

# Mr. Adam W Conway

B.Sc. (Hons) MCP

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## OVERVIEW

- Creative and quick to learn and adapt to changing environments.
- Good initiative enables me to work without supervision.
- Keen to constantly improve upon on skills acquired.
- Ability to convey or pre-visualise my ideas to others.
- Solid drawing skills, with an appreciation of form and composition.

## TECHNICAL SKILLS

In depth Knowledge of:

- **Autodesk MAYA 7 & 3D Studio Max 7** (*See Demo Reel*)
  - Experience of all phases of the 3D character production pipeline
    - Creating Initial concept sketches to final 3D product
    - Low Poly Modelling
    - UV Texture Mapping
    - Rigging & Skinning
    - Animation (*Walk cycles & Lip-syncing*)
      - Trax editor / Dope Sheet / Graph editor / Blend Shapes / Set Driven keys
    - Some experience of MEL & ZBrush
- **Macromedia Dreamweaver MX 2004**
  - Designed the following websites:
    - [www.adamwconway.com](http://www.adamwconway.com) (*Personal Professional site*)
    - [www.killstuffandmount.com](http://www.killstuffandmount.com) (*Personal site*)
    - [www.stuartlukegatherer.com](http://www.stuartlukegatherer.com) (*Artist's site*)
    - [www.autismwestmidlands.org.uk](http://www.autismwestmidlands.org.uk) (*Charity site*)
- **Adobe Photoshop CS**
- **Free Hand Drawing / Acrylic painting**
  - Anatomy
  - Texturing
  - Varying styles
- **Flash / Swish MAX**
- **Programming Experience in:**
  - **Web:** ASP.net / HTML
  - **Games:** JAVA / Applets / JavaScript / VRML (*University Projects*)
  - **Databases:** JDBC & ODBC / SQL

## **EMPLOYMENT HISTORY**

autism.west midlands, Edgbaston, Birmingham Feb 2003 – To Date

### **Title:**

I.T. Manager / Network Administrator (for 200 users / 10 sites)

### **Duties:**

Maintenance and Implementation of I.T. Equipment / Servers / Users Accounts

Website Design and Development (layout / images / forms)

Use Flash to create online map animations

Create and troubleshoot Access Databases

**Winner of Microsoft Design : IT Systems** - for a charity competition

## **EDUCATION HISTORY**

### **Microsoft Certified Professional July 2004 – Present**

- **MCP** in
  - **70-270** - Installing, Configuring, and Administering Microsoft Windows XP Professional
  - **70-228** - Installing, Configuring, and Administering Microsoft SQL Server™ 2000 Enterprise Edition

Studied & Pending Examinations for:

- **70-290** - Managing and Maintaining a Microsoft Windows Server 2003 Environment
- **70-291** - Implementing, Managing, and Maintaining a Microsoft Windows Server 2003 Network Infrastructure

### **The University of Birmingham , Edgbaston Sept 1999 – June 2002**

- B.Sc. Degree (with Hons) in Computer Science & Software Engineering
- Dissertation used Artificial Intelligence focussing on Cartesian Genetic Programming to create a computer brain which evolved and learnt how to play checkers by playing itself over 100's of generations. (Programmed in JAVA)
- Team leader for a substantial project, involving the use of JDBC and SQL to connect to an Informix database. Once the data had been retrieved, the program displayed the results in 3D & 2D graphs.
- Created a fully interactive Virtual Pool Hall Simulation (VRML)

### **Wilnecote High School , Tamworth Sept 1992 – June 1999**

- 3 A-Levels: Grades (B) in Information Technology, Technology and Art & Design.
- 9 GCSE's: Grades A\*-C.

## **INTERESTS AND HOBBIES**

- Art & Web Design / Comic Illustrations (See website)
- Football – Played for: Port Vale F.C., England (Schoolboys), Staffordshire & Birmingham Counties, Atherstone Utd (First Team).
- Music – gigs and socialising.