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I have spent the past 9 years engaged in the transition of product development and the broader principles of design to the very tangible end product working closely with partner factories in the Far East & India. Each year since 2006 I have brought a number of products to market in Europe and the UK both in my current and previous positions, seeing a substantial number of units entering the retail chain via blue chip high street retailers. During my current role I have made a significant contribution in a company which has seen its turn over increase over 10% year on year since my employment commenced. I have had the opportunity to consolidated my core disciplines around the end to end process of matching manufacturing resources, the resolution of technical issues and pre and post production considerations in the Far East to on time product delivery for various clients.

Although my work has been centred around outdoor furniture and lighting, I am trained in all aspects of design and the skill set I have built up over these years is of course transferable to all areas of design. I have worked both in companies centred around a mass market customer base selling to major retailers and companies aiming their product at the upper end of the market. This has made me a well balanced designer. Knowing when to compromise a product and how to meet price points while not losing the spirit of the original design. Working with smaller organisations has given me a lot of responsibility. I have built excellent project management and people skills to easily cope with multiple and concurrent deadlines. My education at Brunel university has given me the engineering knowledge to allow me to quickly solve problems, reducing costs through easier product construction and better container fills.

Qualifications:

2006 - Industrial Design and Technology Ba (Hons) 2.1

Studies:

2009 DBA Professional Practice 1

2008 CMI Management course

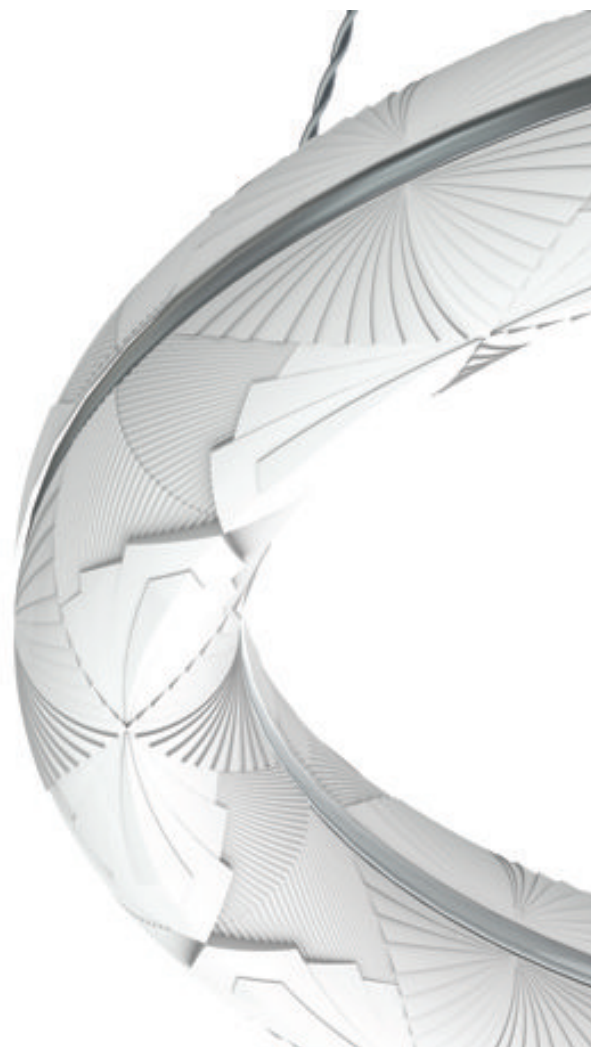
2008-10 Liverpool John Moores University, UK
Knowledge Transfer Partnership

2002-6 Brunel University, UK
Industrial Design Ba

2004-5 Politecnico di Milano, Italy
Erasmus Exchange

Experience:

02.2010 to Present - **Interiors 1900, Northamptonshire**
- **Design and Product Development Manager**
- Established a design department
- Identifying potential market niches to exploit
- Researching and determining trends
- Generating product design briefs
- Generating sketch concepts & 3D visuals for review
- Generating 3D & 2D drawings for manufacture
- Managing the design process from brief to manufacture



Cont:

- Ensuring new products are delivered in good time for launch
- Recommending QC checks on new product lines
- Solo trips to Far East & India
- Establishing new suppliers and working closely with existing factories
- Heavily involved in marketing & company direction
- Design & project management of major trade show stands
- Art Direction & project management of catalogues
- Co-ordinating photography
- Over seeing outside contractors

2006-02.10

- Fairweather Trading, Liverpool

- Design Manager

- Established a Design Department
- Managing the design Process from brief to delivery
- Working closely with Chinese partner factories
- Liaising with in-house and customer QA to meet CE standards
- Advising QC checks during production
- Generating product instruction manuals and artwork
- Numerous design rights a patent in first year of employment
- Instrumental to obtaining new key clients
- Creating marketing material

2005

3 Months








- Native Design, London, UK

- Internship
- Working with clients such as HP, Jaguar, B&W
- Model Making
- Concept generation
- Assembly of working prototypes

Skills:

- Project management
- People management
- Problem solving
- Research and generation of briefs
- Concept Generation
- Communicating with off shore factories
- Technical Drawing 2D & 3D
- 3D Rendering
- Wood and metal fabrication
- Model Making
- Graphics, Print and Web

Computer Software:

Solidworks	
Cinema 4D	
Adobe Illustrator	
Adobe Photoshop	
Adobe InDesign	
Quark Xpress	
MS Office	



Please don't hesitate to contact me for examples of work.