



purpose

My purpose as a designer and leader is to creatively solve problems and bring useful solutions to the client, work team members and employer.

character

I am a hard worker, task oriented, honest, self motivated, fast learner, energetic and organized.

skills

Graphic Design and Web Design/Programming are my emphasis as a career. I have a great knowledge of Mac and PC formats, and am able to troubleshoot and effectively work in both environments. I know and have an interest in Spanish, photography, fine art, team leading and office management. I also know and use the following programs to assist in design and layout:

- Adobe Photoshop, Illustrator, InDesign, Pagemaker, Golive, Premiere, ImageReady, Streamline & Imagestylr
- Macromedia Freehand, Fireworks, Dreamweaver & Flash
- Quarkxpress
- Coreldraw, Photopaint, and Trace
- Microsoft Office (Word, Excel, Powerpoint, Frontpage, Publisher, Access) & Visio
- Html, CSS, JavaScript, ASP & PHP programming, full database integration: (SQL, mySQL, Access) on Windows and MAC Servers.
- Prepress & Print Equipment & Software (DTP Dotmate 7500, DTP DPM2340,

achievements

- Taught a Web Design Seminar at MSU for Michigan Art Education Association (08.03)
- Eagle Scout
- Work exhibited at 73rd regional Muskegon Museum of Art exhibit ('01), one-man show at MAISD ('96), Showcase ('96), state level in the Michigan Youth Arts Festival ('94-96)
- Silver key award winner at the Scholastic Art & Writing Awards at Kendall College ('96)
- Work exhibited at the Muskegon Museum of Art in annual county-wide student show ('93-'96)
- Designed 20 software packages for software company for international distribution

employment

- United Sign Graphics**
Graphics Supervisor (Manager of 4 employees and various interns over two shifts)
Manage Departments Workflow, Scheduling and Quality Control (04.05-present)
- KCI PrintSource**
Graphic Designer / Web Designer / MAC IT Support / Prepress (05.03-04.05)
- SSA Global Technologies**
Graphic Designer / MAC IT Support / Graphics Network Administrator (07.02-05.03)
- Interactive Media Design**
Graphic Designer / Web Designer / Web Programmer (03.01-07.03)
- Stratus Design**
Graphic Designer / Prepress Manager (03.00-09.00)
- Mastertag**
Prepress - File prep & Production setup (10.99-12.99)
- Spain (Ileida, alicante, h'ospitalet, benimamet, barcelona)**
Some illustration and design work was done along with publishing manuals and books. Leadership & Trainer over 16 others. (10.97-10.99)

education

- College:** Grand Valley State University, DEGREE OBTAINED: B.A. in Art & Design
Brigham Young University, BFA Graphic Design major, 2 years
- Service:** Barcelona, Spain, Fluent Spanish speaking missionary, 2 years
Boy Scout Leader, (02.01-present)