



# India Fradgley

## Visual Communicator

### About me

- Passionate visual communicator with a background in pedagogical research, and a BSc Forensic Science (1st with honours), and a range of voluntary work.
- Hobbies include crafting, reading and listening to music.

### Mentorship

#### Mentee for Penguin Random House and Creative Access Scheme - (2025)

- Completed a structured 6-month mentorship under the guidance of Kezia Newson (Content Manager for Penguin Random House).
- Improved creative workflow and gained insight into industry standards and design thinking.
- Received feedback on original designs, before being encouraged to enter design competitions.



### Voluntary Experience

#### Wakefield Recovery College - Jan 2025 - Present (2025)

- Volunteers on an ad-hoc basis, creating the college's monthly newsletter.
- Helped co-facilitate a 4-week Scrapbooking Workshop for adults.
- In the process of co-producing a research impact workshop series with SWYT's Research and Development Team; ['Recovery with Research: A Learning Journey'](#), ['Testing Co-Production in Practice: Reflections from our Beta Workshops'](#).



#### Burning Nights CRPS UK - April 2024 - Present (2025)

- Volunteers on an ad-hoc basis as a member of the Marketing and Communications team. Writes SEO-optimized blog, balanced keyword-rich content with engaging information. and uses Canva to design social media posts and thumbnails.
- Interviewed other volunteers about their experiences with CRPS and for the charity's Membership Magazine.
- Oversaw the [#CRPSisreal survey](#), which ran from November 1st to December 2nd 2024, whereby we collected the responses from 120 people with lived experience of CRPS, these responses were collected to help provide better support systems within the CRPS community. Read about some of the results [here](#).
- Most recently, [collaborated with psychologist Dr Amy Burton](#) (University of Staffordshire), to produce an abstract and presentation for the British Psychological Society (BPS) conference.



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Wakefield Museums and Castles - June 2024 – March 2025

- Volunteered as a Learning Officer Assistant, assisting the Home Education Workshops for ages 10 and under, working alongside Kelly Powell.
- Assisted the children in completing activities that enhanced their learning experience by encouraging them.



## Employment

HOLMES Indexer - February 2023 - April 2023

- Worked with classified information, which I am not at liberty to disclose.
- However, I can say working in an office environment helped greatly with my social skills such as face-to-face verbal communication when interacting with my colleagues. I also learnt confidentiality, professionalism, and competency.

Research Internship with University of Hull - September 2021 - September 2022

- Communicated with supervisor Dr Barbara Guinn and lab group throughout internship via email and MS Teams, and therefore developed confidence and communication skills.
- Was responsible for a number of tasks, including designing and developing a new teaching module for the university's BSc in Forensic Science programme.
- Began working alongside Dr Georgios Efthimiou on a pedagogical research project, titled 'The effect of stress and self-efficacy on the academic performance and retention of University level science students'.

## Education

University of Hull - 2018 - 2021

BSc Forensic Science (1st with honours)

New College Pontefract - 2016 - 2018

BTEC Level 3 Extended IT (D\*D\*D\*) and BTEC Level 3 Subsidiary Diploma in Applied Science (D\*)

The Outwood Academy Freeston - 2012 - 2016

8 GCSES (A\* - D) and a BTEC Level 2, six of which GCSES are grade A\* - C:

## References

Available upon request.