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OBJECTIVE

To obtain a creative position within an entertainment/design based company that will allow me to utilize my technical skills, communication, and group problem solving skills. I am looking to bring my educational background and prior work experience to an organization with an environment that encourages creativity, communication, and innovation.

EDUCATION

Art Center College of Design-Pasadena, CA

Bachelor's Degree in Illustration with an emphasis in Entertainment, Summer 2005 with Honors
Related course work:

Graphic Design, Letterform, Typography, Digital Painting, Character Development,
Background Painting, Visual Development, Entertainment Studio Group Leader

University of California Santa Cruz

Double Bachelor's Degree in Fine Art and Psychology, 2001
Emergency teaching Credential in California for substitute teaching, 2005

WORK EXPERIENCE

Sun Microsystems Menlo Park, CA November 2005-present

Creative Director-Executive Communications

Art Direction and design execution of all presentations, print media, and web design surrounding the offices of the CEO, CFO, and Vice President.

On Site support of presentations and media pertaining to executive presentations.

Execution of product illustrations for print and web based info-graphics.

Management of Vendor Bluewave for launches, event production, and general design.

Web based creative design for Executive Perspectives portion of Sun.com including managing

Mi3works for website updates to sun.com/executives.

Full understanding of corporate brand and communications.

Various freelance jobs including:

2002-2008

XL Construction and Cupertino Electric

-Presentation Design for large scale engineering event

Design Divine

-Illustration consulting and work on projects for Ferriera Dancewear and other clients.

City of Foster City

-Teen Center mural

CA Storage Inc.

-Corporate logo and identity design for the company

S.A.I.C., San Diego, CA

2/2002 - 8/2002

Secure ID Remote Access Database Specialist

Performed support tasks relating to the development and maintenance of multiple security customer/tracking/product databases. Running queries and reports in Microsoft Access.

Additional daily tasks included receiving, processing and packaging SAIC customer orders for security products. Required establishing, maintaining, tracking, and coordinating customer ownership of multiple security products; customer billings; and customer service for security product status questions.

COMPUTER EXPERIENCE

Working knowledge of: Adobe Photoshop, Adobe Illustrator, Dreamweaver, InDesign, Flash CS3, Microsoft Word, Excel, Access, Powerpoint, HTML, Flash, Explorer, Netscape, Staroffice, Logic Pro, Final Cut, and Keynote Comfortable using both Mac OSX and Windows XP platofrms.

ACHIEVEMENTS

Sun's Catch of the quarter Q106

Art Center College of Design Dean's list Summer 2004