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ABOUT

EXCITED TO CREATE GREAT DESIGN, TARGETING AN ENTRY-LEVEL POSITION.

What motivates me is the opportunity to solve problems by designing brilliant websites, UIs, and graphics as a career. I possess aptitudes in user experience (UX), programming, and design, as well as hands-on experience in user research and interaction design gained through coursework and experiential learning opportunities. I am excited to find a position that will allow me to learn from others (mentor/apprentice) and experience a diversity of design problems.

WORK

GRAPHIC / WEB DESIGN INTERN

SEP 2015 - NOV 2015

Instant E-Training, Chicago, IL

Succeeded in creating email templates, banner ads, and graphic assets
Overcame a large backlog of training videos submitted by trainers by organizing the editing process
Coordinated changes to website (WordPress), including content updates & new marketing initiatives

TEACHING ASSISTANT

JAN 2015 - MAY 2015

Purdue University Calumet, Hammond, IN

Lab assistant for CGT 346 - Digital Video and Audio
Demonstrated how to use Adobe Premiere Pro to help students create great video projects
Aided the professor with supporting students on lab days
Helped students create progressively better video projects and assignments

CO-OWNER / DESIGNER / TECHNICIAN

MAR 2010 - JAN 2015

Three Dog Net, Hobart, IN

Established a successful brand strategy - design of company logos, signage, and documents
Designed great WordPress websites for local small business and non-profit organizational clients
Provided customers with computer hardware & software repair, virus removal, and managed services
Ensured profitability by handling day-to-day operations, invoicing, billing, payroll, marketing, and social media

EDUCATION

BACHELOR OF SCIENCE - COMPUTER GRAPHICS TECHNOLOGY

2011 - 2015

Purdue University Calumet, Hammond, IN

Web - HTML, CSS, JS, jQuery, PHP
Mobile - Android Studio (Java), Visual Studio (Windows Apps)
UX/HCI - Interaction, Prototyping, Use Cases, Usability, Accessibility
Video - Editing, Effects, Production
3D/Animation - Modeling, Animation, UDK/Unity
Print - Pre-press, Graphic Design

SKILLS

Communication
Teamwork
Leadership

Problem Solving
Organization
Efficiency

Typography
Wireframing
Prototyping

Personas & Use Cases
Composition
Social Media

PROGRAMMING



SOFTWARE

