

## **Anna Ashbarry – Resume**

### **About**

I have always been extremely passionate about creating content. From a very young age, I would always be found with a camera in my hand, writing in my journal, or editing together clips of video on Windows Movie Maker. I have since gained qualifications, experience and skills within the media industry which I wish to now, develop even further.

### **Employment History**

#### **Temporary Communications Officer – Restless Development – 2019**

I worked within the communications team and assisted with maintaining the agency's website, blog and social media accounts. I edited copy, kept up to date with current affairs, photographed events and designed various materials for both internal and external use.

#### **Freelance Content Creator – Anna Ashbarry Photo Video – 2015 – Present**

As a self employed creative, I combine my passions of content creation and working with not for profit organisations. I work on a variety of different projects for a mixture of different clients. I mostly work out on location but I can also work in a studio environment. I use my platform to support brands and small businesses whose morals and ethics reflect my own.

#### **Studio Photographer – The Hut Group – 2013 – 2015**

I first started my career at The Hut Group as a studio apprentice. After a year, through determination and hard work I was promoted to Junior Photographer. I then went on to become a Studio Photographer. I worked on a variety of different briefs from product to creative fashion.

### **Voluntary Experience**

#### **Guest Blogger – Restless Development – 2018 – 2019**

I am a guest blogger for wearerestless.org. I regularly upload articles and create content about my International Citizens Service placement in Nepal. I often share stories of positive change, youth power and also current affairs.

#### **Photographer & Videographer – Youth Stop AIDS – 2019**

I attended the Youth Stop AIDS Day of Action as well as the Youth Stop AIDS Speaker Tour. I captured both photo and video content to share across several social media platforms.

#### **Youth Reporter – Restless Development – 2018**

During my International Citizens Service placement in Nepal with Restless Development, I was successfully selected to become a Youth Reporter. I worked very closely with the communications department at Restless Development to share my placement stories.

### **Personal Projects**

#### **Communications Officer – Where We Went – 2016 – Present**

My partner and I set up Where We Went in 2016 whilst backpacking across Australia. We design custom travel maps and use Etsy as our selling platform. Where We Went is still very much a work in progress. I continually look for new ways to improve our online presence as well as taking into consideration our budget and time.

#### **Social Media Blogger – Anna's Free From Kitchen – 2016 – Present**

Anna's Free From Kitchen is a blog and social media account that first began through my love of baking and experimenting with recipes. Over the years, I have researched nutrition, experimented with food and adapted my diet. As a wheat intolerant vegan, I use this platform to promote healthy, sustainable and active lifestyles whilst raising awareness of environmental issues.

## **Photographer & Videographer – AB Creative Studio – 2016 – 2018**

My partner and I set up AB Creative Studio whilst travelling. We freelanced in several different countries offering our services such as photography, videography, graphic design and illustration. Due to our different interests within the creative field, we decided to put a hold on AB Creative Studio to pursue our own individual freelance careers.

## **Education & Work Experience**

### **Video Production & Editing Assistant – Frozen Moon Productions – 2013**

Here I was required as a second camera person. I took part in jobs which involved filming music videos, adverts and short films. I gained experience with editing in Adobe Premiere Pro and Final Cut Pro software.

### **Production Runner & Continuity Photographer – BYFA – 2012**

I attended the BYFA summer camp whilst studying at Yale College, Wrexham. Here I helped on set, acting as a runner and on set photographer for the production of a full-length feature film. Through training I gained a wide variety of skills, knowledge and confidence.

### **A Level – Yale College Wrexham – 2011 – 2013**

At Yale College Wrexham, I achieved 3 B's at A Level in Film, Media and Photography.

### **GCSE – The King's School Chester – 2005 – 2011**

Nine GCSE's grade A to C.

## **Achievements**

### **Restless Development – 2019**

I was nominated for and awarded a Values Championship Award.

## **Skills**

Photography	Editing	Administration	Time Management
Videography	Lighting	Graphic Design	Customer Service
Writing	Research	Communication	Cross-cultural Communication
Social Media	Logistics	Team Work	Technology
Blogging	Budgeting	Engagement	Reporting

## **Hobbies & Interests**

Reading	Podcasts	Film	Tv Shows
Music	Polaroid	Blogging	Volunteering
Documentaries	Apps	Social Media	News

References available upon request

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