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Employment History

July 2008 – Present

Company: **Hachette Australia, Level 17, 207 Kent Street, Sydney, NSW 2000**
Position: Website Designer (Contract)
Duties/Responsibilities: Liaise with members of each Hachette division to keep the company website content up to date.
Designing, coding and maintaining micro-sites, completion of internal digital multimedia projects and other digital marketing tools such as email tags and flash banners for online trade magazines. Designing, implementing and managing e-newsletter campaigns. Please visit my website <http://www.colinbrennan.net> to view recent work.

November 2005 – July 2008

Company: **äht(, Level 2 Tablet House, 60 Bowman St, Pyrmont, NSW 2009**
Position: Digital Media Manager
Duties Responsibilities:
Assist the Director's of aht(to create dynamic unique pitches for clients such as the advertising agencies Singleton, Ogilvy & Mather, BMF, Saatchi's, JWT and 303. Successful pitches involved creating television commercials for brands such as Telstra, Qantas, Arnott's, Uncle Toby's, XXXX Gold and many more.
Pitches: Assist director in creating research briefs.
Implementing research.
Liaising with storyboard artists.
Creating Animatics.
Using Adobe Indesign to creatively present completed pitches.
Marketing: Coordination and direction of the development and on-going maintenance of the äht(website <http://www.aht.cc> using content management systems.

E-marketing. Creation of e-newsletter campaigns.
Monitoring and analysis of website traffic.

Design print ads to be published in Industry specific magazines.
Liaise with publishers.

Using Apple Final Cut Pro and DVD Studio Pro to create current and up to date show reels of director's current work.

Administrative: Manage and maintain in-house Post Production Avid editing suites.
Technical support and training of staff.
Liaise with external post production companies and freelance post and production staff.

July 2005 – April 2007

Company: **Beyond Productions, 109 Reserve Road, Artarmon, NSW 2064**

Position: Casual Online Edit Assistant in TV Production

Duties Responsibilities: Included preparing offline edit's of show's such as **Mythbuster's, What's Good for you, Wrecks to Riches and Beyond Tomorrow** for onlining on Avid Adrenaline and Nitris Online Suites. The final setup for the online editor including making Omf audio files, Afe's and Digitizing.

Logging and digitizing of rushes.

FTP's of Rough Cuts and Preparing EDL's.

Nov 2004 – July 2005

Company: **Watt's Publishing, 12 Huntley St, Alexandria, NSW 2015**

Position: Website and Multimedia Designer

Duties Responsibilities: Designing and maintaining company website and micro-sites. The completion of internal digital multimedia projects and other digital marketing tools such as email tags.

Oct 2003 – Oct 2004

Company: **Actioncivil**

Position: Construction worker while on temporary working holiday visa.

Jan 2003 - June 2003

Company: **Direct English, World Trade Centre Barcelona, 08039 Barcelona, Spain**

Position: English Teacher

Duties Responsibilities: Visiting companies to help staff better develop their English skills.

Feb 2002 – Dec 2002

Company: Synergy Europe, Upper Rathmines Road, Dublin 8, Ireland
Position: Assistant Multimedia Designer
Duties Responsibilities: Assisting developers in creating websites and interactive CD-Roms for a wide range of small businesses throughout Ireland.

EDUCATION

Short Courses: October 2005 Tafe, Enmore, Sydney, Australia

Qualification: Digital Compositing with Apple Shake

May 2004 Australian Film, Television and Radio School, Sydney, Australia

Qualification: Certificate in Desktop Compositing with After Fx 6.0

Third Level: 1999 – 2002: Liberties College, Dublin, Ireland

Qualification: Diploma in Media Production & Digital Editing

1998 – 1999: DIT Kevin Street, Dublin, Ireland

1 year of Electronic Engineering

Second Level: 1992 – 1998: St. Columba's CBS, Tullamore & St. Aloysius College, Athlone, Ireland

Qualifications: Honours Leaving Certificate

Honours Junior Certificate

ACHIEVEMENTS & INTERESTS

Achievements: NCVA level 2 in Media Production.
FETAC Certificate in Digital Movie Processing.
CDVEC in Broadcast Media Production.
R.E.L.S.A Certified TEFL Course in Dublin School of English.
Various cross-country & track medals and trophies.

Skills: HTML/XHTML, CSS, Javascript including JQuery, Flash Actionscript 2 and some knowledge of using PHP and ASP.

Extensive experience in using programs such as Mac & Pc Versions of:
Avid Systems, Apple software including Final Cut Pro, DVD Studio Pro and Shake,
Adobe software (Dreamweaver, Flash, Photoshop, Illustrator, InDesign, Fireworks
and After FX), Multiple FTP Programs and Microsoft Office.

Video for the internet including understanding of different methods of compression,
tools and formats for delivery.

Hobbies/Interests: Club Secretary of Bondi FC Soccer Club.
Scuba Diving, Cinema, Film, Writing & Reading

REFERENCES

On Request.