Alex Field

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Art Assistant – Prop Maker – Graduate Set Designer

A highly motivated and hardworking Graduate who has gained significant experience working as Art Assistant and Prop Maker as well as assisting with set design for numerous film and music video productions.

Effective working diligently both within a team and independently on initiative, a creative and artistic professional who is a quick learner, always punctual and works ahead of schedule.

Personable and polite, collaborative and determined, a reliable, well-organised individual who is enthusiastic, inquisitive, and observant, and will be an asset to any creative team on set.

☆ Skills

Drawing Set Prop Making Creative Discussion
Model Making 3D Printing Technical Drawing
Painting Photography Computer Editing

Software: Sketchup, Photoshop, AutoCAD, Premiere Pro, CURA, MS Office (Word & PowerPoint)

Education & Training

Sketchup and Layout course		Luke Whitelock course (online)	2023
Art and Props Assisting Course		Granger Hertszog Art Department	2023
BA Hons (2:1) Set Design	Wimbledon College of	Arts - University of the Arts London	2016 – 2019
Foundation Diploma in Art & Design (Merit) Camden working men's college		2015 – 2016	
A-levels in Photography, Art and Product Design, A*-C East Barnet School		2013 – 2015	
10 GCSEs, A-C		East Barnet School	2008 - 2015

Relevant Experience

Art department runner Fisher Investment advert, Neasden Studios, London

2023

Seven days working under production designer Guy Thompson (production designer). Activities included dressing sets, applying vinyl, making boxes and number signs, moving heavy objects, collecting dressing props from prop houses, driving through London, striking props and assembling furniture.

Art runner Bumble advert, Copeland park Unit 8 and 10, London

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• Two days working under Sabrina Linder-Ramsay (production designer). Activities included dressing sets, props list striking, moving heavy objects and driving around London for purchasing prop packing items.

Art department trainee Chivas advert, Studio Dais, London Studio of Enfield

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Five days working under the Sabrina Linder-Ramsay (production designer). Activities included transporting props from London to Buckinghamshire, purchasing set dressing equipment (i.e. spray paint), picking up crew members, set dressing, set dismantling, prop list striking. Also included picking up furniture and other heavy objects and cleaning the sets.

Model Maker Cattle wearable zero methane technology ,Zelp, Camden

2023

• Four days working under Angela Pheby (General Supervisor). Activities included Silicone moulding, making and prepping pre-made components for a prototype. Also spent a day working in Hook to create the environmental prototype with a team of model makers.

Art Department Assistant

The Crown, Netflix, Borehamwood

2022

Two weeks work experience under Hannah Santeugini (art director). Activities included set prop making, building 2 technical models on the deadline, and scaling drawings down on Auto CAD. Also conducted vehicle research (period), attempted to fold a napkin in a shape that no one knows how to make (Dutch Bonnet), arranging dates in detailed order on calendars, and making tea and coffee,

Art Assistant - Music video Pink Pantheress, Zite and Leo – MindsEye, London

2022

• Set decorating under Max Lincoln (production designer). Activities included moving furniture, creating special effects by tying fishing line to plants, lamps, and cocktail umbrellas to give the impression they were moving on their own, and props check listing.

Prop Assistant Night Country – Fossa Studios, Brixton and Uxbridge

2022

Assisted in the purchase of listed props under Issa Lopez (director) and Mick Piri (production designer).
 Activities included transporting the props through Trafalgar Square to Uxbridge and organising them.

Art Assistant/ Runner

Sonafi - RSVP vs RSV – Blonde, London

2022

• Set decorating on director Doug Newman's short film for Sonafi - RSVP vs RSV under Emily Murayama (art director). Activities included arranging furniture, making drinks, and keeping the room cool.

Art Assistant

Hidden – Veni Vidi Films, Scotland

2022

 Set prop making and prop buying for director Natalie Anne – Downs' film Hidden under Natasha Coleman (art director). Activities included helping with special effects by coming up with the idea and inserting incense sticks into a pistol, as well as digging weeds on location.

Art Assistant / Runner

Rhubarb Rhubarb, Little Battle, Kent

2022

 Set decoration and prop check-listing for director Steven Boyle's film Rhubarb Rhubarb, under Tom Gander (production designer). Activities included sticking rhubarb in a fake mound of earth for a dementia scene, and more mundane tasks such as making tea and coffee.

Art Department Assistant

Nexus - Holborn Studios, London

2019

 Created background structures and miniatures as well as moved objects in the studio for the Star Wars toy advert under director Conor Finnegan.

Assistant Prop Maker

Britannia TV Series – Sky TV Neasden Studios, London

2019

 Made set props under director Rob Savage. Activities included using textiles, sowing netting to Velcro, dying fabrics, as well as cleaning the studios, cleaning weaponry, and crucifying vacuum-packed fish.

☆ Current Role

Receptionist

Longmore Osteopaths, Barnet

3 - 6/2021 & 3/2022 - present

☆ Hobbies & Interests

- > Portrait painting: taking commissions for multiple clients drawing live, from photographs or imagination.
- Detailed model-making: creating detailed scaled down models of famous architecture and recreating sets from favourite books and movies.

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References

Available on request