Hello I'm Suzanne and I make brand focused content (video, animation, graphic design, photography and illustration) for forward thinking businesses and stand up organisations

My goal is to help companies and brands become clear and interesting by coming up with ideas and creating concepts that are rooted in strategy.

I was born in Ireland and raised in Salford, UK. I have worked with various agencies, brands, and organisations to help them visualise what they want to communicate to their audience.

You are welcome to check out the following slides that show a selection of my work or you can see the full case studies at www.suzannemurphy.co.uk



Just some of the brands, businesses and stand up organisations I have had the privilege to design, illustrate and make videos & animations for—

































Medical Practitioners Tribunal Service

Medical Practitioners Tribunal Service is a tribunal service for doctors in the UK. They run hearings, which make independent decisions about whether doctors are fit to practice medicine.

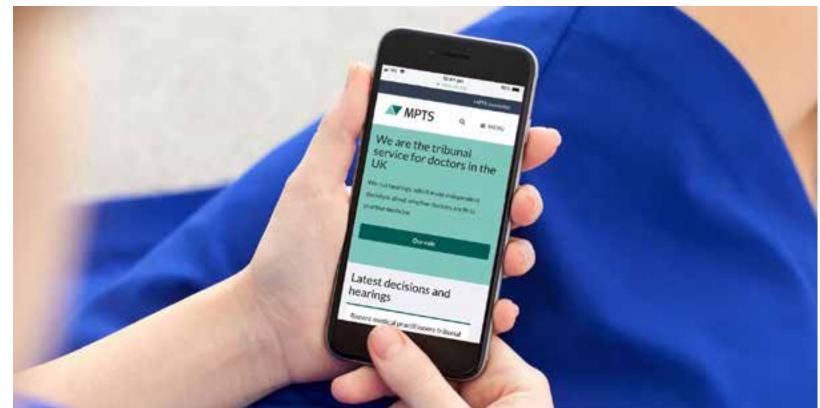
It was up to me to design a new modern logo and visual identity for the MPTS. This included designing the website, banners stands and print materials. The designs needed to project the image of a modern, forward-looking organisation, appropriate to values and audience requirements.

Read full case study here: https://tinyurl.com/mrcc67b5

























Holts Auto

These are in-house made videos filmed, animated and edited by me. I used a budget video cam and iphone for the filming, Adobe After Effects for the animation and Adobe Premiere for the editing. The sound was recorded mostly via the camera due to lack of microphones.

Tips for Cold Starting Your Car | Holts How To Guides tinyurl.com/3y49syzw

Prestone Eco Refill Winter Screen Wash | Prestone Car Screenwash https://tinyurl.com/4upeesht

Get Your Car Set for Ice and Snow with Prestone #shorts https://tinyurl.com/2p8v6z26

Ask the RedExpert Halloween Special | Fuel Additives for Classic Car

https://tinyurl.com/2ukm8z85

Prestone Eco Refill Screen Wash | Summer Screen Wash | Car Screen Wash | https://tinyurl.com/y24sxd94

How Often Should I use Redex?
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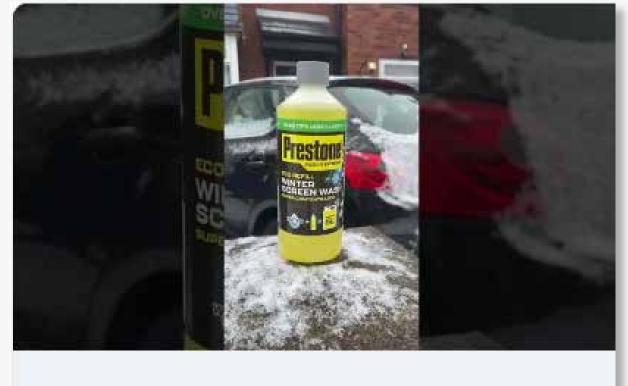


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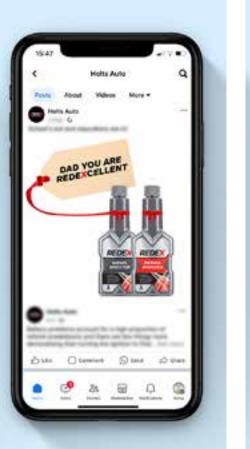
Ideas and concepts to promote Holts Auto products via social media.

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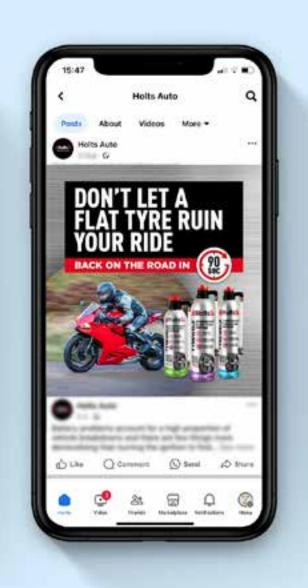
























The Arts Council

While working as a designer as part of Epigram Communications arts and culture team I was asked to create a storyboards and animate these as short gifs to be used for the The Arts Council. These were animated using Adobe Phototshop and Adobe After Effects.

Making a static storyboard come to life as an engaging animation for an Arts Council explainer video https://tinyurl.com/yh8s3pen

Creating a story board and animation to support the for The Arts Council's annual environmental report https://tinyurl.com/3bd4hxnx

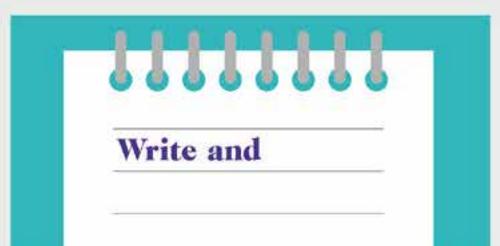


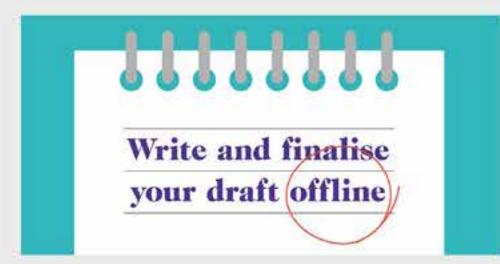




















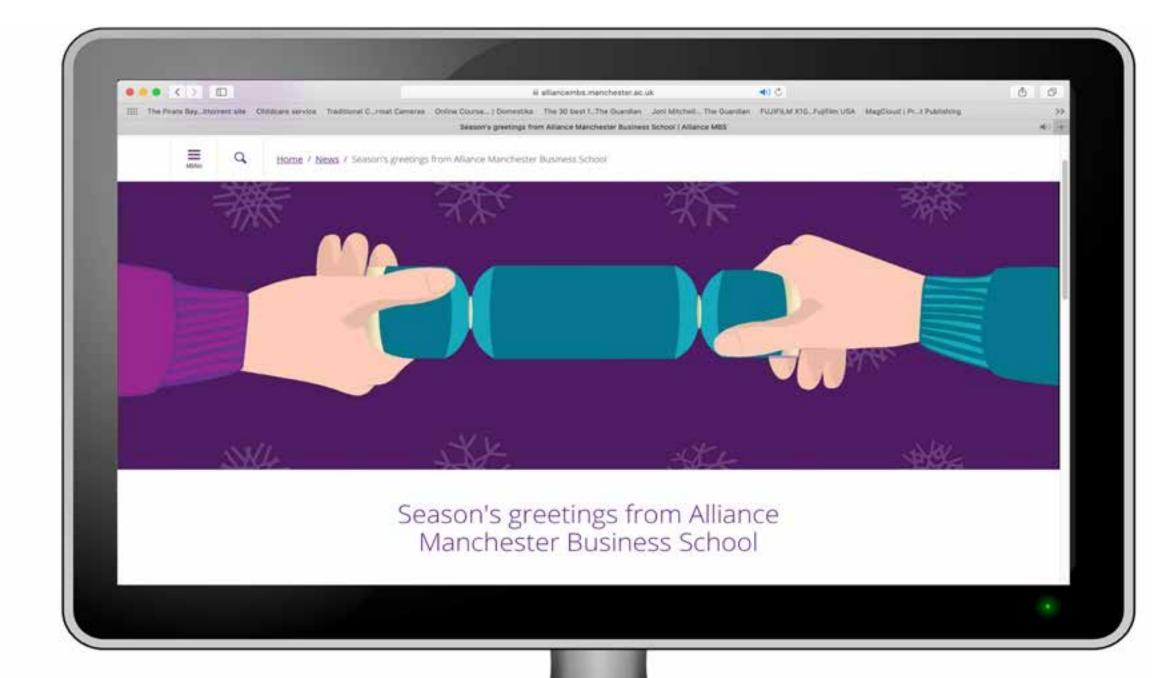


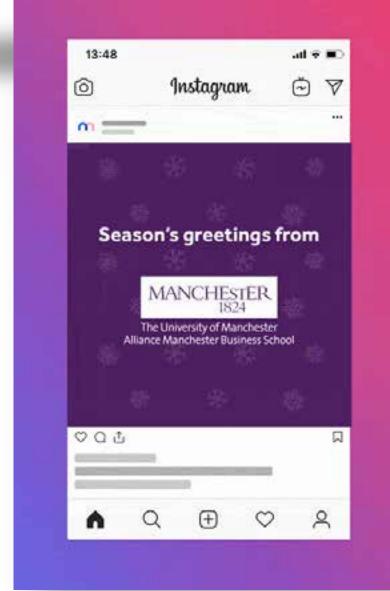
Manchester Business School

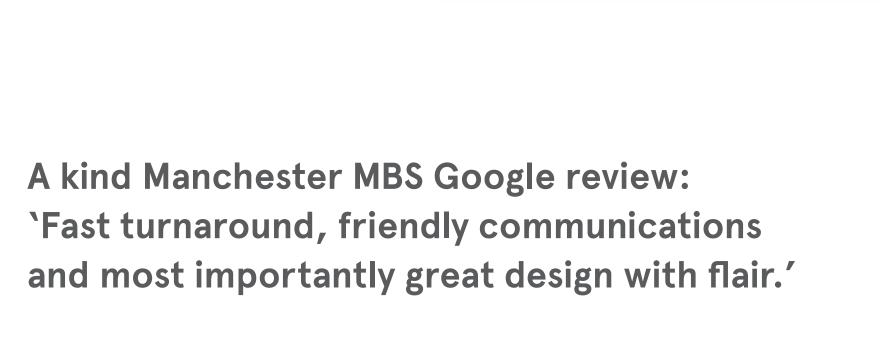
After studying Manchester Business Schools brand guidelines I used their colours and fonts to create these fun and festive video and email animations. To add to the quirky character of the animation I created it in the style of a traditional 'frame by frame' stop motion animation. This gave the animation a unique and quirky feel which is something different from the modern smooth motion animations that are widely seen online.

A quirky seasons greetings 'Stop Motion Style' animation for Manchester Business School to celebrate it's highlights https://tinyurl.com/bdftuyy8

Season's greetings from Alliance Manchester Business School https://tinyurl.com/ms3rwa9v







MANCHESTER

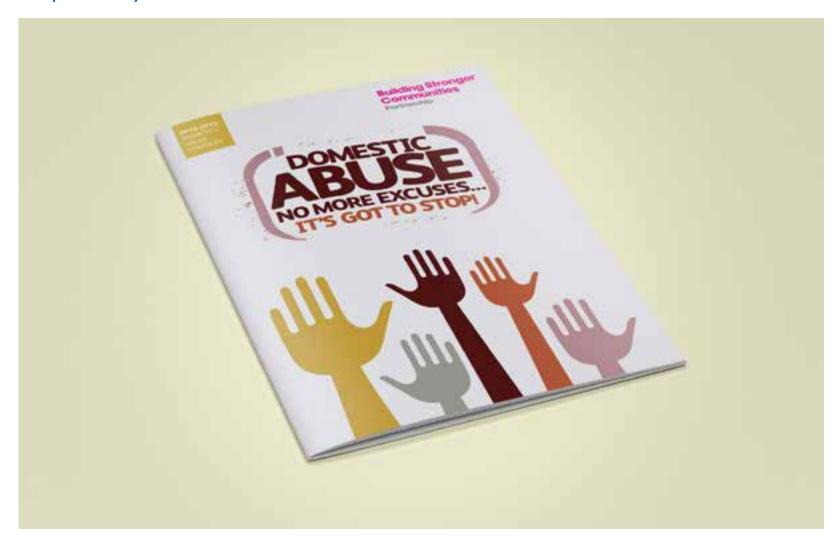
The University of Manchester

Alliance Manchester Business School

Wigan Council

Wigan Council wanted a series of illustrations and booklet design which made the public aware of the domestic abuse problem in Wigan.

Read full case study here: https://tinyurl.com/mtrtzw99













Matthews & Goodman (now operating as Fisherger man)

While designing for the property company Matthews and Goodman I created a number of static and animated social media posts. These include:

Take a look at our snapshot of the #Liverpool Region #Office Market for H1 2022.

https://tinyurl.com/nhj6hxf9

Happy Easter from all at Matthews and Goodman

https://tinyurl.com/yncbjwzc

Merry Christmas from all at Matthews and Goodman https://tinyurl.com/yhsj2mak







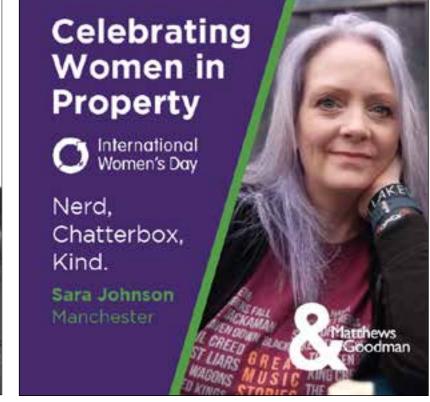




















Manchester Museum Winter Trail fun leaflet game

The game design helped visitors connect with the museum and taught the children about the museum exhibitions in an entertaining way where they are probably not even aware that they are learning.

Read full case study here: https://tinyurl.com/ms66tzd2











DGN Community Centre and Cafe

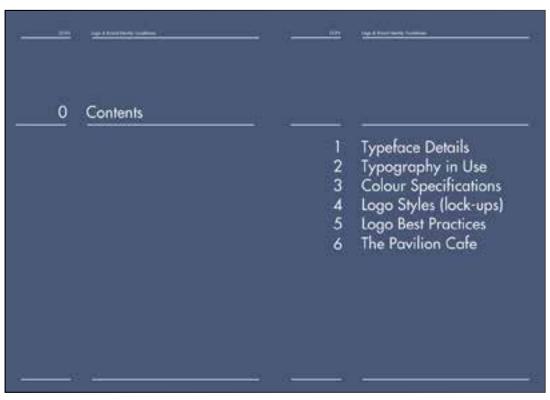
Visual Identity design including logo designs, typography guidelines booklet, design of easy read document templates, posters, banner stands for people who may struggle to read small text.

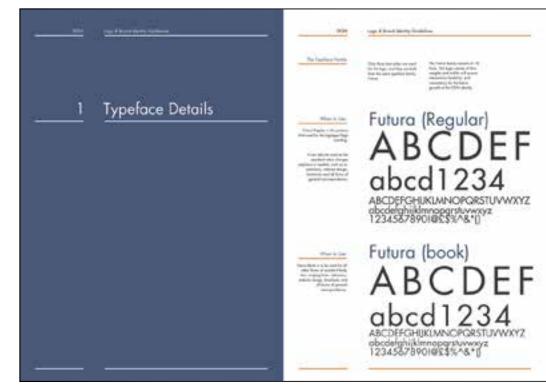
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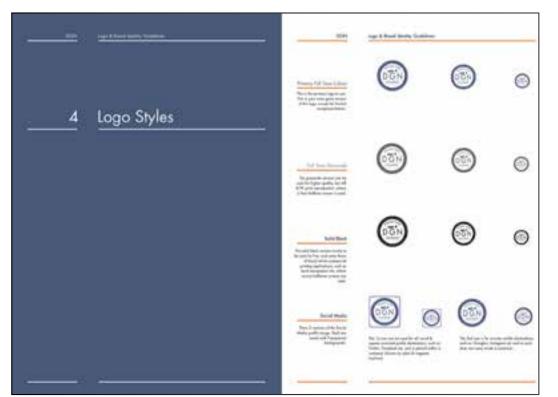
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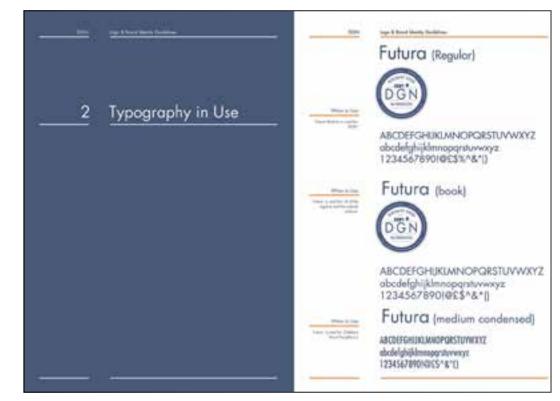






















Fifth Nightclub, Manchester UK

I was hired to boost the appearance of each night and make the promotional materials more visually relevant. It needed to appeal to a whole range of students with a variety of musical tastes.

Please see video's and animations for social media at the bottom of this web page:
https://tinyurl.com/4v2d945r



















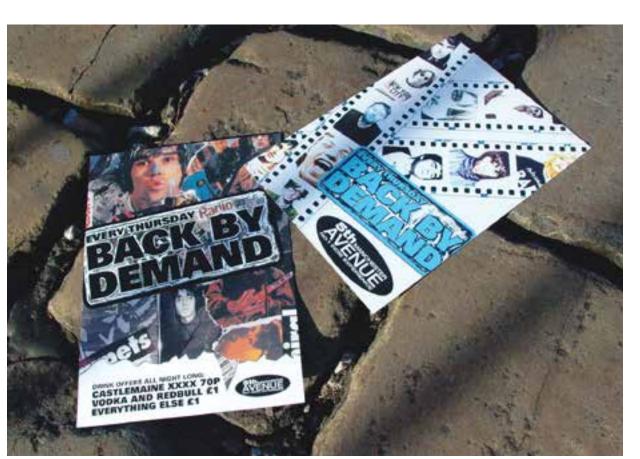


















Point of purchase design for Coca Cola and Butlins

I used warm and friendly illustrations to create this packaging design. I also kept in keeping with Butlins brand guidelines by usng their retro 1950s style of font which gives the design a contemporay yet nostalgic feel

Read full case study here: https://tinyurl.com/ms6apvev









Manchester Metropolitan University

Each case study clearly communicated the research in an clean and elegant layout formula and together the case studies had a unique look and feel that complimented MMU's visual identity.

Read full case study here: https://tinyurl.com/yxfzbxsb





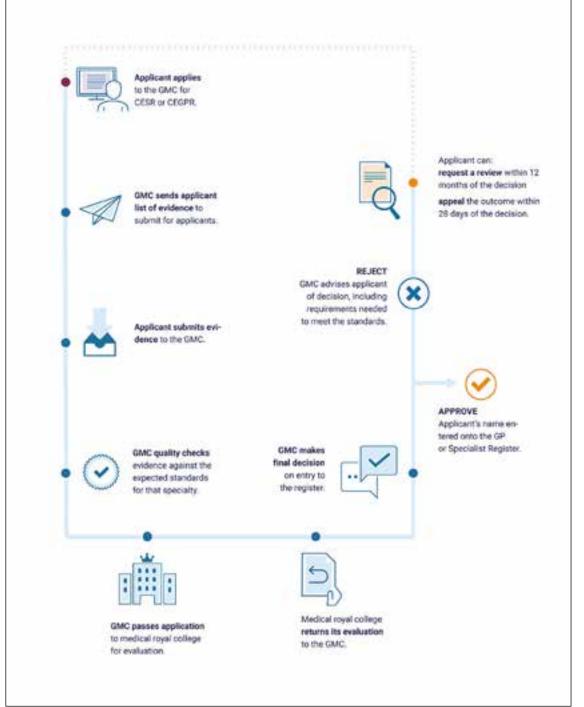




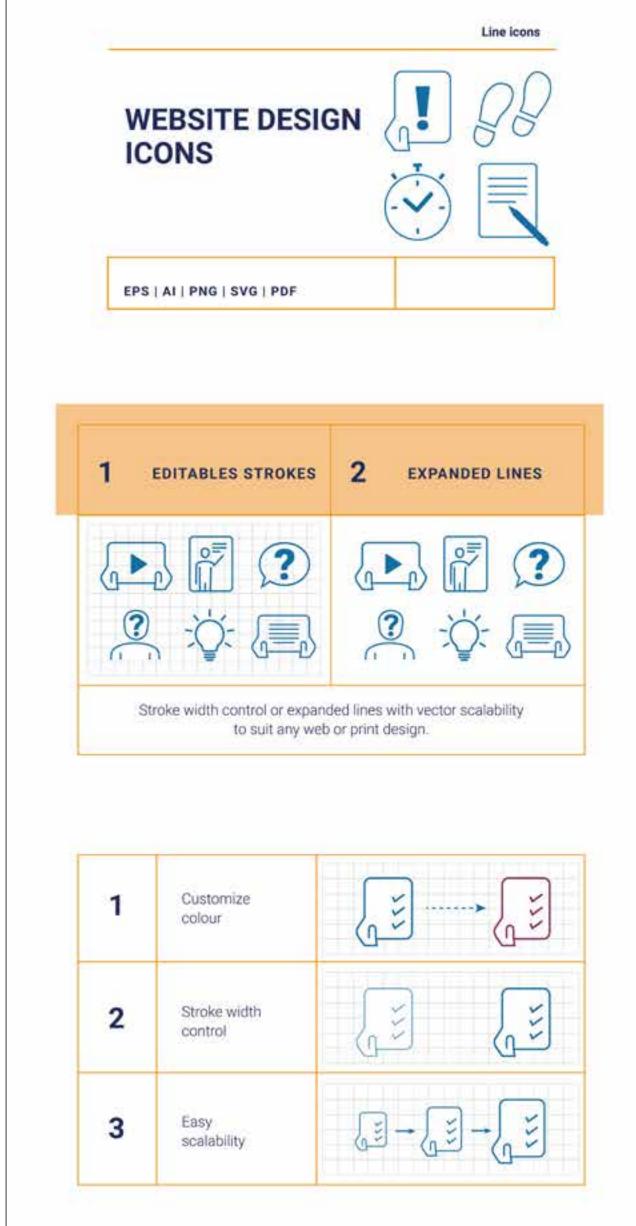
General Medical Council website design

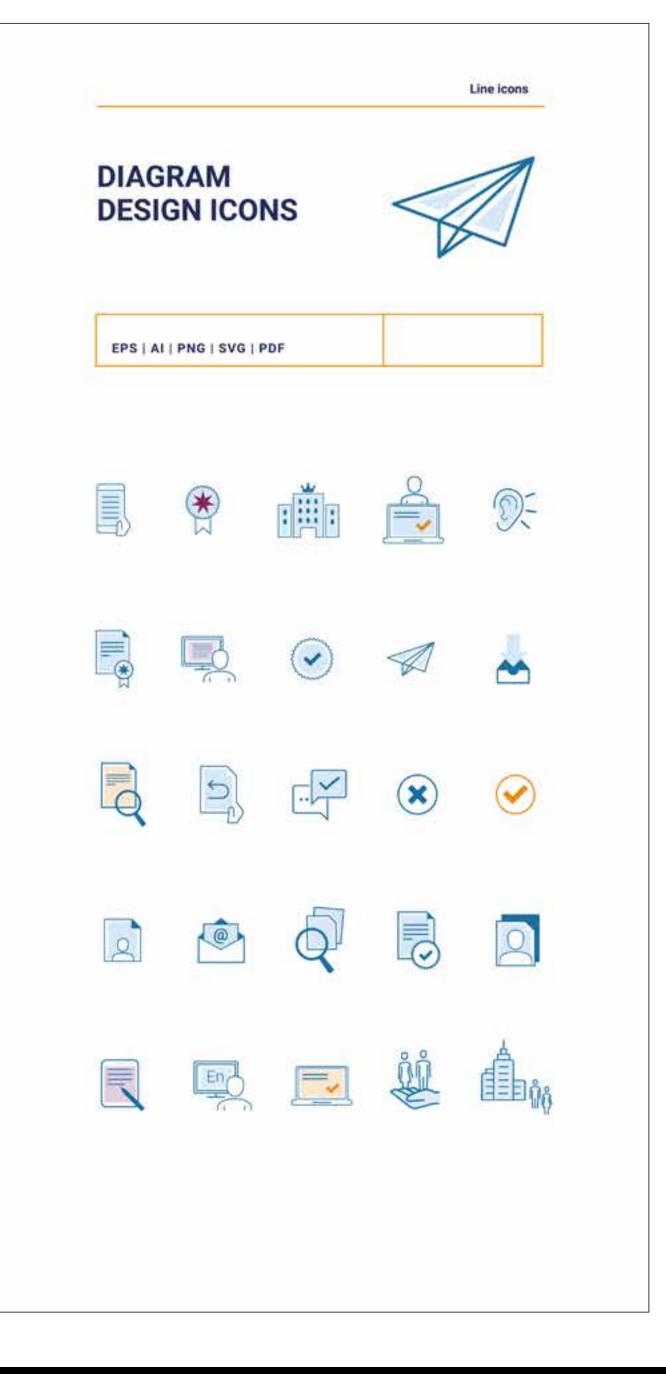
During my contract at the General Medical Council I worked with a large team on the website redesign. I designed all of the icons, infographics and diagrams that are used on the website. I also assisted with the photo-shoot and Photoshop retouching. It was a big task as there were lots of graphics needed, however very rewarding.

Read full case study here: https://tinyurl.com/2reym466







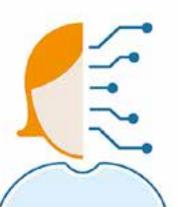


General Medical Council website design

I created the illustrations to unify the report design and create a human look, feel and mood while taking the reader on a journey through the report. With a touch of creativity, a report can become a treat for the eyes.

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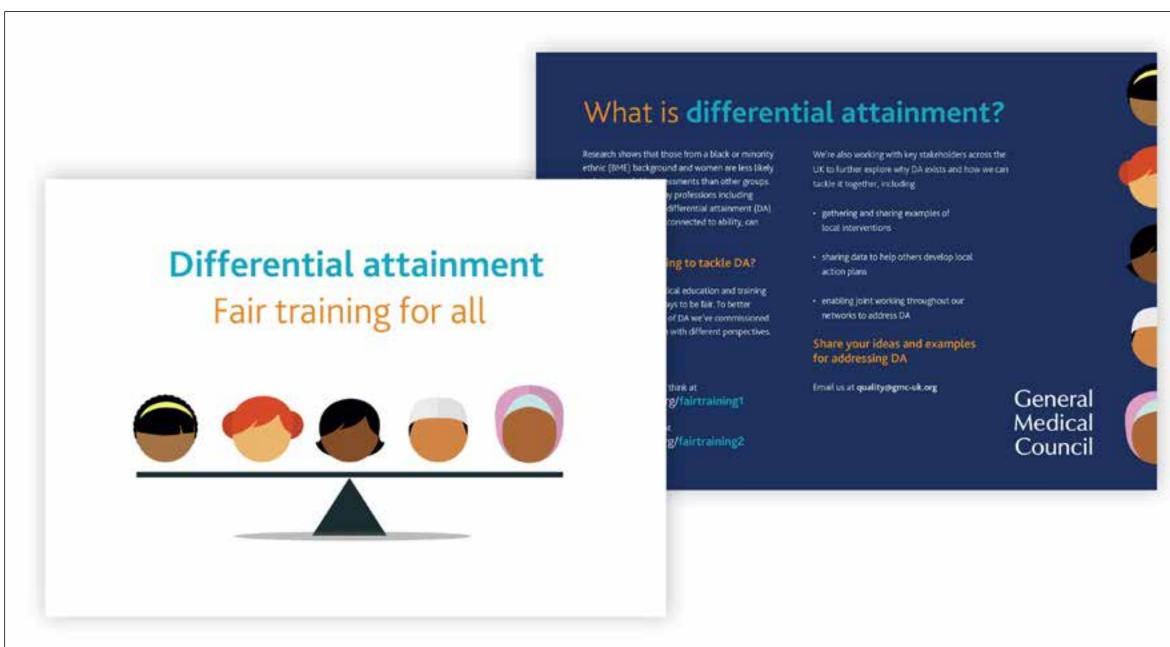


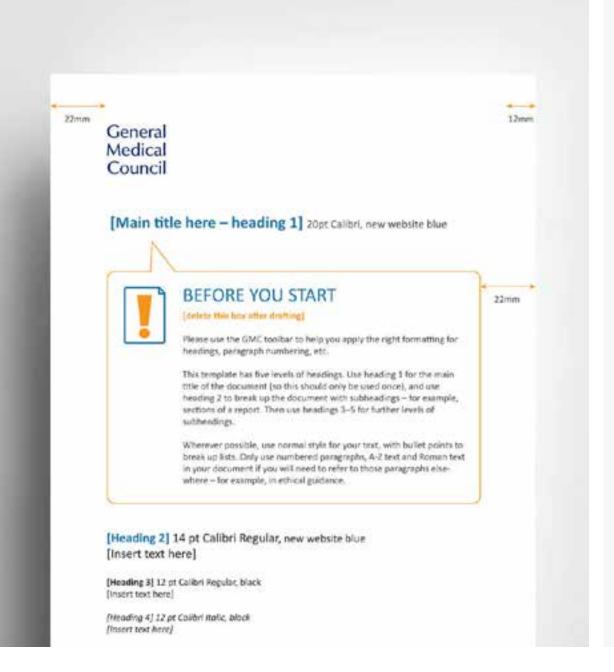












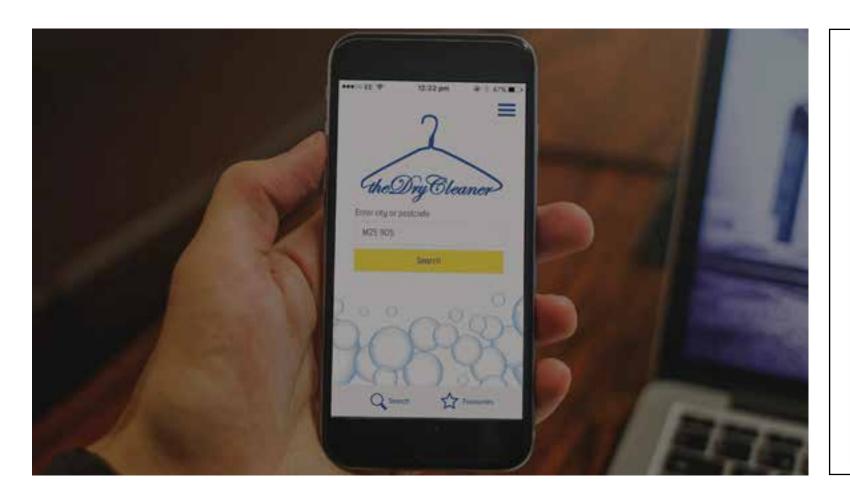


Dry Cleaner App

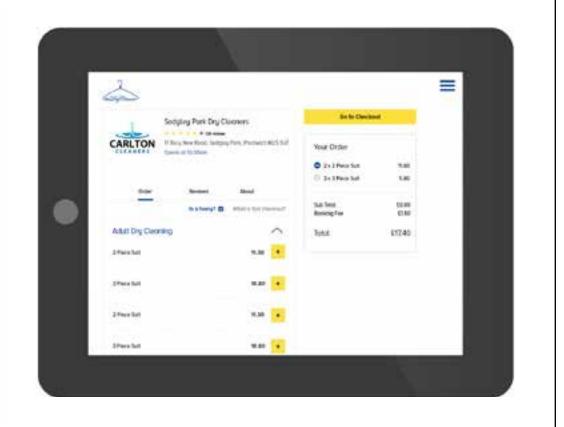
The Dry Cleaner App removes some of the everyday hassle of organising the collection, processing & delivery of the client's garments.

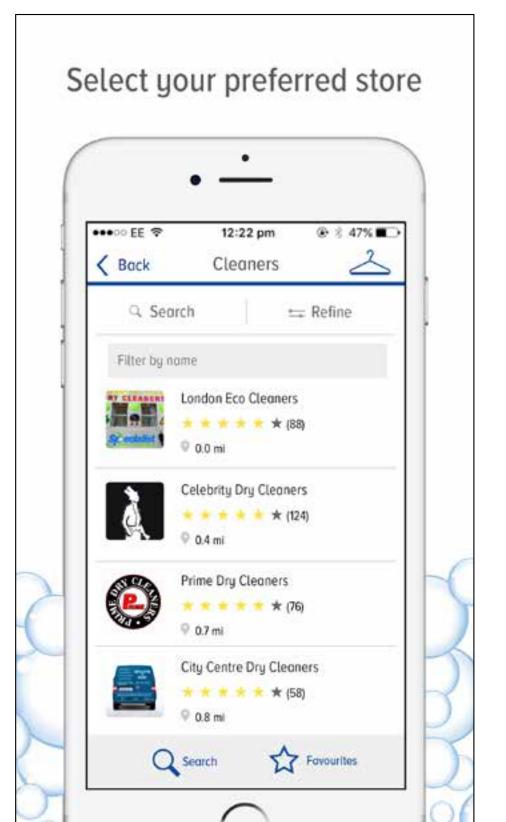
It was up to me to refresh the visual identity, design the app and the website. The company logo could not be changed and had to be adapted to the new design.

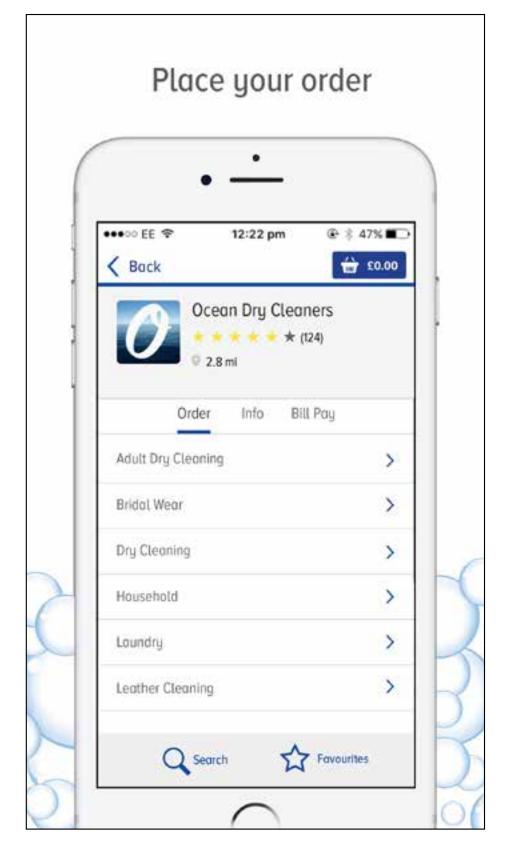
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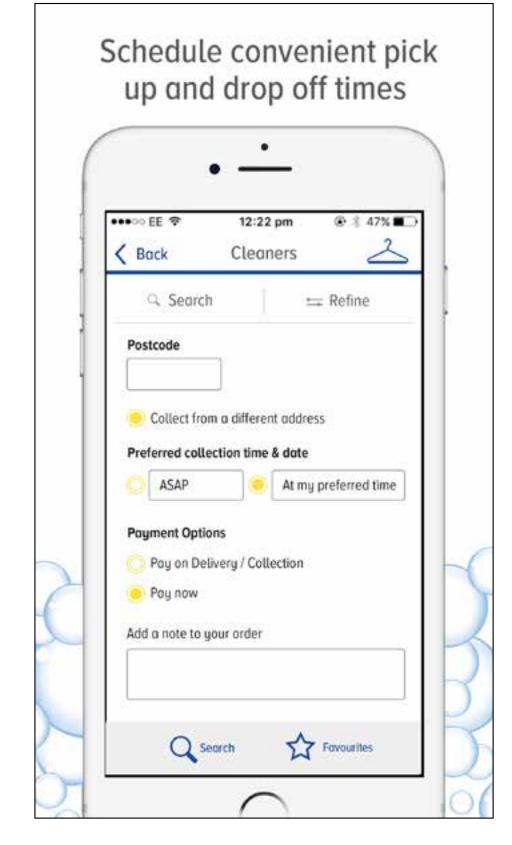


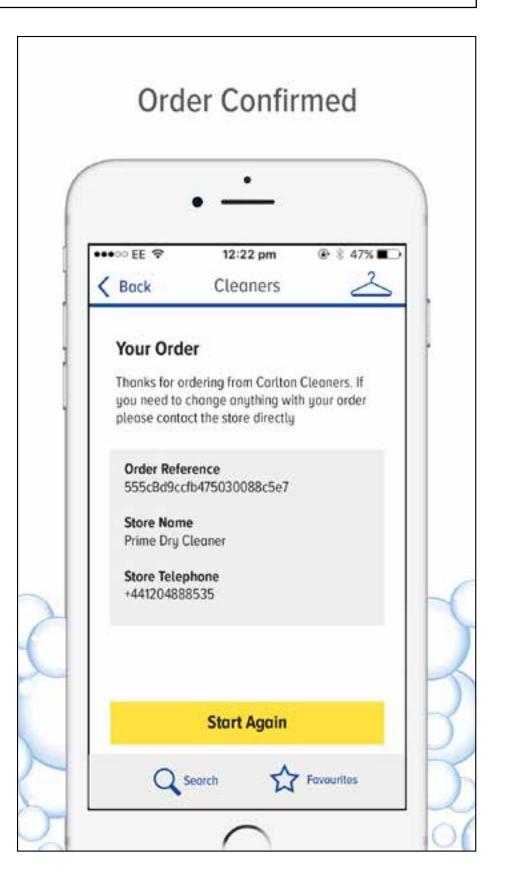










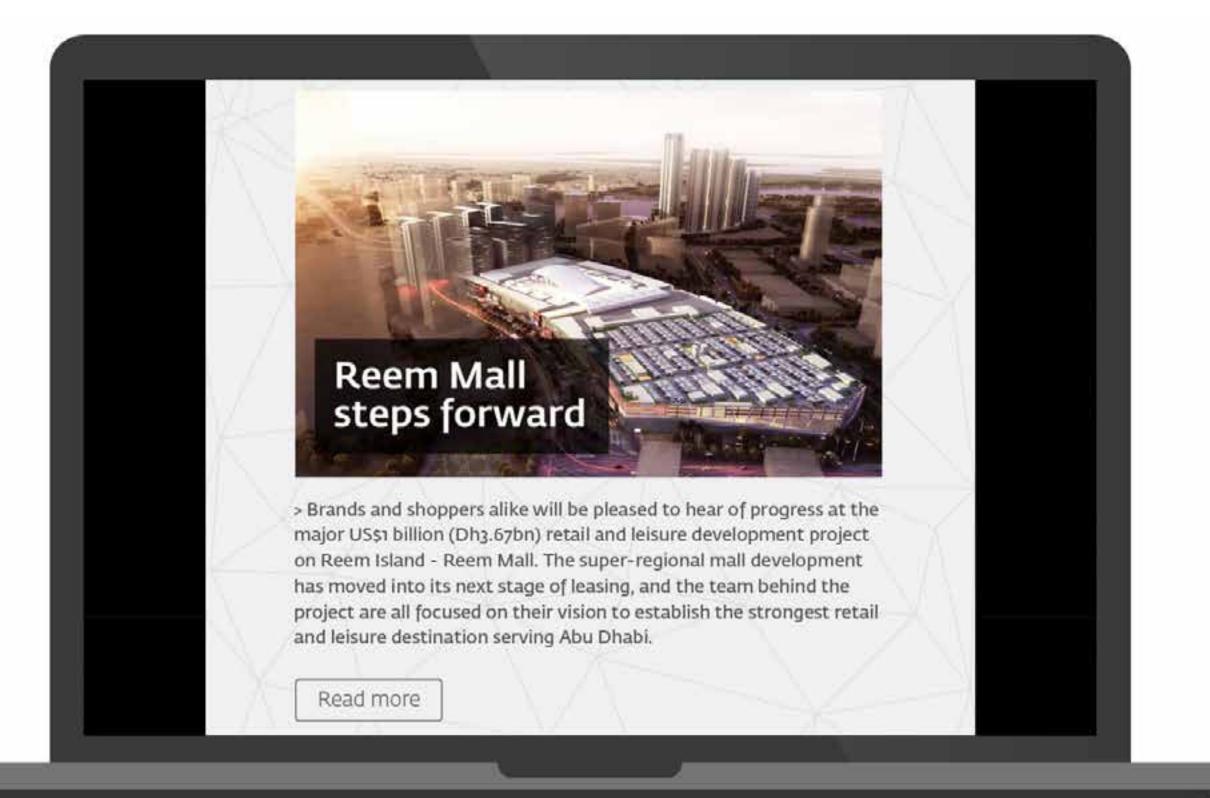


Email design for a shopping mall

Reem Mall will comprises of around 450 stores, including 85 F&B outlets and a range of family-focused entertainment offerings. Positioned on Reem Island - right in the heart of new Abu Dhabi.

It was my job to design a reusable email template for Reem Mall. The design needs to be successful at informing users of news and developments at Reem Mall and increase customer loyalty and awareness. The email must be readable on all devices - tablets, phones and desktops, as well as iOS and Android.

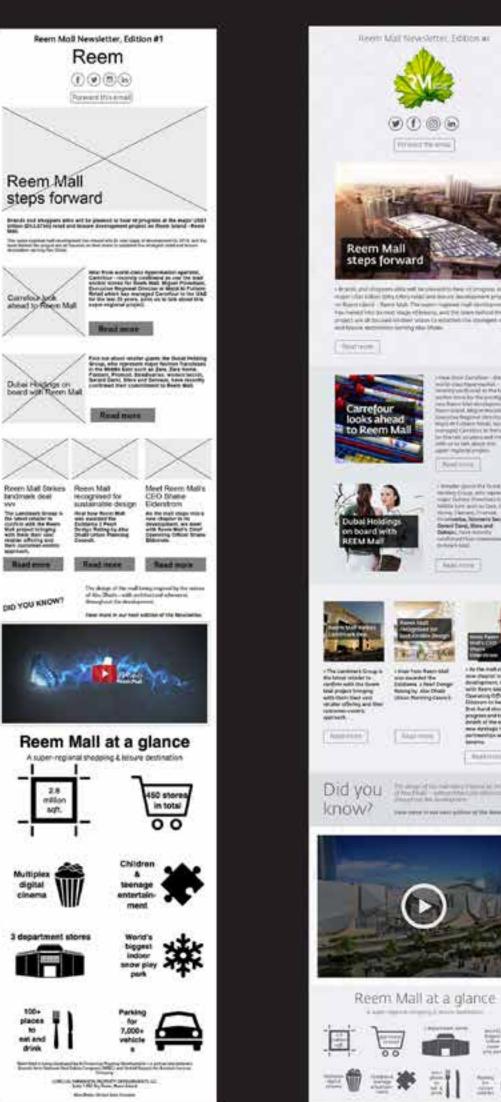
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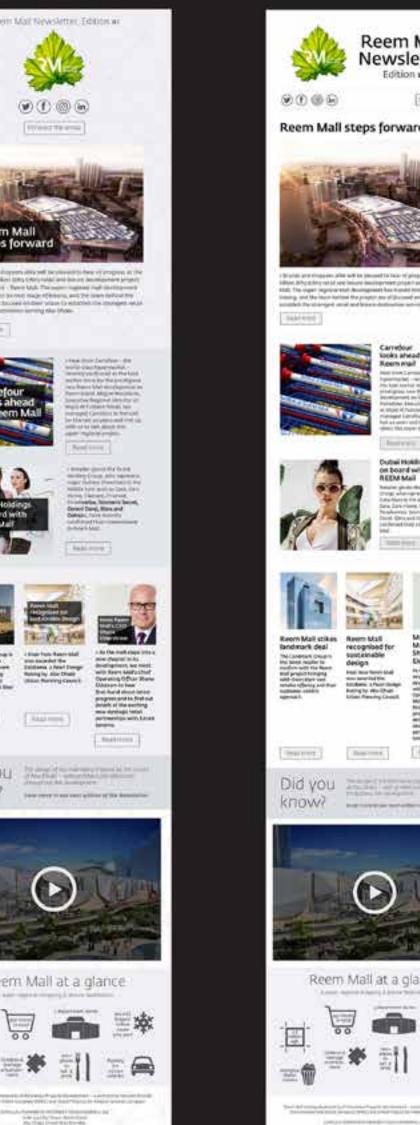


WIREFRAME

VERSION 1 DESIGN INSPIRED BY AR-CHITECTURE

VERSION 2 SIMPLE VERSION DESIGN







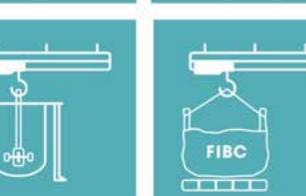
Palamatic Pharmaceutical Engineering

Working alongside the marketing manager and maintaining brand consistency at all times I met the company's needs for a wide range of communication materials when required to create designs including exhibition banners, fact sheets, icons, photo retouching, video editing along with logo and title animation. I also managed the print sourcing, printing and delivery of the printed products.

Read full case study here: https://tinyurl.com/mde2m2ec















M20 Personal Training

I designed the blue and white colour pallet to be bright and motivating and it was complimented with a font that's fun yet simplistic. The final logo design communcated that this is a gym that welcomes everyone to get fit with professional instructors in a state of the art gym while time having fun. The shape of the symbol has been kept purposefully simple in order to aid fast recognition and to allow for reproduction at all sizes without loss of detail.

Read full case study here: https://tinyurl.com/2p9xzczb





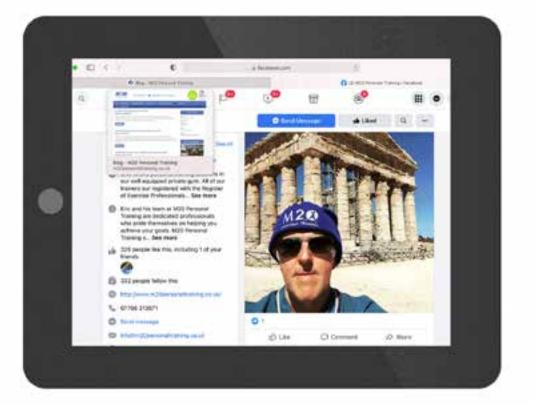












William Josef Male **Grooming Salon**

I designed this project during my position as graphic designer at a company called Champion Marketing which was part of the Champion Accountants group based in the North West. With my Marketing Director at Champion Marketing we worked closely with the team at William Josef, and identified 4 main needs:

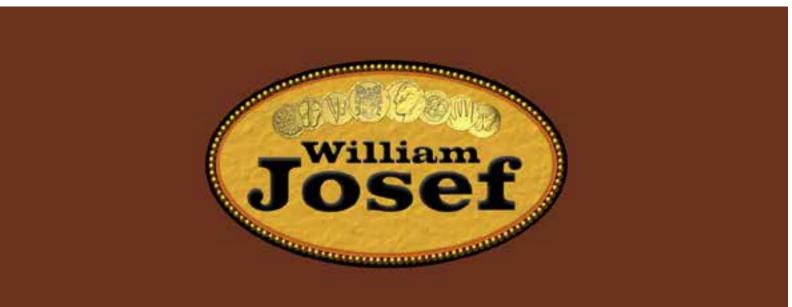
I created a pastiche logo inspired by luxuorious cigar packaging. I used a stong bold 'Wild West' style font to show confidence and, a gold oval badge and gold trim all to give the logo a high end look and feel.

I created a unique icon for each of the treatments with a similar aesthetic approach to give each treatment a strong visual voice within the brand mix.

Signage was designed for the salon along with a series of marketing materials such as a brochure, voucher/voucher envelope, point of purchase leaflets, shop window posters and a website.

Read full case study here: https://tinyurl.com/yc248m9y









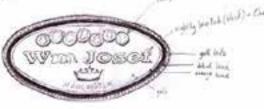




Pauline's













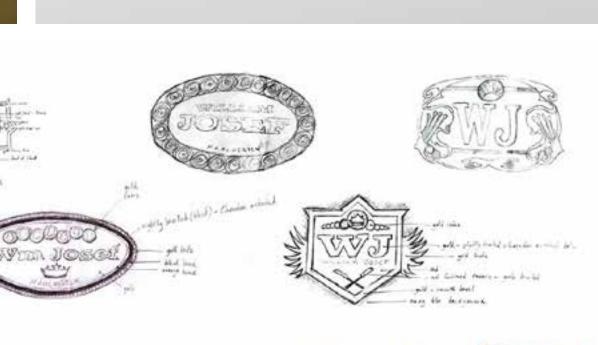




Ladies ... ITS A FIT.







GIFT VOUCHERS

Ladies...

The General Medical Council Conference

I came up with a new title for the conference that is 'Together' to show that this event is about the GMC and delegates coming together in support of one another. I adopted a new vibrant blue colour that had been suggested to me by the team because this bright blue had a modern feel compared to the GMC's existing dark navy blue. I also used a complimentary splash of orange to the event designs including the event title 'Together' and other titles that needed to express the warm feeling of support.

It was important that the new GMC conference identity was consistent throughout all marketing materials such as invitations and promotional emails. Working alongside the marketing team I helped to design everything from exhibition stands, various documents, T-shirts, lanyards to maps and powerpoint presentations. Even though it was agreed that the GMC navy blue was tweaked to a 'new fresh blue' we had to follow GMC brand guidelines.

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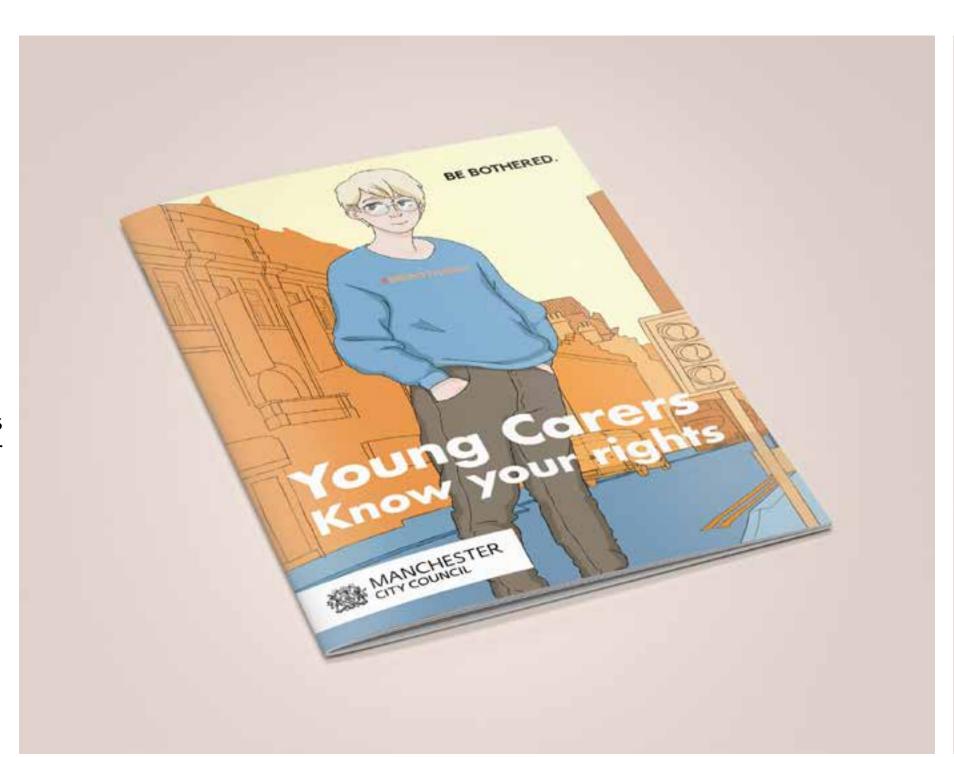


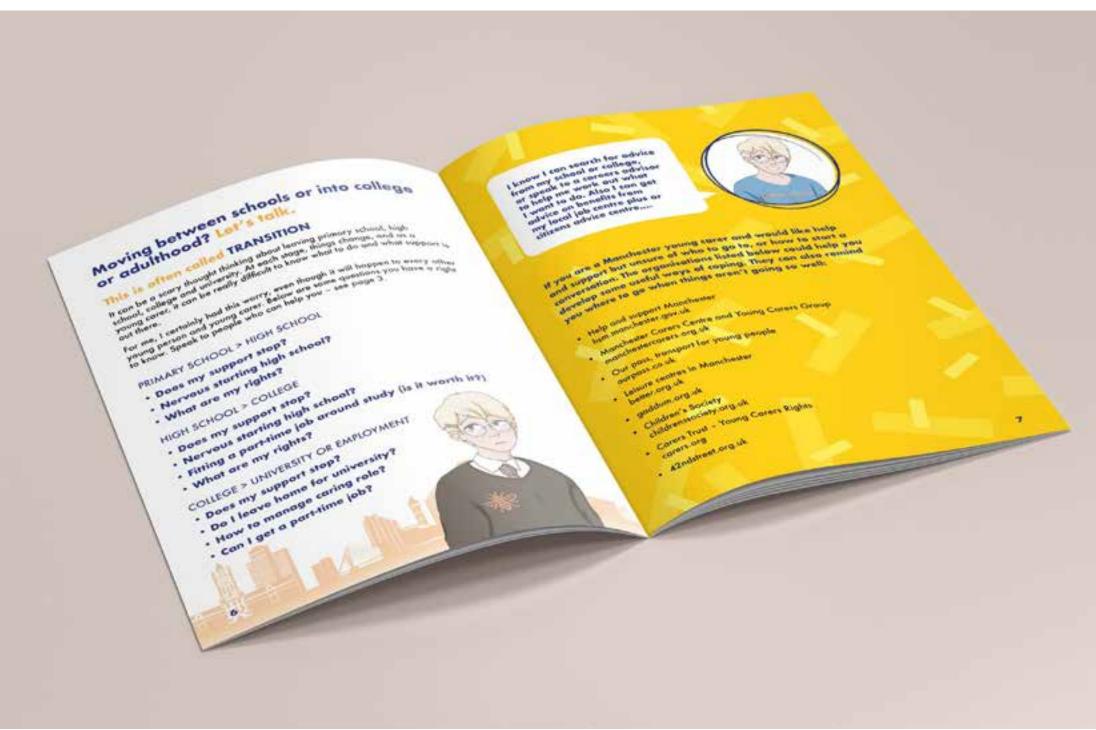


Gaddum

Even though this is a very important resource that contains serious information I felt that it needed to be easy to read and friendly so that young carers would feel comfortable reading the resource and not feel intimidated by the over all look and feel. The design needed to be engaging to young people so I designed the booklet to be bright, colourful and interesting while following Gaddum's brand guidelines and by complimenting the character illustrations supplied by Gaddum.

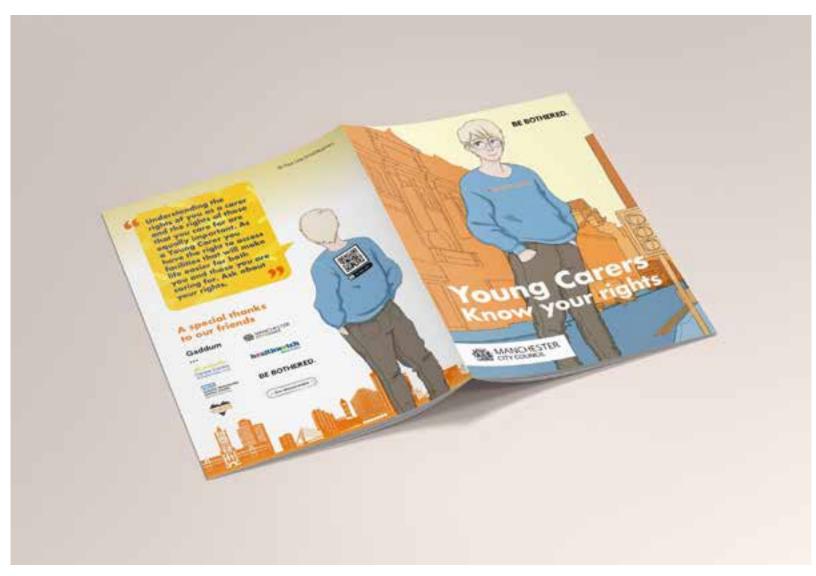
Read full case study here: https://tinyurl.com/ye67zhn8











Bells Gym

Bells Gym is a unique, one on one Boxing & Fitness facility based in the heart of Altrincham, Cheshire. Using Boxing training as a way to enhance your overall well-being, they are dedicated to each and every member in their family friendly based atmosphere.

It was up to me to update their online and offline marketing materials while upholding the Bell's Gym brand.

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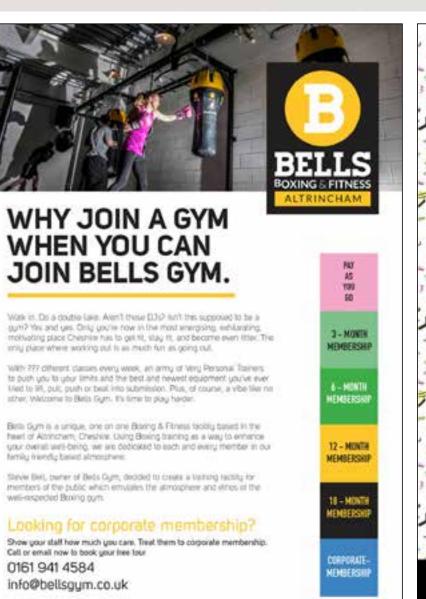


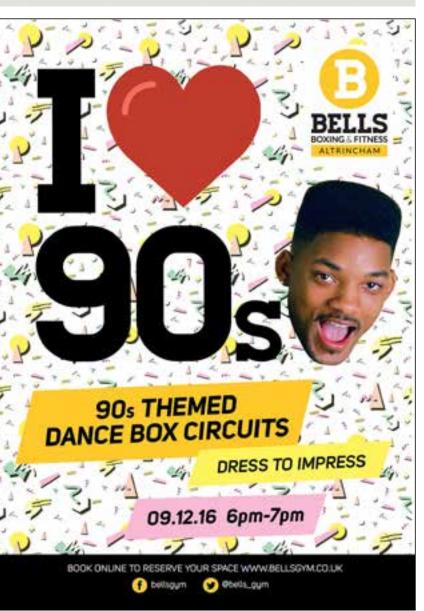












Manchester Metropolitan University

This information booklet was designed to help pupils understand important points about their journey into higher education. It provided important facts while being user-friendly so recipients can quickly get the information they need.

Read full case study here: https://tinyurl.com/ybf4xyyt











Evolve private client services

The seamless integration of words and images ensured a dynamic and memorable brochure campaign. This brought together everything Evolve wanted into a stunning brochure that will resonate with their audience. We suppied various digital formats of the brochure and print copies where requested.

Read full case study here: https://tinyurl.com/mrezdnc4



















Santos AFC

I have been with Santos AFC since the beginning when I was asked to design the logo and kits and for the club. Recently that came back to me and said that they felt like they were floating along, moving from one issue to another and also felt that it was difficult for them to identify their progress and purpose.

Brand Storyboard' that expressed their brand insights. This gave them a clear idea of where the club is now, where it wants to go and how it is going to get there.

Read full case study here:

https://tinyurl.com/4vaur5a7







Santos Football Club Brand Storyboard

Our Club

Where are we now?

Santos is a family club that serves the local community.

Safety of its players and volunteers is very important to the club

Santos is fair and inclusive.

Santos has a good reputation within the community and sets high standards.

Santos prides Itself on being competitive and ambitious.

Santos has award winning

Our Services

What we do

Provide football opportunities for players and volunteers.

Provide opportuntles for adults and children to compete with other clubs.

Provides a place for families and adult players to come together and socialise.

Provides a place to have fun and

Provide opportunities for volunteers to learn new skills and give back to their community

Our Aim What do we strive to be?

Santos wants to continue to be a competitive club that includes everyone and is not Just concerned about results

However the club wants to become more professional by introducing standard processes which will drive **Improvements**

We want to become more appealing and attract more families to the club

We want to improve communication internally and externally so that volunteers and stakeholders understand our expectations and standards

Our Purpose Why we do it

To promote respect within

our community.

To improve health and In our community.

To provide good quality coaching and sports facilities.

To provide a place for the local community to come together.

Our Strategy

By July 2022: To achieve Community

To win Club of the Year in the Greater Manchester Sports Awards

Club Charter Standard

To achieve over 90% player/parent satisfaction

To achieve over 90% volunteer satisfaction

To make £5000 profit

To have continuous process Improvement plans

To send regular communication to parents, players, volunteers and sponsors

To have our own facilities or be working towards a plan to obtain

To create a brand identity that reflects the values of the club

Our Personality



Welcoming



Respectful Supportive

air nique urturing

Our Mission

To create a welcoming, respectful and inclusive environment that volunteers and players find enjoyable and safe. We want to nurture talent correctly to allow players and volunteers to reach their full potential and achieve excellence

Our Vision

To be the best Community Club in Greater Manchester. Being the best means providing a quality service in a safe environment where every volunteer and player feels happy and valued.



SANTOS

Digital Pace

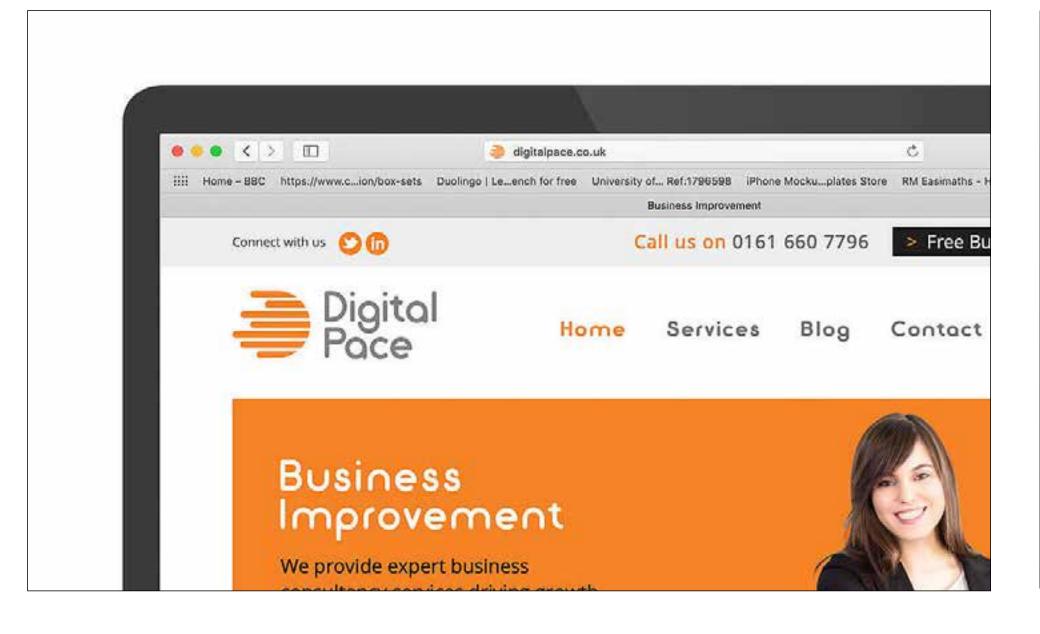
Digital Pace provide professional independent strategic business advice to help companies make the most effective use of technology. Projects range from working with micro businesses on their digital strategy to supporting large companies on selecting and implementation ERP and CRM systems across the UK. I was asked to design a logo and visual identity that reflects business and technology.

I designed it in a way that symbolises the science and forward thinking behind business and technology, at the same time including a flexible, visual element that can identify the brand when the logo isn't shown. This helps to keep the identity fresh, allowing for a variety in reproduction across different marketing material.

Read full case study here: https://tinyurl.com/27c83jk3









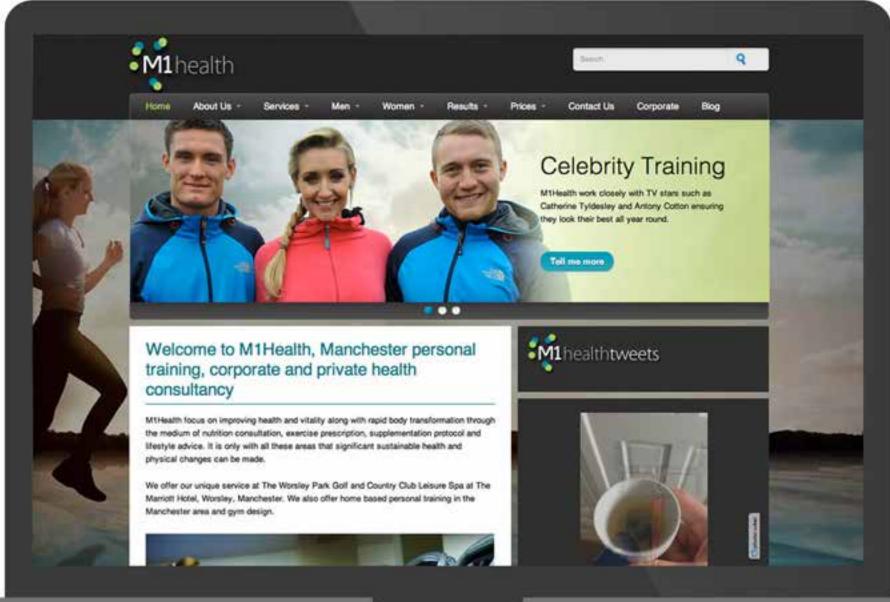
M1 Health

M1 Health is a personal training, corporate and private health consultancy. They focus on improving health and vitality along with rapid body tranformation through the medium of nutrition consultation, excerise prescription, supplimentation protocol and lifestyle advice. My job was to design a logo that represents this unique service in a timeless and distinct way.

I designed it in a way that symbolises the science and forward thinking behind health and fitness, at the same time including a flexible, visual element that can identify the brand when the logo isn't shown. This helps to keep the identity fresh, allowing for a variety in reproduction across different marketing materials.

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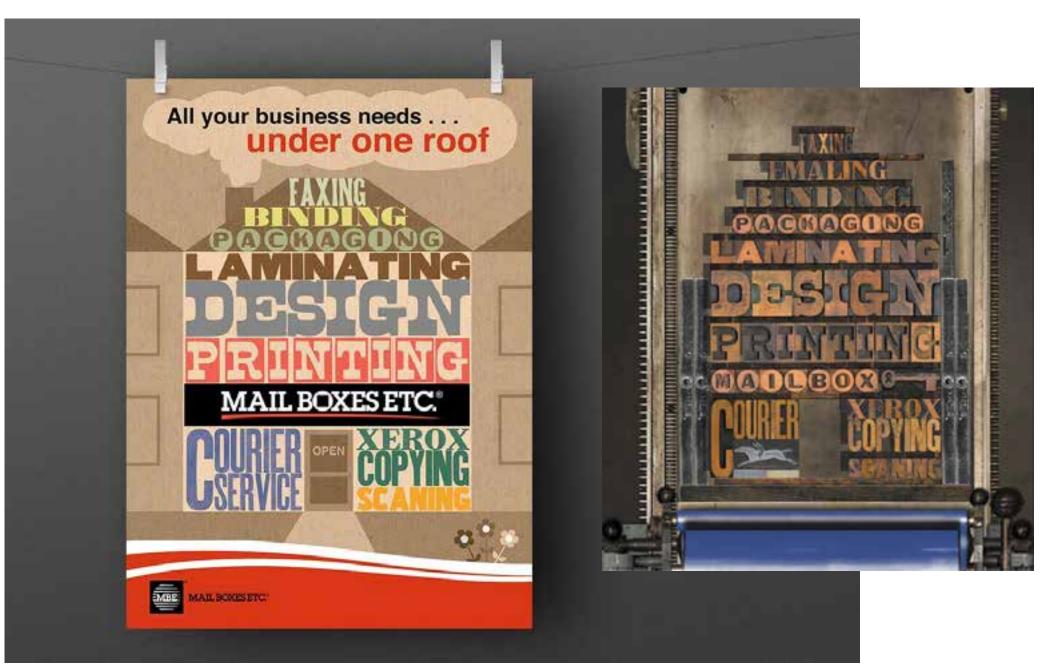
Mailboxes Etc franchise

These designs were for a unique business service which included a Mailboxes etc. franchise and a Printing.com franchise in one shop on the Didsbury, Manchester high street.

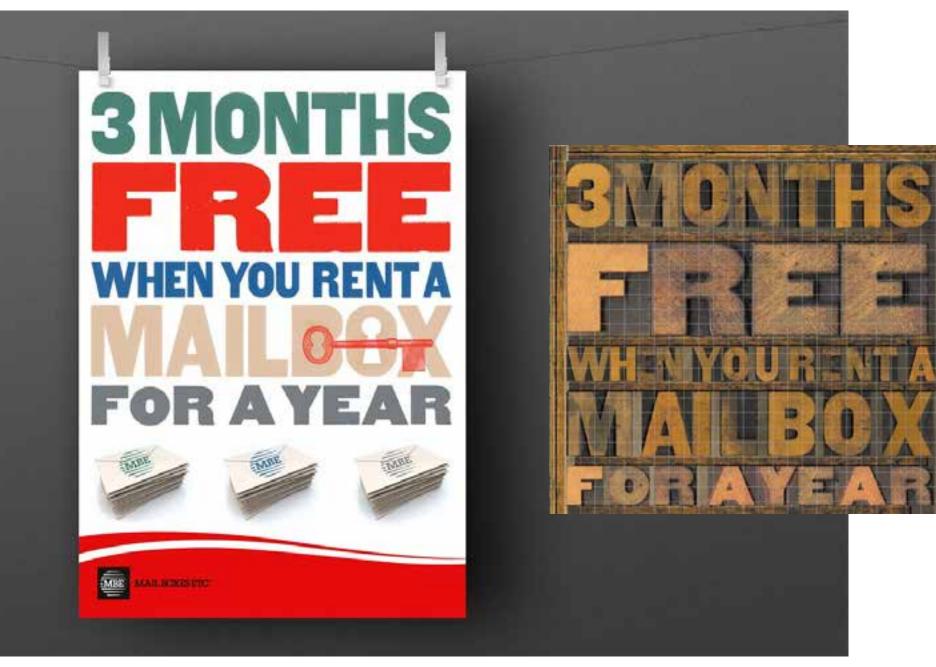
Read full case study here: https://tinyurl.com/3umyfnpb

















ZOO Clubnight at Fifth Nightclub

I created a geometric design for the lion to give it a contempory, futuristic feel. And then to add some chaos and excitment I added random colours to the triangles, this communicated how this club night plays a variety of upbeat popular current music. This placed on a dark background makes the poster look quite moody and cool. The large brightly coloured rounded font adds some needed fun to the poster.

Read full case study here: https://tinyurl.com/msd3a5zf

















Mental Illness Awareness Project

I designed and illustrated this public awaremenss information leaflet. This design shows that mental illness illness can happen to anyone like our family members, friends and co-workers who are just regular people who are not at all scary and dangerous. The warm and friendly portraits show how people with a mental illness are just regular people which contrasts with the raw illustration comunicating the frustrated feelings people with mental illnesses suffer when they are judged in the wrong way.

Read full case study here: https://tinyurl.com/yczkwd49







In the media the use of words such as 'nutter', loony' and 'psycho' fuels our negative perception of people who are mentally ill.

Our negative attitude hampers the work of charities in this area and discourages sufferers from seeking help

Our prejudice adds to their suffering and isolation and as a result, they lose families and friends and worst of all they lose hope.

CHANGE YOUR MIND

For more I formation about mental litters awareness or home to get help please contact. "Changing Minds." West House, Bland Steet, Esert, tandon 1517 (BD www.changingminds.org



Up to 10 million people in the UK suffer from mental illness It can happen to anyone of us



The Didsbury Beauty Clinic

The Didsbury Beauty Clinic were tired of their brochures and appointement cards and wanted a fresh approach to the design. They also wanted the printing to have a very high quality look and natural feel to reflect the philosophy of the clinic.

The high quality look of the design and the natural feel of the printing successfully reflected the philosophy of the clinic.

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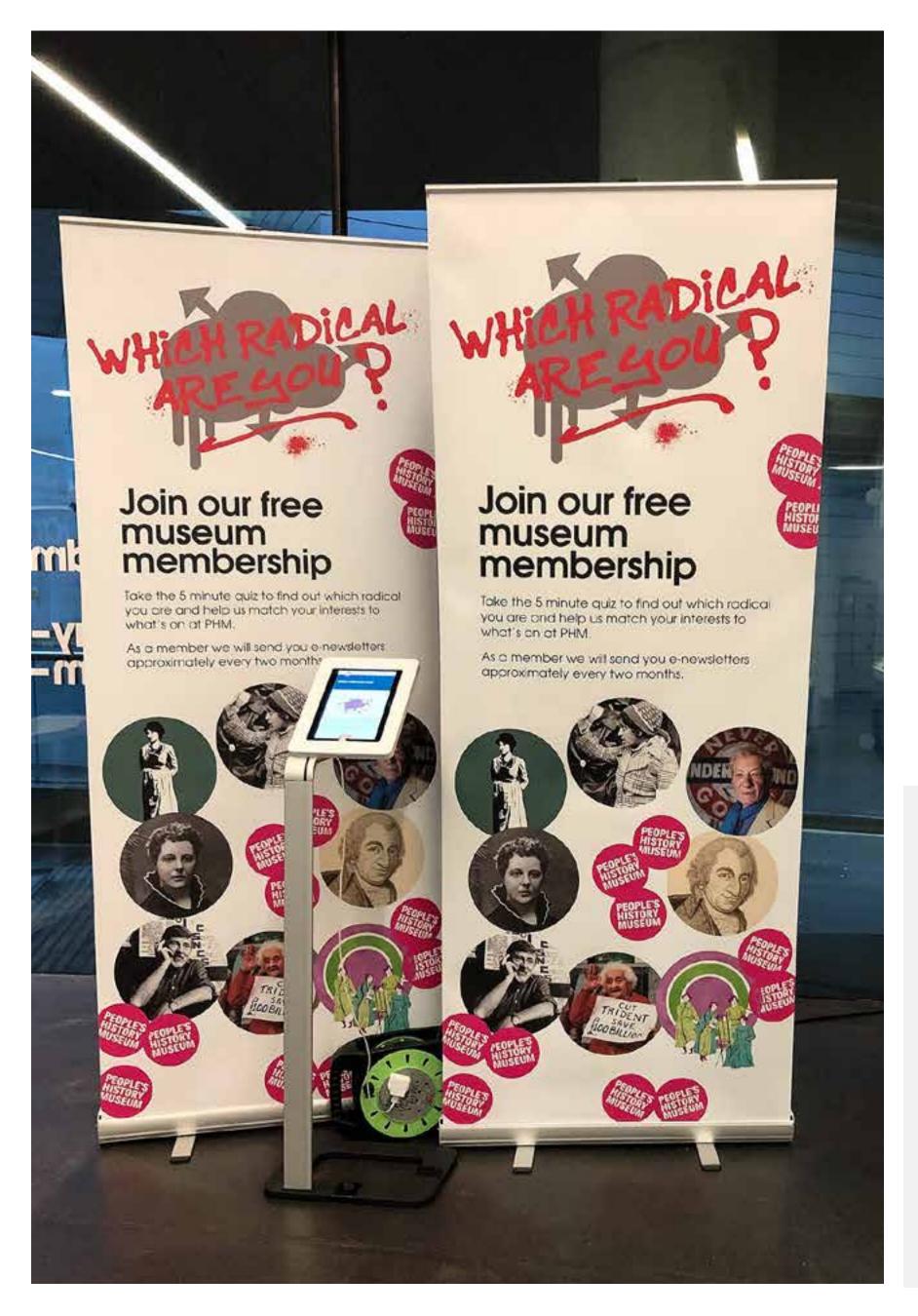


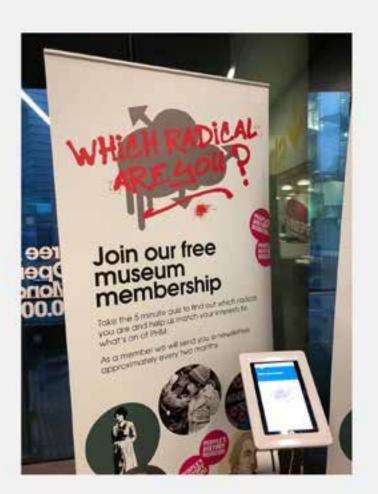


The People's History Museum, Manchester

After studing PHM's brand guidlines I created this banner design appropriate to museums visual identity rules. To do this I used photographs of the radicals placed around the banner in a free and expressive way that is appropriate to PHM. It was important to design the banner in a way that captivates the audience and gets PHM's promotional message accross in an effective way.

Read full case study here: https://tinyurl.com/y2e9rttj







Haden Freeman Ltd

The brochure design produced is unique and appropriate to Haden Freeman. It is a professionally designed brochure that tells their story and conveys their message to potential clients in a way that is memorable. An example of how being daring can make a company stand out from others.

Read full case study here: https://tinyurl.com/y4nbkrrj













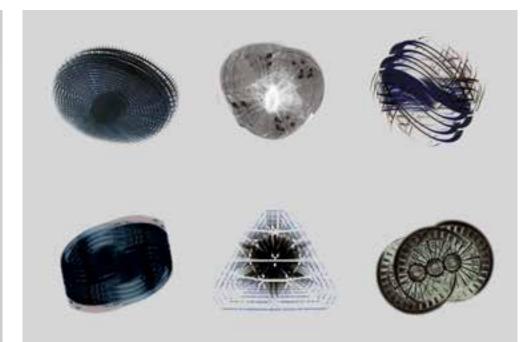












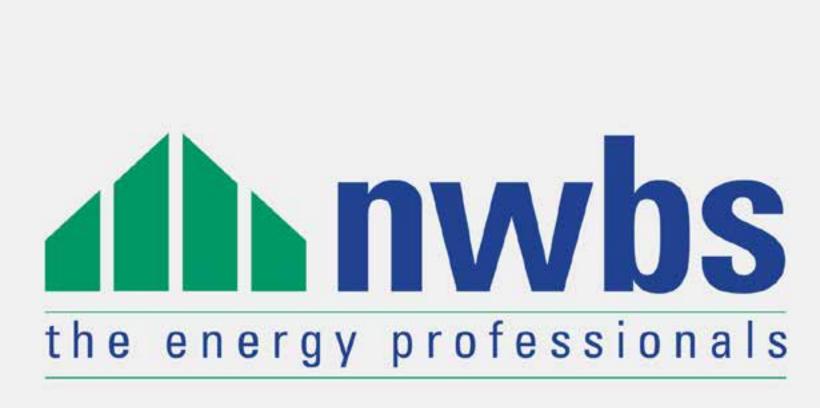
NWBS the energy professionals

NWBS the energy professionals needed a visual identity. Designing a visual identity for a company that helps businesses save energy and therefore reduce it's harmful impact on the environment.

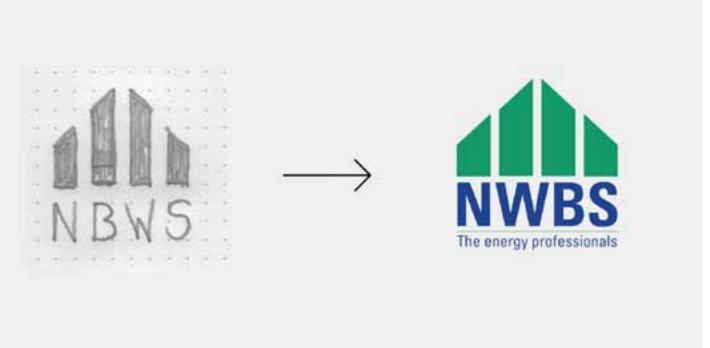
With a considered layout, a "building shaped" emblem is formed using a grid. The 'building shape' is green to reflect energy saving. shape of the symbol has been kept purposefully simple in order to aid fast recognition and to allow for reproduction at all sizes without loss of detail.

The all new NBWS 'building shape' logo design is distinctive, appropriate, memorable, practical and simple in form. It conveys the NBWS's intended message, as well as being able to work digitally and be printed at any size while remaining effective without color needed.

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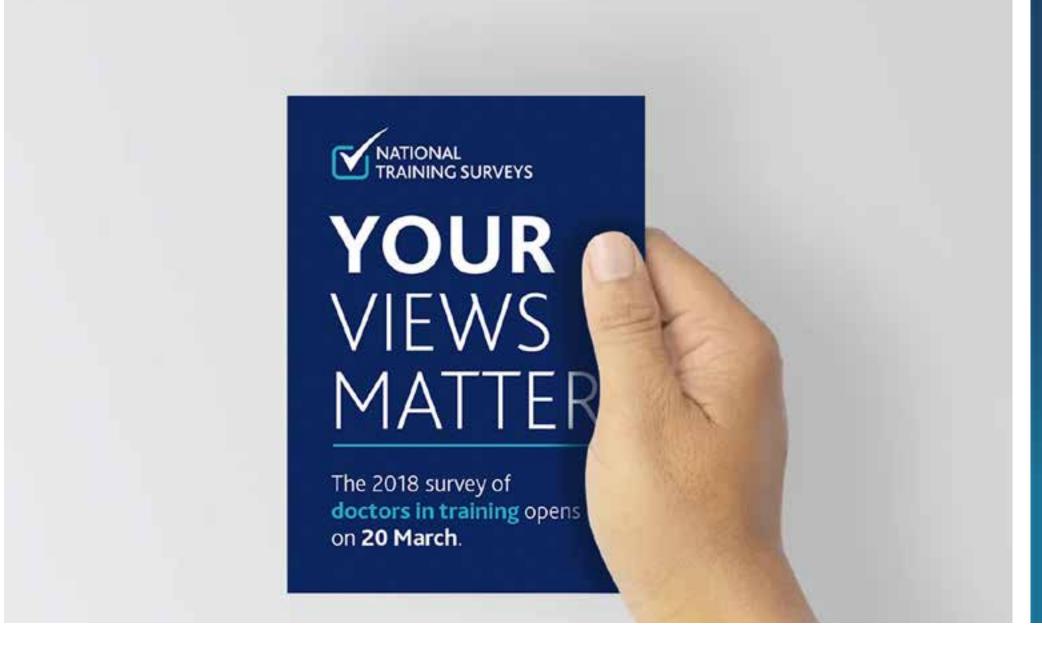
National Training Surveys The General Medical Council

The design needed to be impactful enough for the doctors to take action and complete the survey. This was done by creating these interesting infographics and illustrations. The doodles of doctors voicing their opinions give the infographic an easy to understand human feel while the infographic communicates the message of who the national training survey is helping in a visual way.

This infographic was posted on The General Medical Council's blog and social media pages. The postcard was distrubted to doctors in training.

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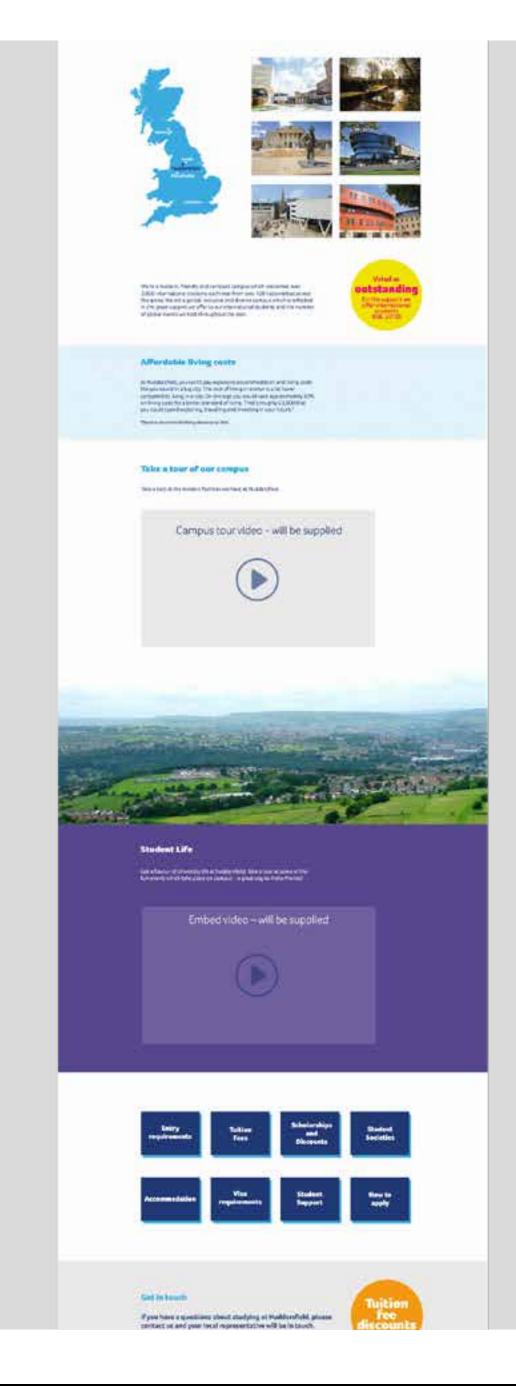


University of Huddersfield

The design rendered beautifully across all email clients and on mobile devices. The email welcomed students, helped to inspired them and gave important information in a clear, interesting and concise way.

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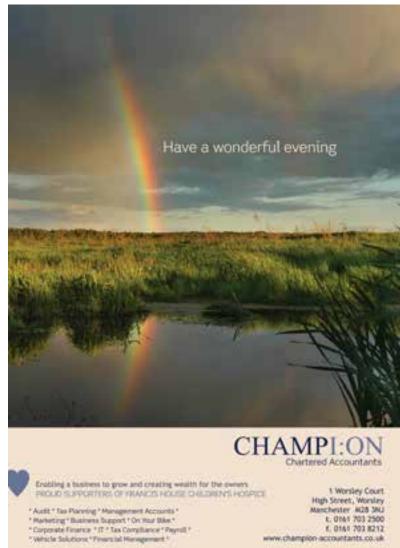


Champion Accountants

Champion Accountants are a leading accountancy group who specialise in the SME sector and provide a range of services throughout the North West which enables businesses to grow and create wealth for their owners. While designing for this company it was my job to design a range of online and offline marketing materials which included everything from company newsletters, websites, email design, exhibition stands, publication ads to yearly Christmas Cards.

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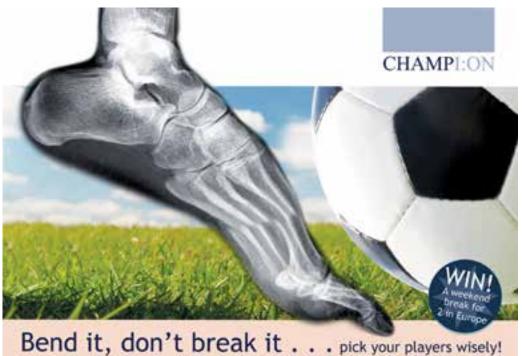


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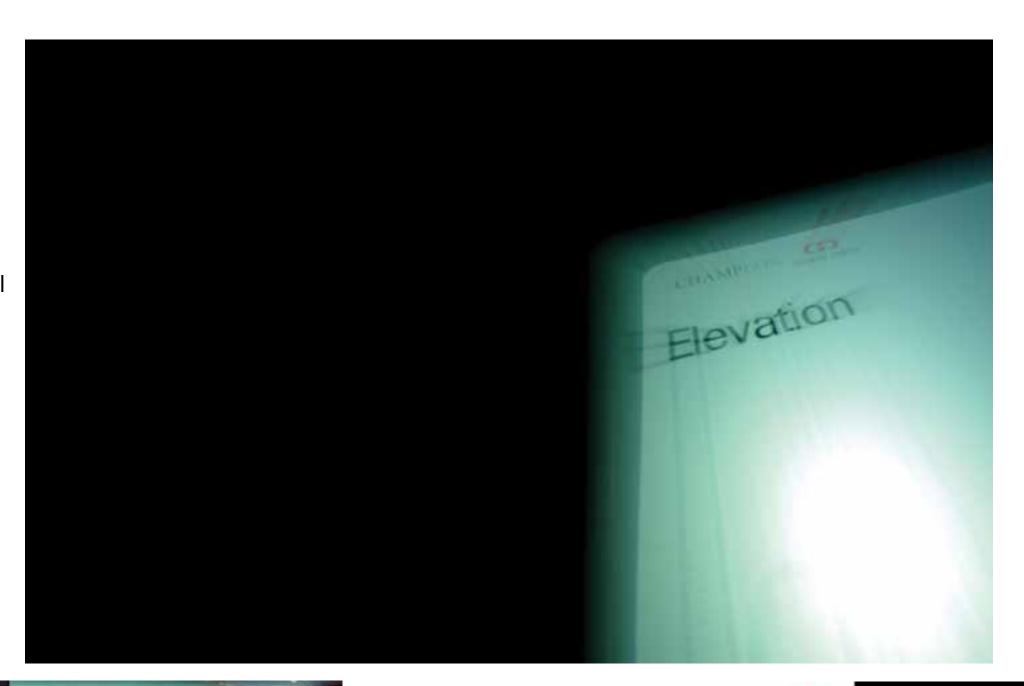


Elevation Conference

It was up to me to create the brand identity for the Elevation business conference which reflected the conferences ideas and principals. It needed to be fresh, modern and forward thinking.

This brand needed a logo that could be used as a logo and for promotonal print materials as well as for digital marketing, a website and it needed to be used at the conference itself. It would be on a backstage screen, used to brand name badges, seats, table plans. There had to be consistancy. It also needed to look professional, worth while, entertaining and above all motivational.

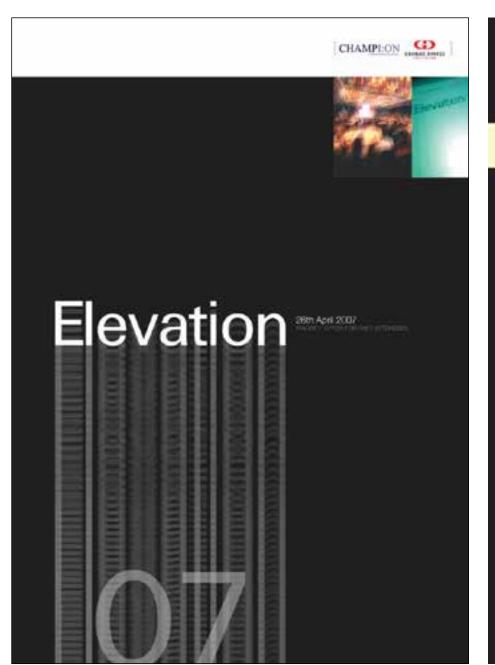
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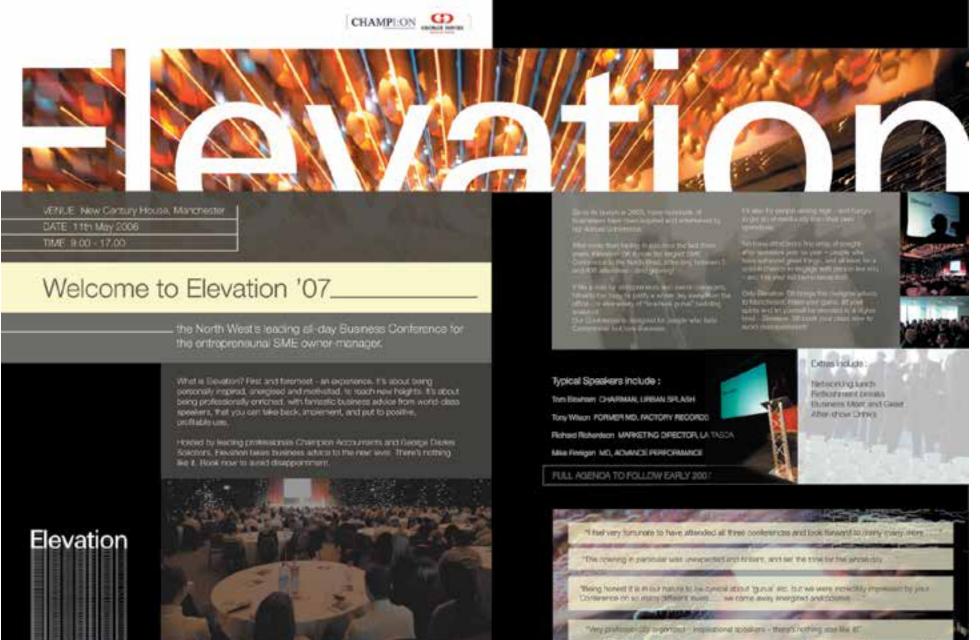














Trinity Hospice

The posters raised awareness and support for Trinity Hospice fundrasing appeals and events. They engage the viewer with striking images that relate to the appeal or event. They are designed in a way that communicates the friendly and fun nature of the appeal but is still professional.

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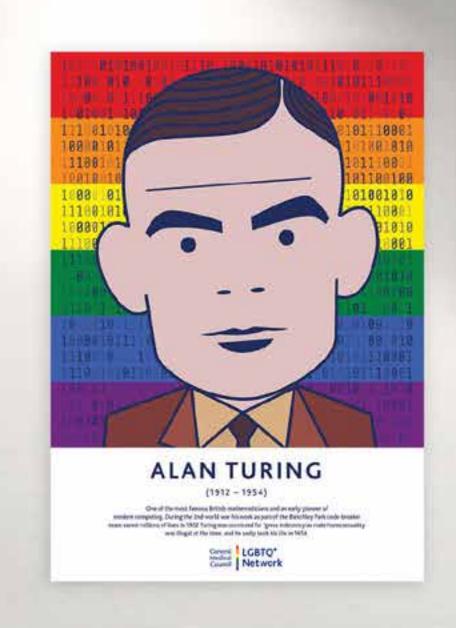


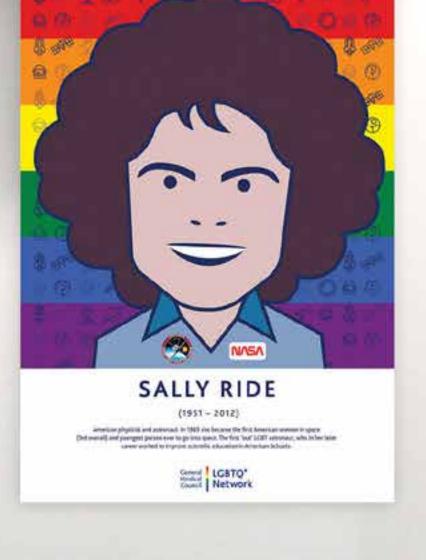
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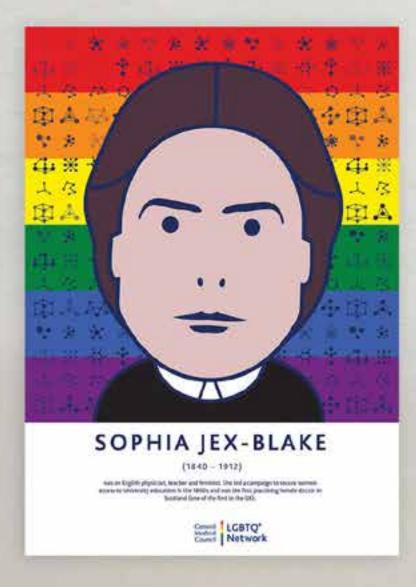
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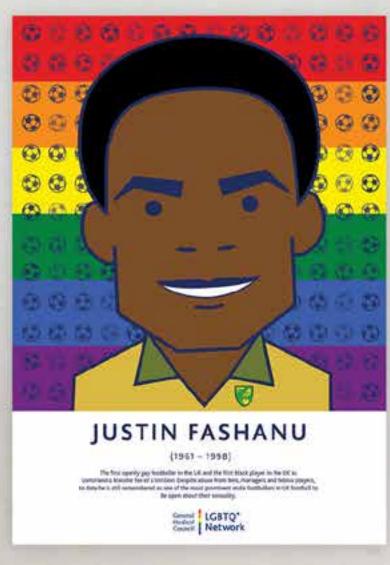
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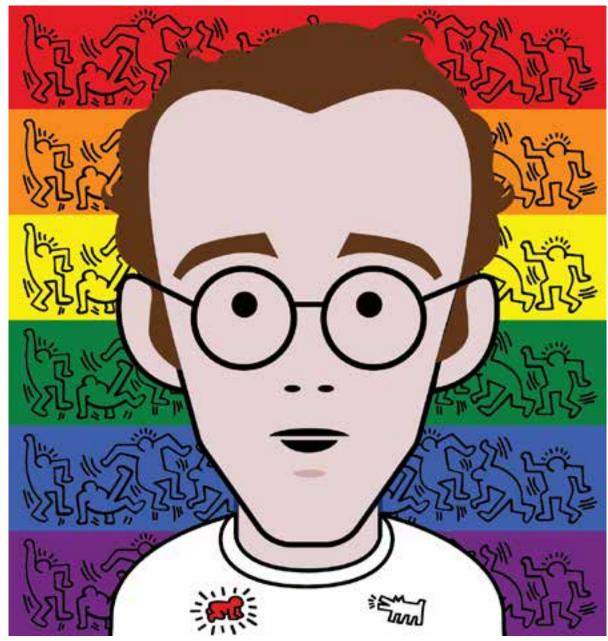
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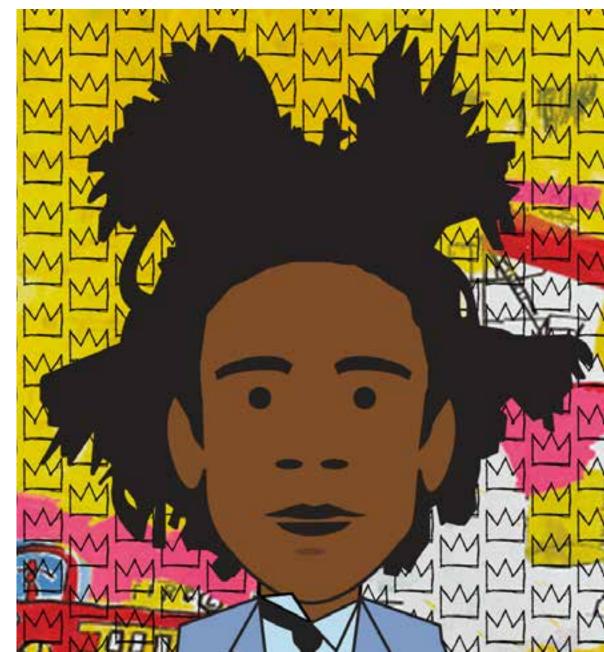




















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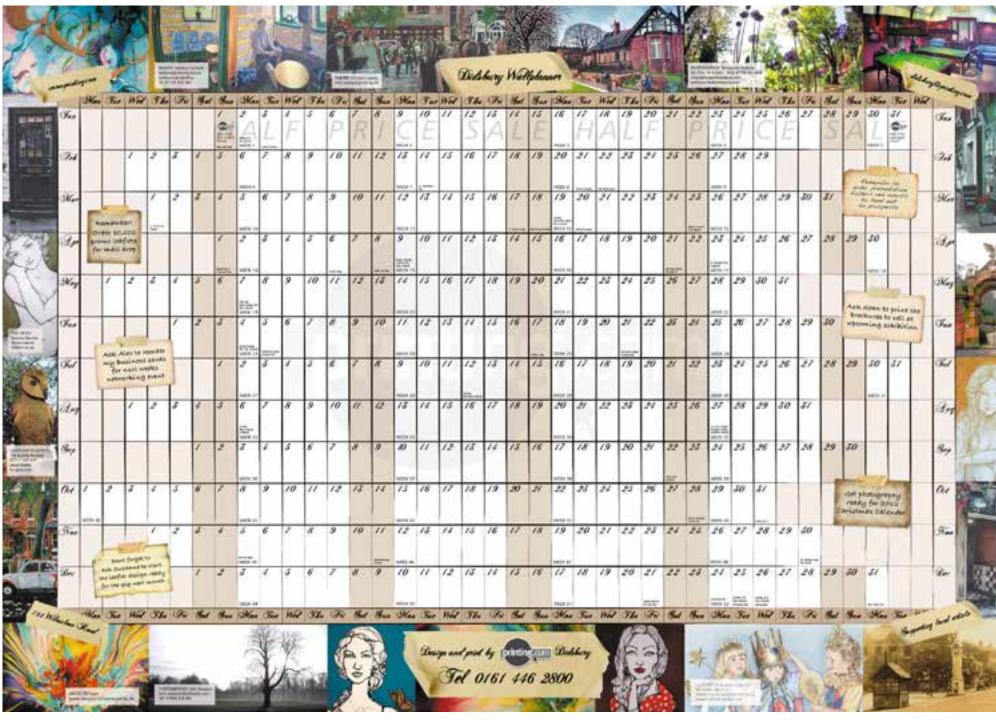














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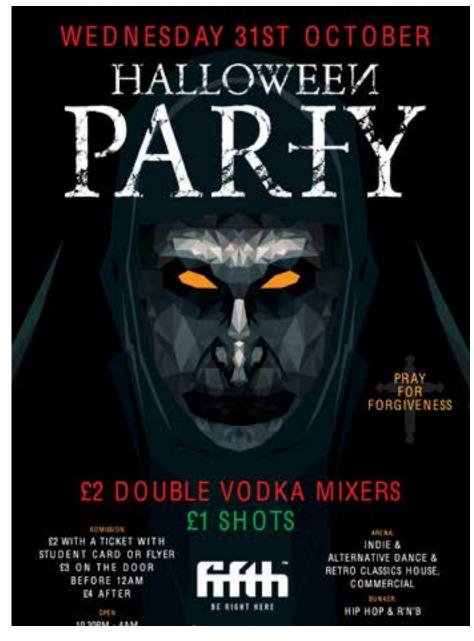
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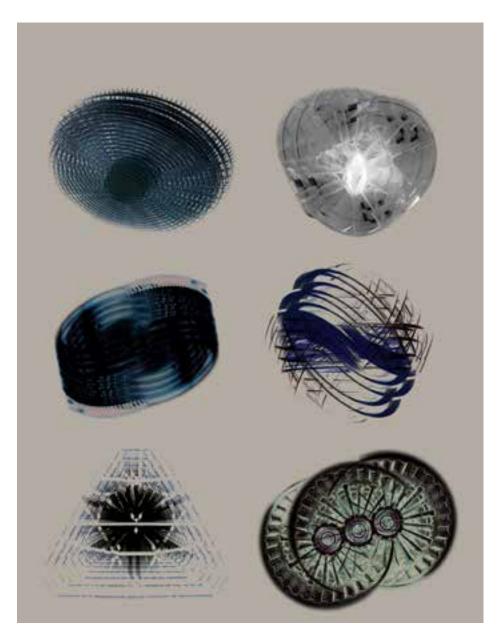
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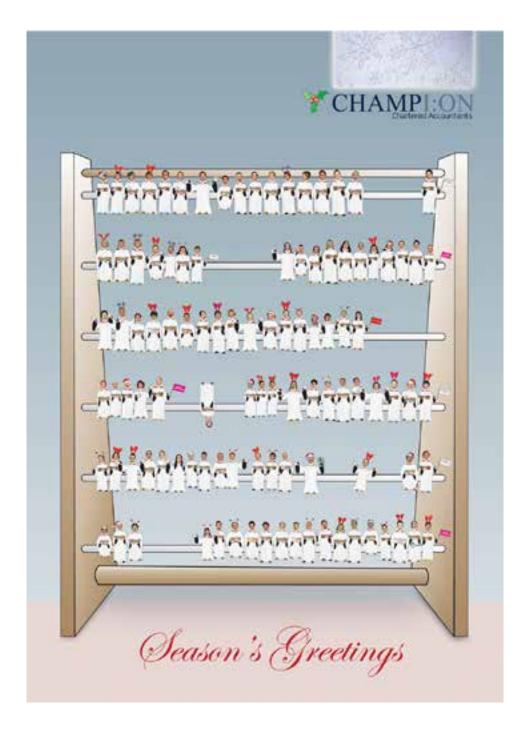
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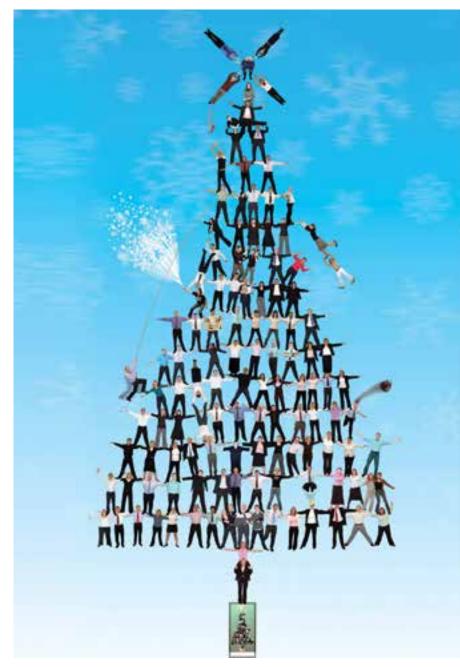
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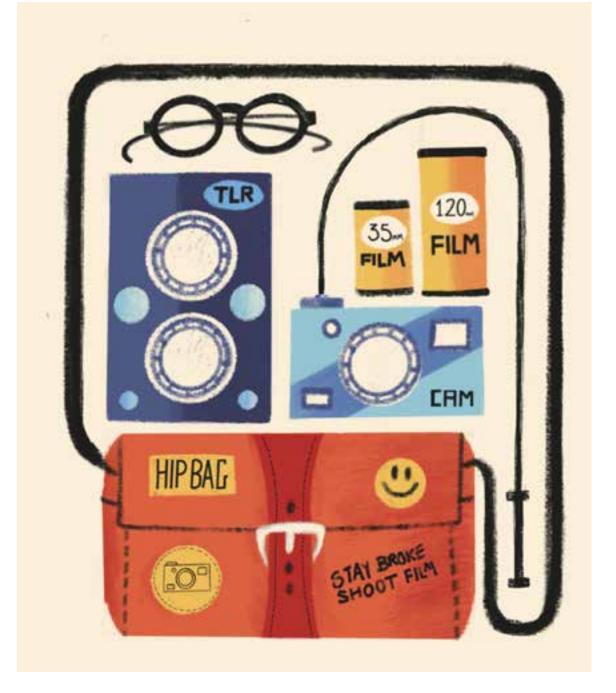












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