

Summary

Experienced, talented, dependable production artist and graphic designer with strong understanding of all phases of production, design, pre-press, and project management.

Excellent in web, print and packaging production from implementing early concept, image retouching and manipulation, photography to creating press-ready and pixel-ready artworks.

Nine plus years agency and in-house experience in multiple industries ranges from advertising, design, technology, communication, entertainment, manufacturing to fashion. Clients ranges from Microsoft, AT&T, T-Mobile, Verizon, Sprint, Pantech, HTC, Sony, Vertafore, PF-Flyers, Aravon, Toyo Tires, Frito-Lay, Marvel, Disney, Nickelodeon to Eddie Bauer.

Graduated with Honor "Magna Cum Laude" from The Art Institute of Ft. Lauderdale F.L.

Experience

GARRIGAN LYMAN GROUP, SEATTLE, WA | SEPT 2011 – PRESENT | CONTRACT

Web and Print Production Specialist

Managing web and print production for T-Mobile, Sony, Toyo Tires, and Umpqua Bank.

HORNALL ANDERSON, SEATTLE, WA | MAY 2010 – SEPTEMBER 2010 | CONTRACT

Packaging Production Designer

Responsible for packaging production for Frito-Lay product lines including Lay's, Doritos and Tostitos. Generated consumer products packaging testing based on the original designed templates and creating mechanical ready artworks.

HECKLER ASSOCIATES, SEATTLE, WA | AUGUST 2009 – APRIL 2010 | CONTRACT

Web and Print Production Designer

Responsible for web and print production ranging from products and photo shoots retouching, layout, creating mechanical ready artworks, pre flighting, creating vector logos, packaging, web graphics and optimization.

WORKTANK, L.L.C., Seattle, WA | May 2007 – July 2009

Electronic Production Artist (E-Pro)

Responsible for delivering print, web, and out-of-home ready artworks to vendors. Executing to built chosen concept with direction from art directors and designers. Process including setting up files to spec, project & stock photo research, image adjustment & retouching, layout and text preparation, pre flighting, preparing and press checking files.

- Delivered Bronze Telly Award for HTC AT&T 8525, HTC T-Mobile Shadow, and HTC AT&T Tilt campaign.
- Projects ranging from brochure, poster, banner, product launch event, VIP kit, online to out-of-home.

SCREENLIFE, L.L.C., SEATTLE, WA | AUGUST 2005 – MARCH 2007

Packaging Production Designer

Managed the interactive Scene It? DVD game packaging elements such as game board, box, DVD face and sleeve, game instruction, trivia cards, and reference cards. Produced and delivered highest quality products under tight dateline for multiple Scene It? game titles such as Nickelodeon, Thomas Bingo, Marvel Deluxe Edition, and Hockey Night DVD Blast.

Other responsibility including designing collateral items for Marketing and Sales team: toyfair banners, floor stand display, sell sheets, game instructions, and product prototypes.

EDDIE BAUER, Redmond, WA | June 2005 – August 2005 | Contract

Web and Print Production Designer

Assisted Eddie Bauer's visual merchandising department by selecting, processing and retouching photographs to be used on quarterly catalog and website. Responsible for updating product images on the catalog and website including archiving files to server.

VERIZON SUPERPAGES, EVERETT, WA | JUNE 2003 – JUNE 2005

Graphic Designer

Designed Verizon Superpages nationwide directories using four-colors ads and one-color ads from conception to finish to increase sales from existing and new customers. Demonstrated ability to successfully design, manage, and pre-flight multiple ads on a daily basis to meet or exceed production requirements with average of 18 ads/day.

Education

EVERETT COMMUNITY COLLEGE, EVERETT, WA | DECEMBER 2011

Multimedia web design.

THE ART INSTITUTE OF FORT LAUDERDALE, FORT LAUDERDALE, FL | JUNE 2002

Graduated with Honors: Bachelor of Fine Art focusing in graphic design.

THE ART INSTITUTE OF SEATTLE, SEATTLE, WA | MARCH 2001

Graduated with Honors: Associate of Applied Arts Degree focusing in graphic design.

EDMONDS COMMUNITY COLLEGE, LYNNWOOD, WA | JUNE 1999

Associate of Arts and Science Degree focusing in Business.

Software

Photoshop, InDesign, Illustrator, Microsoft Office Suite, Acrobat and FTP. HTML, CSS, Dreamweaver, Flash and Maya (basic knowledge). Mac OS X platform.