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Could your next job be in film, TV or games?

- Are you affected by redundancy or at risk of losing your job?
- Are you looking for a career change in 2021?
- Do you have 3 or more years of experience in roles related to project management / administration, coding or art?

If the answer to these questions is YES and you are midlands-based then we want to hear from you. This **free to attend Skills to Screen Midlands** course will introduce you to the range of in-demand roles in the screen sector and how your skills will add value to these creative teams.

We're looking for 50 participants who are interested in using their skills and experience in a new way and break into the worlds of **animation, film and TV** (be it drama, factual or children's programmes) as well as **all aspects of games programming, design and production**.

This short training course will take place over two mornings on **Saturday 30th** and **Saturday 6th February 2021**.

- It will introduce you to how the screen industry works.
- You will learn about the in-demand roles in project management / administration, coding and art.
- You will meet experts from these areas
- You will gain CV advice
- You will hear about how freelance careers work
- There will be advice about what the work opportunities are based on your experience.

Please complete the application process for tickets for this training course.

[**Apply for ticket**](#)

Who it's for

The teams that produce screen content have many different skills and experiences. We are specifically interested in people who have 3+ years experience in **project management / administration, coding** or **art** and have a love of the screen sector.

If this sounds like you and you are excited about transferring into a sector which is undergoing growth locally, then apply to be part of Skills to Screen Midlands.

Administration / project management

These roles are ideal if you love nothing better than organising and making things happen, and are someone who is by nature a problem solver.

You could be a PA, team assistant, account manager, database administrator, logistics administrator, logistics coordinator, transport manager, warehouse manager, recruitment consultant and many other roles too.

Coding

These roles are ideal if you love nothing better than writing clean code and you know your python from your C++. Perhaps you are also a gamer in your spare time? Then this is your chance to combine your hobby with your work.

The games sector in particular needs people who have experience as a software application developer, web developer, computer systems engineer, systems analyst, computer programmer or data analyst.

Art

These roles are ideal if you have experience in graphic design, industrial design, drawing or illustration and are looking for a new outlet for your artistic skills.

If you are someone who thinks in pictures and has drawing and/or design skills then the animation and games sectors need you. You will have a strong understanding of form, colour, texture, and light and know how these elements work together.

You could be an illustrator, industrial designer, architect, graphic designer, website designer, cartoonist, portrait painter.

How to apply

If you are based in the Midlands and interested in joining this **free to attend** course, please click **Apply for ticket** to complete the form. You must be able to attend both dates and you will be required to pick the pathway that best applies to you. Submission of an application is not a guarantee of a place on the course.

Applications close at 11pm on Sunday 17th January 2021.

The course will be run online over Zoom. Successful applicants should ensure that they have a stable internet connection and a quiet space to attend the course from. We recommend a pen and paper as well to take notes.

Course Dates 30th Jan & 6th Feb 2021 | **Times** 09:30 - 13:30 | **Location** Online | **Age** 18+