experience. This new experience has developed my skills in dealing with clients and working towards their needs.

In my spare time I like to try and stay active, I enjoy cycling and walking, as well as camping and other outdoor pursuits.

Socialising is also a big part of my life, I enjoy being with friends and acquaintances, as well as meeting and talking to new people. However, I have always managed to maintain a good balance between socialising and work, and have never allowed it to get in the way of reaching my full academic potential when there is work to do.

I pride myself on punctuality and dedication to my work. Throughout my time in education, and within my freelance projects, I have never missed a deadline, have always been willing to put in extra hours to get work done and have maintained an excellent attendance record.