

CV for **Jed** John Ernest Darnley Gibbs MA interactive production ThingLink certified creator February 2026

Design + teaching for Web, print, video, animation, games design, creative media & computer science.

Adobe Creative Cloud: Ai, Ae, An, Au, Dw, Id, Ps, Pr; Affinity, Canva; DaVinci Resolve; FinalCut; Blender; 3ds Max; Cinema4D; Maya; Unity; Unreal; Poser; ThingLink; SharePoint; Panopto; Blackboard, Moodle; MS Office.

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Current Employment

Digital Resources Developer [University of Southampton](https://www.universityofsouthampton.ac.uk) CHEP B58/2089 University Road, Southampton. SO17 1BJ

Nov 2019 - current

Video recording & editing, livestreaming; interactive ThingLink infographics; SharePoint & WordPress Websites for CHEP (Centre for Higher Education Practice).



part-time contracts 2013 - 2019

Additional assignments including Website updates; online conference support; IT support; notetaker for students with disabilities; large format printing.



Freelance

2000 - current

[my-animation](https://www.my-animation.com) workshops & projects; [Jednet](https://www.jednet.co.uk) design & training for Web/print. Training & Web design, animation, video camera work, audio & editing, 3D printing.

Education & Qualifications

MA Interactive Production awarded by Nottingham Trent for Southampton Institute, now Solent University 2002-2004

Web design; video Final Cut, Soundtrack & DVD Studio Pro; 3D in Cinema 4D; Stop-mo animation in Dragonframe.

Mastered Introduction to Blender completed 10 week bootcamp and 6 months additional sessions online 2025-2026

3D modelling, sculpting, animation, lighting, rendering plus AI & business skills training and mentoring via Zoom

ThingLink certified creator 2022 [SoloLearn.com](https://www.sololearn.com) HTML, CSS, JavaScript, PHP + SQL certificates 2016-2017

Photoshop & Web Animation OCN Level 3 Certificates Southampton City College 2002-4

Notetaking OCN; Health & Social Care Level 2 NVQ

PGCE Further Education Teaching qualification University of Portsmouth via Eastleigh College 2019 - 2020

Passed first year but second year interrupted by COVID-19 and have only taught briefly online at FE level since.

BA (Hons) Graphic Design Coventry (Lanchester) Polytechnic, 1983-4

Typography, graphic design, photography, computer animation and audio-visual. First year only, fell behind after 'flu

Foundation Diagnostic Certificate in Art & Design Southampton Institute (now Solent University) 1982-3

Graphic design, drawing, painting, ceramics, sculpture & photography.

3 x A-Levels + 9 x O-Levels King Edward VI School, Kellett Road, Southampton 1976-1982:

A-Levels: C for Art & History, D for Mathematics **O-Levels:** 6 x A including Art, Mathematics & English; 3 x B

References



Trevor Maskall - my line manager for Computer Science & Creative Media, Eastleigh College, Chestnut Avenue. SO50 5FS email: tmaskall@eastleigh.ac.uk



Yvette Melia - my line manager for CHEP, University of Southampton, 58/2087 University Road, Southampton. SO17 1BJ email: Y.C.Melia@soton.ac.uk

Previous Employment



Teacher FE
p-t Mar 2015 - July 2020

[Eastleigh College](https://www.eastleigh.ac.uk) Chestnut Avenue, Eastleigh. SO50 5FS
Games Design, Web, creative media & computer science for Levels 2+3 and HND.



Lecturer HE
Summer 2019

[University of Southampton](https://www.universityofsouthampton.ac.uk) Pre-sessionals, ACIS, University Road, Southampton. SO17 1BJ
Teaching English, prepping Chinese & Thai students for study at UK Masters level.

Previous Employment for Jed John Ernest Darnley Gibbs MA interactive production



Agency Teacher FE

p-t June 2016 - June 2019

Morgan Hunt for South Thames, Kingston and Southampton City College Games Design at Level 3 for all three colleges + Web/Interactive Media at Kingston.



Media Teacher FE

April 1997 - June 2016
(part-time)

Totton College Water Lane, Totton, Southampton. SO40 3ZX
Creative Digital Media Production at Level 3; Digital Graphic Design Diploma; HNC
Dreamweaver Web Design, Photoshop, InDesign evening classes; animation; video.



Artwork Manager

Jan 2014 - Dec 2014

Medicom Healthcare Ltd. Forum 3, Solent Business Park, Whiteley.
Designing cartons, leaflets, labels, flyers, online ads, presentations and packshots.
Effective communication with customers and suppliers in the UK, Europe & India.



PA/Carer

p-t Aug 2009 - Oct 2018

Spectrum Centre for Independent Living > direct care team
Personal care/assistance for my father-in-law, who had Parkinson's Disease.



Manager

Aug 2007 - Sep 2009

Halcyon Holiday Cottages New Forest, Hampshire.
Web design; maintenance, customer care, administration for 10 large properties.



Digital Print Manager

Mar 2007 - Aug 2007

ASAP Signs UK Rushington Industrial Estate, Totton, Southampton.
Photoshop, InDesign, Illustrator, Coreldraw. Running large inkjet printers.



Technical Instructor

part-time Sep 2005 - Feb 2007

Solent University East Park Terrace, Southampton. SO14 0YN
Lecturer and T.I. in Photoshop, InDesign, Illustrator, Dreamweaver, Vectorworks 3D.



Lecturer FE & Mac Technician

part-time 5 Jan 2000 - Sep 2006

Southampton College St. Marys Street, Southampton. SO14 1AR
Photoshop, InDesign & Illustrator, Dreamweaver, Flash, iMovie
Final Cut Pro/Express, After Effects, stop-motion & 2D animation.



Night Manager

15 May 97 - 5 Jan 2000

Fairway Reprographics Ltd. Chandlers Ford Ind. Estate., Eastleigh, Hampshire.
Pre-press for BHS, Butlins, CenterParcs & Rexam in Photoshop, Illustrator & QXP.



Team Leader

24 July 96 - 15 May 97

Rexam Pharmaceutical Packaging Ltd. Eastleigh, Hampshire.
Carton designs in Illustrator & QXP - barcodes, security features & scanning.



1st Printer

16 Aug 95 - 20 July 96



P&O Cruises (UK) Ltd. Richmond House, Southampton
Senior Leading Hand sailing with the cruise ships Oriana, Victoria & Canberra
Layout & artwork for all printed material on board: newspapers, menus & leaflets.



Night Manager

18 April 95 - 11 Aug 95

Swift Graphics (UK) Ltd. Marsh Lane, Southampton
Pre-press for ad agencies and magazines including BBC Wildlife.



Proprietor

1 Oct 1987
- 10 Feb 95

JedSet Design, Typeset & Print 12 Marsh Lane, Southampton
Illustrator, Photoshop, QuarkXPress, PageMaker, Freehand, Excel & FileMaker Pro
Turnover £100,000+ /p.a. employing two designers, platemaker, two press minders.
Clients inc. Lloyds Bank, Alldays, KPMG, Thomas Cook & British Marine Industries.
Gained experience of sales, proof-reading, pagination, plate making, management, running Rotaprint 2 colour litho presses, folding machines, guillotine and collator.

Typesetter/Artworker

2 Feb 1987 - 15 Aug 87

Offset Colour Print Woodside Road then Empress Road, Southampton
Typesetter on Digitek 2000/Quadritek, Letraset, hot wax paste-up, process camera.



Radio Operator

part-time 1980 - 1983



Royal Navy Reserves HMS Wessex, Southampton
Radio Operator First Class (Tactical) serving weekends & summers on HMS Alfriston.
Communication by radio, morse code, flags, signal light. Trained as a touch-typist.