



## [Jowadesign.co.uk](http://jowadesign.co.uk)

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Born in Munich, Germany  
29/08/1979

### Design Skills:

Pattern Cutting & Tailoring  
Garment Construction

A range of knitting machines: Domestic, Stoll, Dubied, Passap, Punchcards

Screen-printing

Enamelling

Good working knowledge of Adobe Photoshop

AVA print software

### Key Skills:

High level of communication and people skills

Strong team player

Experience as head of a team

Loyal and reliable work-ethic

Connector

### Work Experience:

- Pattern Cutting Intern for Jade Kang's Autumn/Winter 2012 Collection, October -December 2011, <http://www.jadekang.com/>
- Design Assistant, Tailor Apprentice and operative Assistant, Felizitas Uhde, Womenswear Designer, <http://www.nelso.com/de/place/276986/> , September 2002 to February 2005
- Placement with Felizitas Uhde, Womenswear Designer, May 2002 to August 2002

### Education:

- **First Class** BA(Hons) Degree in Fashion/Textile Design, University of West England, UWE, Bristol, September 2006 to June 2011, School of Creative Arts, <http://www.uwe.ac.uk/>  
Within course Erasmus exchange to Sint Lucas, Gent, Belgium 2008, [www.sintlucas.org](http://www.sintlucas.org)
- 2 ½ years German System Apprenticeship at Felizitas Uhde, Kleiderei, Atelier and Boutique, Munich, September 2002 to February 2005 with Final Exam „Gesellenbrief“ Certificate of Completion of Apprenticeship, Title: Ladies' Tailor:

1 day of vocational school, 4 days in the design studio  
 Vocational school: Business Theory, Pattern Cutting, Theory of Fabric, Finishings, Costume History, Design/Drawing skills  
 Studio: Training as part of a design and production team, Point of sales, Garment finishing, Fittings and colour consulting with customers

- Ludwig-Maximilians-University, Munich, October 2001 to April 2002, Ethnology and Phonetics
- Abitur (equivalent A-levels) in English, Geography, Chemistry and German 2001, Lion Feuchtwanger Gymnasium

### **Industry Experience:**

- Fake Magazine, Issue 3, Fashion-Knit-Story “Into the Wild”, <http://thatfakemagazine.com/>
- Finding your feet Fashion Show, London, Kensington Roof Gardens, 07.10.2011, <http://www.facebook.com/pages/Finding-Your-Feet-Fashion/275668729256>
- Graduate Fashion Week 2011, London, 06/06/2011, part of 12 chosen students showing at the Bristol Fashion Show, nominated for **Innovative Knit Award**
- UWE Graduate Show Bristol 2011, 03-04/06/2011, 50 students showed their collections
- Somewear, Avantgarde Fashion Show of the Deutsche Meisterschule fuer Mode, Munich, 2004, only apprentice chosen to show 6 piece collection with glass elements [www.meisterschule-fuer-mode.de](http://www.meisterschule-fuer-mode.de)
- Fashion show at the Registratur in Munich, 2005, Dresser, [www.dieregistratur.de](http://www.dieregistratur.de)

### **Communication:**

- The Famous Navy Volunteer, King Street, Bristol, 2006 to date, [www.navalvolunteer.co.uk](http://www.navalvolunteer.co.uk)  
[www.britishpubguide.com/cgi-bin/pub.cgi?results:Bristol:121](http://www.britishpubguide.com/cgi-bin/pub.cgi?results:Bristol:121)
- University of the West of England, Student Ambassador, November 2007 to December 2009
- University of the West of England, Outreach Programme, Barton Hill Festival, Volunteer, 2008

### **International Experience:**

- Sint Lucas, Gent, Belgium, Erasmus, February to March 2008, <http://www.sintlucas.org/site/>
- Embedded World, Nuremberg, 13/02/2006 to 16/02/2006, Stand-hostess for CODICO, Austrian company, [www.codico.com](http://www.codico.com), [www.embedded-world.de](http://www.embedded-world.de)
- Future Global Imaging, Messe Riem, Munich, 31/05/2005 to 04/05/2005, Stand-hostess for Seiko, French-Japanese company, [www.fespa.com](http://www.fespa.com)

German	Mother-tongue	French	Conversational
English	Academic	Dutch	Basic

### **Leadership & VIP-events:**

- Gasteig, Culture Centre, Munich, [www.gasteig.de](http://www.gasteig.de), Kult und Speise, [www.kultundspeise.de](http://www.kultundspeise.de), Teamleader & Venue-dressing Munich Film Festival, Backstage VIP-service for Anna Netrebko among others, June 2005 to August 2007
- eat.fine catering, [www.eat-catering.com](http://www.eat-catering.com), Infineon Kick-Off(1000 guests), O2 Kick-Off (600 guests), Sven Vaeth at horse race site Riem, Visit of the Pope
- Lenbach Gastronomie, Munich, Events, Congresses, Vip-events, [www.lenbach.de](http://www.lenbach.de), Opening night of the Football World Cup 2006, Swarovski heiress wedding

### **Further Activities:**

Creation of my own Catwalk tune by recording knitting machines 2011  
<http://soundcloud.com/mrafronick/bjork-unravel-feat-johanna>  
 Gospelchoir St.Lukas, [www.gospelchor-st-lukas.de](http://www.gospelchor-st-lukas.de), member and soloist of 8 years