

In the spotlight...Paul Norris



Q. What is your role at Method?

A. Bid Writer and Graphic Designer

Q. What does a typical day look like for you?

A. Work on outstanding bids. Badger people for the things I need for the bids. Mess around in Photoshop if I am lucky.

Q. What is your favourite part about working for Method?

A. I'm trusted to get on with my work. It gets the best from me. Even when I drag people away from their busy jobs to help me out, they're invariably happy to help me.

Q. Three words to describe Method?

A. Team, committed, professional

Q. What drew you to Method originally? And how has Method changed since?

A. I saw people like me were moving into permanent jobs. I registered with an agency and joined Method soon after. I was attracted by the professionalism. It's got bigger since but has not lost its positive qualities.

Q. What has been your favourite project at Method?

A. The one minute videos. Wouldn't want to do them all the time though.

Q. Before working at Method, what was the most unusual or interesting job you've ever had?

A. In charge of the Portering Team at the Children's and Maternity Hospitals in Bristol. Absolutely everything that could happen, did happen and thinking on ones' feet was vital. I certainly saw life there, even around its tragedies. It was the source of my best and worst moments at work.

Q. If you could switch your job with anyone else within Method, whose job would you want?

A. I wouldn't. I am happy where I am.

Q. What would you do (for a career) if you weren't doing this?

A. Enjoyed the NHS. I had the chance but didn't enjoy the pay.

Q. What advice do you have for prospective Method candidates?

A. Commit and keep an open mind. It's an opportunity.

and the fun questions!

Q. Any random facts you could share with us?

1. My Cousin is Martin Freeman(Bilbow Baggins and The Office)
2. I have given over 500 donations of blood plasma
3. I photographed Wallace and Gromit for TV Times Christmas cover with Nick Park- for three days on one photo!

Q. Are you messy or organised?

A. You obviously haven't seen my desk! I have to be reasonably organised to do my job and I am just about organised enough to do it!

Q. If given a chance, who would you like to be for a day?

A. Ian Bothan in 1981. Single handedly went from failed England captain to superstar cricketer. Incredible, thrilling and uplifting to see.

Q. What do you like to do in your spare time?

A. Cook, Cycle, Drink beer with friends.
(you said 'like'- I don't always get to do them)

Q. What is your favourite sport?

A. Cricket, to play and watch. It is the least, and most subtle, sport on the planet.