# Curriculum Vitae for ELOISE MARTIN-PARSONS

## **Contact information**

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#### Personal information

Date of birth: 02/06/1996

Current age (2015): 18

Gender: female

Non smoker

I thoroughly enjoy Art and Design, in particular photography.

I am a hardworking, confident individual who always enjoys a challenge. My strengths include; creativity and innovative ideas, good communication skills and co-operating well with others which enable me to work both independently and in a team. I also have a very enthusiastic attitude to everything I do; I am punctual and I always try hard and work hard to achieve the best of my ability.

## **Education**

BA (Hons) Commercial Photography at Derby University, September 2014-Present

BTEC Level 3 Diploma in Art and Design at Newcastle-under-Lyme College, September 2012-July 2014

#### Artistic opportunities:

- Kerry Gold/Tesco ball competition-I was chosen as one of ten students out of 90 entrants
  to embellish and decorate, with a gold theme, a men's waistcoat and accessories to be
  worn by a member of the Kerry Gold team to the Tesco ball.
- Photography competition-I entered 4 photos into a photography competition and was one
  of 4 who won the amazing opportunity to photograph Stereophonics during a sound check
  rehearsal at the LG arena in Birmingham.
- End of year exhibition-I displayed 5 images based on a final project in an exhibition at Newcastle-under-Lyme College. I worked alongside Wade Ceramics to photograph close up elements of the factory using a macro lens, creating digital images that I then traditionally printed in the dark room.

Alsager school (comprehensive) - 2007- 2012

Alsager Highfields primary school- 2001- 2007

#### Qualifications

BTEC Level 3 Extended Diploma in Art and Design, specialising in Photography- Triple Distinction.

GCSE English literature- A	GCSE RE- A
GCSE English Language- A	GCSE Drama- A
GCSE Maths- B	GCSE Chemistry- B
GCSE Biology-B	GCSE Physics- B
GCSE Art- B	GCSE German- B

Level 2 National Award in ICT - Overall Distinction.

#### Work experience

Free Lance Photography 2011 - Present.

- Wedding, June 2014.
- Pre-school celebration for children going into school, July 2012.
- Models shoot to advertise a hair and makeup artist, April 2012.
- Photography for a prom car advertisement, April 2012.
- Programme photos for a high school play, February 2012.
- Wedding, August 2011.

FORMAT Photography festival, March 2015-April 2015

I voluntarily worked as an invidlator during the international photography festival, FORMAT, in Derby.

Liquid, Envy and jumping Jacks Night club, Hanley, July 2014-September 2014.

I worked over the summer between ending college and beginning university as a promoter for a chain of clubs owned by The Luminar Group. This involved social media advertising, working during the night, handing out leaflets and wristbands to potential customers as well as escorting them to the night club.

Imagination to Image (i2i) photography and design, Alsager, June 2011 - September 2012.

I joined i2i for a week long work placement during which I completed photography and editing tasks, engaged with customers; existing and potential, worked with finances and carried out other office tasks. Since my initial introduction I was able to return frequently for further work experience which has included not only working in the studio and office but also assisting on shoots: Cheshire show 2011, the Ford Fair, Silverstone 2012, model shoots, jewellery catalogues and graduation photos in nurseries and primary schools. My work experience ended due to the closing of the company.

White Lion Inn, Barthomley, 2011 for approximately 6 months.

Waiting on in a public house which included communicating with customers, serving food and cleaning tasks.

## **Hobbies and interests**

Along with photography and photo retouching my hobbies include reading; mainly fiction, swimming and life drawing.

I have taken part in charitable fundraisers including children in need events and running the Race for Life in 2011 and 2014.

In 2009 I achieved my level 1 leadership course for cheerleaders and with my school cheerleading squad came 4<sup>th</sup> in the national schools championships.

#### Future...

Am I considering going on to study photography or a related subject further, though I aim to eventually or upon completing my current degree, work as a free lance photographer.