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kbenfieldphotography.com (photography website)

TECHNICAL SKILLS

- **Accessible Design & Website Development:** WCAG-compliant design, HTML & CSS customization
- **Website Accessibility Evaluation:** Audits, heuristic reviews, remediation strategies
- **Figma:** Prototyping, wireframing, and design systems
- **User Research & Usability Testing:** Research, data analysis, and UX improvements
- **Photoshop and Lightroom:** Advanced photo editing, retouching, and image optimization

CERTIFICATIONS

- **Level 11 Technology:** 30+ hours of accessibility evaluations & stakeholder presentation
- **Google UX Design Professional:** User-centered design, prototyping, and usability testing
- **CompTIA A+ Certification:** IT troubleshooting (hardware/software)

EDUCATION

- **Durham University, UK,** BA Honors, Chinese Studies

PROFESSIONAL EXPERIENCE

UX Designer & Web Accessibility Consultant

KBUX (Freelance) | 2024–Present

- Conducted foundational research, stakeholder interviews, and prototyping
- Designed and built accessible, user-centered websites with a focus on WCAG compliance
- Developed high-fidelity designs and provided UX recommendations

Photographer & Business Owner

KBenfield Photography LLC | 2014–2024

- Managed client projects from conception to delivery for commercial & portrait work
- Delivered detailed post-production editing using Photoshop, Lightroom & AI tools
- Maintained a 5-star rating across multiple platforms (Google, Yelp, Facebook, Nextdoor)
- Grew business with an average annual revenue increase of 22%

Technology Technician

Cherry Creek School District | 2004–2015

- Provided IT support and integrated technology into curriculum
- Led student programming clubs and trained teachers in new tech
- Served on the district tech committee, influencing strategy
- Awarded Cherry Creek School District All-Star (top 0.25% of employees)

Assistant Director

Melby Cameron Co., Inc. | 1993–1995

- Managed trade associations, edited & designed publications
- Oversaw advertising, membership services, and database management