

Ellen Covey

Graphic Designer, list lover, tin collector

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A designer with heaps of enthusiasm and a level-head who's very adaptable and can hit the ground running. I have a keen eye for layout and typography, which pair well with my breadth of technical skills.

I'm always keen to be learning something new, and am looking for a fast-paced creative agency where I can own projects and take on large new challenges. Most importantly, I'm super easy to get on with.

{ Work History }

Freelancing

Coventry, London, Berlin
Sep 2012–Present
Graphic & Web Designer

Adapting to the needs of a wide variety of clients, work has included logos and branding for a music production company, literature for a high profile charity fundraiser in Texas, and currently long term branding, packaging and website work for an unconventional new London fitness startup aimed at women.

Stella & Dot

London, UK
Jan 2014–Present
Junior Designer > Designer

Working in three languages across six countries to produce web assets, email campaigns, event signage and seasonal lookbooks. Coordinating and directing the redesign of a weekly email newsletter and static web pages. Guiding interns and freelancers during busier periods. References available on request.

betahaus

Berlin, Germany
Jul–Nov 2013
Design & Events Intern

Handling all design needs of the Haus, including web assets, promotional print materials and environmental type. Branding a large weekend festival and designing spaces and experiences for the parties. Freelancing for various startups in the Haus including betaradio. Honing my intermediate German.

Image +

Coventry, UK
Apr–May 2012
Graphic Design Intern

Contributing to new branding and web design for local companies. Meeting with clients and organising large briefs. Laying out and artworking a series of printed brochures for a large retirement home company. Working on interior design assets for the studio rebrand.

{ Education }

College of Richard Collyer
Horsham, UK
Sep 2008–Jun 2010
3 A2 & 3 AS levels (A* & A)

Coventry University
Sep 2010–Jun 2013
Graphic Design BA (First Class Hons)

Independent Courses
Responsive Web Design
Hand Lettering/Sign Writing
Advanced Wordpress

{ Personal }

Skills

I pick up skills very quickly, so find understanding new concepts easy. I'm great with numbers and write excellent copy, being comfortable working in other languages. I'm fluent in HTML and CSS, and my design strengths shine in the details—I know the difference between dashes but won't let technicalities get in the way of a great concept! I have excellent communication and pitching skills.

Interests & Achievements

Many projects involve hands-on processes, I'm very interested in print making. My spare time often involves entire afternoons at the cinema, cycling around the city, or games of ultimate frisbee in Green Park. Achievements include being awarded a creative scholarship by my university, being sponsored for a design placement in Berlin, and helping to launch an exciting London-based startup.