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Skill Sets:

- Knowledgeable in Adobe Illustrator and Photoshop, familiar with InDesign
- Familiar with Word, Excel, and Powerpoint
- Proficient in freehand illustration and incorporation of drawn work into final designs
- Knowledgeable in digital photography techniques, point-and-shoot camera functionality, and in-camera “Photoshopping” and use of a circular polarizer lens filter
- Over 5 years of customer-service experience

Experience:

Graphic Design Intern, Precept Wine; Seattle, WA (June 2012 – Present)

- Designed works in Illustrator to accompany wines on store shelves
- Utilized existing brand collateral in designs
- Performed image correction for long-term use as stock photography

Freelance Graphic Designer, (Feb. - May 2012)

Client: XDA Developers' Cypher Dynamics Team

Project: Redesign existing logo/avatar and provide web banners for use in company's web forum

Client: David Christie, Prospective Author

Project: Design an e-cover for Mr. Christie's book, “Aftermarket,” currently undergoing revision

- Gained insights into collaterals' usage in communicating with client
- Refined visuals to suit clients' needs
- Created works using personal photo collection, Illustrator and Photoshop
- Provided multiple drafts with variations to clients to determine project direction
- Incorporated feedback from clients into later drafts
- Resized work for final draft

Associate Freelance Designer, (May 2011)

Client: Visions Espresso Service; Seattle, WA

Project: Design a logo for company's Revolution brand coffee

- Worked with brother as design partner to provide solutions
- Made suggestions on visual presentation based on client input
- Submitted multiple design solutions to client

Barista, Borders; Lynnwood, WA (Oct. 2007 – Apr. 2011)

- Drew designs by hand to promote seasonal or new products
- Wrote calls-to-action as part of design
- Worked with co-workers to provide an optimal customer experience

Additional Experience:

Marketing Analyst & Web Writer, Stripes39; Seattle, WA (July – Nov. 2011)

Content Development Intern, Off&Away; Seattle, WA (Apr. – July 2011)


Freelance Copywriter, Digital Media Supervisor, Zoka Coffee Roasters & Tea Co.
Seattle, WA (Aug. 2010 – Feb. 2011)

Program Assistant Intern, Office of the Asst. Vice President & Special Assistant to the
Provost, University of Washington; Seattle, WA (July 2009 – May 2010)

Education:

Undergraduate Certificate – Graphic Design
Bellevue College Continuing Education; Bellevue, WA

B.A., English – Creative Writing & German – Languages and Literature
University of Washington; Seattle, WA
Graduated Cum Laude and with Honors
Member of Phi Beta Kappa



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The Write Designer