

Alastair Holland

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Personal profile

I am currently studying for a level four Professional Diploma in the Creative Enterprise at Fareham College where I am learning how to build and run a small photography business in the creative industry. I post most of my photographs on to Instagram (Alastair.H_Photography) and I explain how I created some of them on my portfolio:

https://aliholland94.wixsite.com/alastairholland

Skills and abilities

- I have developed effective communication and people skills
- I am organized and am always up to date with upcoming deadlines and events
- I am always ready for a challenge
- I am friendly and approachable
- I can take charge where necessary
- I can take initiative
- I am creative

Education

Swanmore College

- GCSE in Computer Science | 6
- GCSE in Engineering | 6
- GCSE in Geography | 6
- GCSE in Combined Science (Double) | 6-6
- GCSE in English Language | 6
- GCSE in English Literature | 5
- GCSE in Mathematics | 4

Fareham college

- Level 3 Extended Diploma in photography | merit
- Level 4 Professional Diploma in the creative Enterprise | studying

On top of this, I have completed Open University's online freelance career in the creative arts course.



Experience

I worked in a small café called The Anvil. Where I served customers, prepared drinks and dealt with payments. | February 2022 – January 2024

I also run a small Etsy shop where I sell prints of my photography. As well as expanding my shutter stock portfolio.

Hobbies

My main hobby is photography as I like the ability to imagine a scene and capture it, freezing the subject in time. I mainly take digital images, however; I have begun to use older film cameras as it forces me to stop and think more about the picture. I also like to read books and have a small collection of them with my favorite either being The Starless Sea by Erin Morgenstern or The Midnight Library by Matt Haig. This love of books has inspired me to write short stories and poems which I have recently begun publishing on Wattpad with my main (and ever expanding) story "An ink black world".