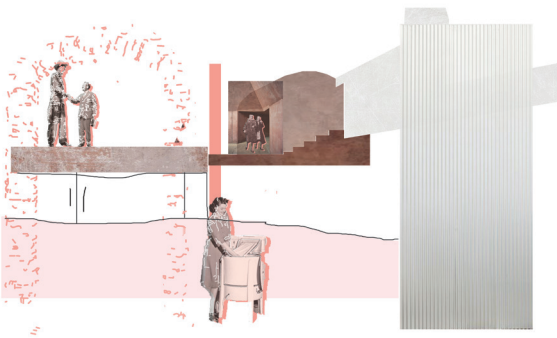
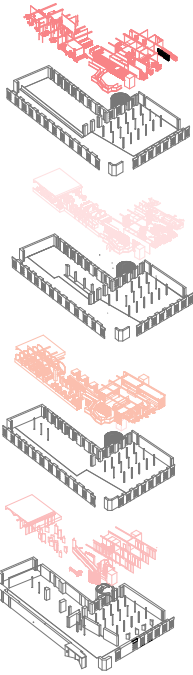


# emily pester



Recent Interior Design Graduate from Manchester School of Art with a first degree classification. I want to make a positive impact on a design team, using my education and experience in Interior Design. I am a natural and conceptual thinker with a creative mind, ready to step into the creative industry.

# e m i l y p e s t e r

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Reference available on request :  
Simone Ridyard- Head of Interior  
Design at Manchester School of  
Art.

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## profile

I am an innovative designer and I enjoy experimenting with materials and space that create sentimental and personal value. My recent projects have reflected this, creating spaces that are desirable and meaningful to individuals. I enjoy working both digitally and physically, creating well articulated and thorough designs, with a focus on materiality, function and conceptual thinking. I am a hard-working, conscientious, reliable and organised individual. I enjoy interacting with people and regard myself as approachable, friendly and sociable. I have a wide range of experience of different work environments and consider myself to be very adaptable. I am always keen to learn new skills and I have a positive attitude towards adapting to new situations and look forward to developing in a creative and design environment.

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## education

2017-2020

Manchester Metropolitan University  
BA (Hons) First Class Degree  
Interior Design

2010-2017

Benton Park High School  
A-levels: Art (B), Geography (C),  
English Language (B).

GCSE: 11 A to C, including English  
and Mathematics.

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## experience

2020: Unit X: Shelter Charity- Live Project  
Collaboration with Shelter Charity and  
Hemmingway Design- To redesign Shelter'  
store in Preston and carry the concept through  
to a pop up store. Achieved by choosing a  
specific area or provocation and propose a  
design solution within the given context.

2019: Unit X: Manchester International Festival-  
Live Project  
Working in groups alongside clients from MIF  
to design and compose elements such as  
furniture and lighting installations for two main  
areas for Manchester International Festival.  
Focusing on creating an interactive and unique  
design scheme while also considering the  
needs of the client.

2018: Fusion by Design, Leeds  
Creating concept boards of the clients desires,  
looking at decorations and types of seating.  
The role involved working to meet deadlines  
in short spaces of time in order to ensure the  
project was on schedule, reflecting how I am  
able to calmly work under time constraints.  
Near to the end of the project I pitched my  
ideas to two fellow members of staff showing  
and explaining my ideas in relation to the  
clients brief. This enabled me to understand  
how important it is to ensure that a pitch is  
clear and direct.  
Completing work experience also showed  
me as to how the company approach ideas  
in different ways in order to achieve the  
best results for different clientele. I was also  
introduced to technical drawings and was able  
to experiment with CAD. Creating floor plans  
and experimenting aspects such as seeing  
layouts.  
I thoroughly enjoyed my time with the team  
working along side the live project.

2020: Baity, redesign

A recent commission included redesigning the  
restaurant layout and design to accommodate  
for new social distancing requirements in  
the given circumstances. The role included  
recognising the issues that the shop faced and  
how a new layout and designed elements could  
mitigate the issues. The design considered  
the needs for all users of the space, but also  
strives to enhance the original features of the  
shop, relating to the concept of the restaurant

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## skills

software:	beginner- expert
Adobe Photoshop	
Adobe Indesign	
Adobe Illustrator	
Sketchup Pro	
Vectorworks	
Visuals	
Presentation	
Organisation	
Floor Planning	
Graphics	
Drawings	
3D modelling	

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## employment

2018- to date: Assistant  
Manager, Baity, Manchester.

2015-2019: Swimming teacher,  
Debbie Pope Swim School,  
Bradford.

2014-2016: Barista and  
Waitress, Toby's Tea Room,  
Leeds.

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## awards/ honours

Outstanding 2D communication  
from Interior Design Manchester  
School of Art.