



About me

I have been a designer for over 5 years, during that time I have worked for a range of companies both large, small, freelance and full time. My experience has led me to understand the importance of design and how to empathise with the end user.

I am passionate about user experience design and believe that every digital product shouldn't be boring or hard to use. I enjoy making fun experiences through animation, micro interactions and gaining insights through user testing.

Originally from the UK, I'm currently on a 457 Work Visa in Australia. I am currently looking for a full time UX design position to expand my portfolio, knowledge and to become a valuable asset to a new company.

Experience

UX Designer - **Tabcorp**

January 2017 - present / Sydney, Australia

UX Designer - **MetLife**

April 2016 - November 2016 / Sydney, Australia

UX Designer - **New Republic**

June 2015 - February 2016 / Sydney, Australia

Freelance Web Designer - **sammarchant.com**

April 2010 - Present

(thewedgeglebe.com, kmkustomfabrication.com.au, zoerollings.com, maishadesign.com)

Web/UX Designer - **CEE Hydro systems**

November 2013 - June 2015 / Sydney, Australia

Web Designer (freelance) - **Colourcentric**

January 2012 - June 2014 / London, UK

Web Designer - **Global Personals**

September 2012 - August 2013 / Windsor, UK

Web Designer - **Vorsprung**

July 2011 - July 2012 / Windsor, UK

Skills

Advanced

- Adobe Photoshop and Sketch
- Sketching
- InVision
- Responsive web design
- HTML and CSS/SASS
- Sublime text and Dreamweaver
- WordPress CMS

Familiar

- Keynote
- Axure and Balsamiq
- Foundation Framework
- JavaScript and PHP
- Adobe Illustrator and InDesign

Education

Gamification course - 6 week online gamification course ran by Coursera

General Assembly 12 week intensive User Experience Design course (2015).

BA honours degree in Graphic Design: New Media (2008 - 2011) from the University for the Creative Arts.

A levels in both Applied Art (B/C) and Information Technology (C) at **Collingwood College**.

Volunteer experience

I took part in a UX challenge for **Oxfam Australia**, this included redesigning an online experience for one of Oxfam's "Design for change" campaigns.