

Me as a Web designer

I'm born and raised in Turku in Southern-Western of Finland. I'm bilingual and my mother tongue is Finnish-Swedish. I use English daily and it has become a 3rd language to me. I write a blog and fiction in English so I get a lot of practice. I also speak it fluently and I have used it abroad. I believe having great language skills will get you far.

Versatility is the key to happiness. Most of my life I've studied creative things. Photography is my number one and the reason why I began studying web design was to combine those two. I like simple things and I want to make people happy. I'm trustworthy and I have the ability to sympathise with other people. I've used a computer since 1997 so my computer skills are one of my strengths. I'm a good listener and helpful if needed. Even though I don't have enough of work experience, I still have enough to know the rules of a working environment. I might do things slower than most but I do it thoroughly. I'm not a perfectionist but I'm detail orientated.

I still wouldn't call me an expert in anything because you can always improve to get better. I mostly have experience with Microsoft Office programs. I became familiar with Photoshop when I studied photography in 2001 so I've come a long way since then. I've also begun to use Lightroom. Other Adobe software I can use in InDesign and Illustrator. I didn't like the latter that much before but during this web design course, I've learned to. It's all about practice and that goes with everything.

In the future, I want to become a better photographer and a web designer. It has taken me a long to find my calling but I'm finally finding my way.