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Objective

Energetic individual who appreciates honest, professional and creative work. Proficient in web design, art direction, illustration, marketing and copy writing.

Work Experience

Senior Designer

Weblogs, Inc. (AOL)

New York

June 2007 - Present

Brand identity design, graphic design, user experience and front-end coding (XHTML, CSS, JavaScript, PHP) for the Weblogs, Inc. network.

Create and implement the graphical and interface elements that are included in promotional efforts, ad campaigns, and UI / feature enhancements.

Owner, Senior Graphic Designer

Erik Sagen Designs

East Rochester, NY

1994 - Present

Freelance web design and XHTML/CSS development, including illustration design (logos and marketing materials). Layout and design for various publications including newsletters, stationary design and informational pamphlets. Proficient use of Adobe Photoshop, Adobe Illustrator, Adobe InDesign and Dreamweaver.

Graphic Artist

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Macedon, NY

Jan 2007 - June 2007

Product photography/imagery, marketing and advertising. Developed accessible, websites using standards compliant XHTML and CSS. Provided design concepts and art direction in the creation of websites, intranets, multimedia, and print materials.

Cleaner

Penfield Central School District

Penfield, NY

Dec 2005 - Jan 2007

Cleaned and sanitized PSD elementary school. Duties included vacuuming, bathroom cleaning and

trash disposal.

Lead Web Developer/Graphic Designer
Systems Management Planning, Inc.

Rochester, NY
Jan 2003 - Dec 2005

Developed accessible, websites using standards compliant XHTML and CSS. Provided design and art direction in the creation of websites, intranets and marketing materials.

Office Assistant II
County of Riverside, Department of Social Services

Moreno Valley, CA
Apr 2002 - Sep 2002

Assisted in office-related activities including filing paperwork, data entry and answering phones.

Provided transportation and developed transportation routes. Maintained inventory of incentives for participants of CalWorks GAIN University of Life (ILSP) program.

Created informative pamphlets for participants, including various handouts for activities and programs.

Assistant to the CEO
Custom Service Systems

Riverside, CA
Jun 2000 - Apr 2002

Assisted in email correspondence and office-related activities including paperwork, data entry, answering phones, scheduling meetings and appointments.

Customer Service Representative
Organize Everything

Riverside, CA
Oct 2001 - Jan 2002

Provided assistance in regards to inventory count, cashier duties and closing of register.

Assisted customers in store with organization ideas including proficient use of computerized CAD-based system designing closets for customer's homes and offices.

Skills

Adobe Acrobat Pro
Adobe Illustrator
Adobe InDesign
Adobe Photoshop
CSS
Macintosh
Macromedia Dreamweaver

Macromedia Flash
Microsoft Office
Moveable Type
MySQL
PHP
Topstyle Pro
Windows
Wordpress
XHTML

Portfolio

<http://www.flickr.com/photos/kartooner/collections/72157607028317889/>

Education

N/A Sept 2004 - Present
Monroe Community College, Rochester, NY
Graphic Art/Design

N/A Sep 1998 - Apr 2002
Riverside Community College, Riverside, CA
Art

Awards and Honors

Honored as an expedient, proficient, professional and consistent web developer and graphic designer by the Pacific Association of Building Service Contractors (PABSCO).

Received award and recognition as Graphics Editor for RCC's award-winning student newspaper, Viewpoints

Certifications

HTML
Web Design Concepts

Community Involvement

Panelist at the SXSW Interactive Conference (Austin, TX); "The Influence of Art in Design", March 2007