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education

St. Olaf College, Northfield, MN
Bachelor of Arts degree completed May 2008, Cum Laude
Major: Studio Art GPA: 3.5

computer skills

Mac/PC Platforms (Mac OS X, Windows XP). Expertise in Adobe Creative Suite (Photoshop, Illustrator, ImageReady, InDesign, Dreamweaver, Fireworks), Microsoft Office. Hardware experience includes scanning, cameras, and large format printing.

employment

Freelance Graphic Artist, Additional Media
Minneapolis, MN | September 2008 – Present

Digitally enhance and prepare professional photographs for use in calendars, catalogs, and various other promotional materials. Designed new business website.

Graphic Designer/Multimedia Consultant, Multimedia Development Center
St. Olaf College, Northfield, MN | September 2005 – May 2008

Provided graphic design and multimedia services for internal communications and marketing across campus including custom designs for event posters, logos, pamphlets, presentations, and CDs.

Sales Associate, Lake Superior Trading Post
Grand Marais, MN | June 2005 – January 2008

Designed and set up merchandise displays throughout the store (housewares, clothing, jewelry, and camping), created signs and posters for sales events, and assisted customers with questions and purchases.

Wedding Photographer - Freelance
Lutsen, MN | September 2007

Full service wedding photography from pre-wedding setup to reception. Photojournalistic style as well as portraiture. Learned to capture the moments.

Barista/Server - Bon Appetit
St. Olaf College, Northfield, MN | September 2004 – May 2005

Prepared fresh smoothies and coffee drinks, fulfilled customer orders, upheld sanitary standards, and tallied daily sales revenue. Learned how to have a positive attitude when dealing with difficult customers.

Portrait Artist - Freelance
Grand Marais, MN | January 2004 – August 2005

Advertised and received several commissions to draw portraits with ebony pencil in a photo realistic style. Discussed working process and timeline with clients to guarantee satisfaction.

contests & exhibitions

Digital People Greeting Card Contest
Bloomington, MN | November 2008

Submitted a greeting card design that incorporated the Digital People logo and followed the contest regulations and instructions. Design was chosen as the winner, printed, and mailed to all agencies associated with Digital People across the U.S.

EXPECTATIONS

South Gallery, Dittmann, St. Olaf College, Northfield, MN | May 2008

Used electrical and aluminum wire to build five life size figures climbing up a 30 foot gallery wall. This installation was meant to communicate and explore the complex world of expectations that society places on us.

North Country Blues

South Gallery, Dittmann, St. Olaf College, Northfield, MN | January 2007

Created a large format photomontage to describe the emotions involved in Bob Dylan's song "North Country Blues." Constructed a dress out of cardboard, paint, charcoal, and magazines in addition to three smaller photographs that enhanced the idea of change in a small town.

Open Exhibit

Johnson Heritage Post Art Gallery, Grand Marais, MN | 2004

Exhibited a photograph called "Lone Duck" alongside other local North Shore artists.

Spirit of the Northland Contest

Superior, WI | 2003, 2004

Submitted artwork in a contest that represented the "spirit of the northland." Awarded third place in 2003 and first place in 2004. Awards were presented by the Mayor of Superior, WI. Artwork was shown in local newspapers.

permanent collections

Grand Marais Historical Fish Museum
Grand Marais, MN | 2003 - Present

Worked with fellow student artist to create two commissioned plaster figures (life size) to display antique fishing clothing and tools.

North Shore Commercial Fishing Museum
Tofte, MN | 2004 - Present

Painted a local fisherman cleaning a fish for the Commercial Fishing themed contest. Artwork became a permanent piece in the museum.

references

Available upon request.