



THE **SUMMARIZED FOR PRINT** RESUME OF

Christopher Rault

— Designer · Developer · Entrepreneur —

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SUMMARY

My full name is Christopher Nicholas Rault, but good 'ol *Chris* will do fine. I've been building on the web since the days when flashing buttons were cool and tables for layout was a thing. Despite being a veteran of the web, I still wake up every morning excited about the days work ahead. There aren't many jobs that give you the same satisfaction as with working on the ever changing landscape, that is the web.

EXPERIENCE

Creative Director @ **Web Monkeys**

April 2007 – Present

My role at Web Monkeys has been varied based on the need at the time. Apart from co-running the business, my responsibilities included designing our web properties, themes, plugin interfaces and marketing material. I also took the lead on our product support, writing technical documentation and all marketing related content.

Creative Director @ **Nomad Studios**

August 2005 – April 2007

We started Nomad Studios shortly after leaving the UK, providing web design services to companies in the real-estate sector across the US, Europe and South America. We worked on everything from small agency sites, to fully-featured property portals and everything inbetween.

Partner @ **NuVue Trading**

July 2003 – July 2005

Myself and a former colleague setup NuVue Trading while living in the UK, dropshipping wholesale label clothing to retailers selling on eBay. After getting frequent requests for web design work, we branched out and created Nomad Studios, which later became our primary focus. It was around this time that I started getting involved in the open-source community.

Technical Sales Consultant @ **RPC Data**

Feb 2001 – June 2003

Working at RPC was my first taste of startup life. I was recruited for a rigorous six month bootcamp, then three months of Oracle training in Zimbabwe and later advanced web design at UCT. My responsibilities included building technical demos, prototypes, assisting the sales team on client meetings and giving technical presentations at relevant tech shows. I was also responsible for the companies websites.

EDUCATION

Advanced Web Design

UNIVERSITY OF CAPE TOWN / 2001-2002

Completed a comprehensive part-time course at UCT, covering a range of topics related to web design. Most of which I already knew, but it did open my eyes to the power of CSS.

Grade 12 Business Studies (NS2)

DIE BULT HIGHSCHOOL / 1995-1999

Distinction in Computer Science and top of my class. Was selected as school prefect, served on the Junior Town Council and received the Salesman of the Year award in 1999.

SKILLS

Web / UI Design

Performance Optimization

Front-End Development

Headway Template Development

WordPress Theme Development

Static Site Development

Blogging / Technical Writing

Public Speaking

REFERENCES

Below is a list short list of some of the awesome folks I've worked with over the years. Get in touch for a full list of references, including their contact information.

John Coonen

CEO, COFFEE GROUP

Organizer, CMS Expo

Thierry Muller

LEAD DEVELOPER, BEANS FRAMEWORK

Former partner

Liza May

EVENT PHOTOGRAPHER, LMP

Long time client

Andrew Neale

OWNER, EEZI.IO

Former partner

Tess Hoegland

SOCIAL MEDIA MARKETER

Former partner

Brandon McDonald

SALES DIRECTOR, CLEANGREAN

Former CEO at RPC Data

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