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Work Experience

Nov. 2000 - December 2008

Art Director: Edge Media, Aiken, SC

While my primary role was to establish and execute the graphic and artistic design of our projects, Edge's small full-time staff and wide variety of projects allowed me to dip my toes into almost every aspect of video production. For eight years I received hands-on training and experience in everything from pre-production planning and art direction to camera operation and sound recording. My post-production duties included editing video programs, creating motion graphics, designing and authoring DVDs and preparation of video to be delivered via the web.

July 1998 - October 2000

Graphic Artist: Springprint Medallion, Augusta, GA

Worked as a part of a small department responsible for the preparation and creation of artwork for printing on various materials and the design of marketing materials including brochures and flyers.

August 1997 - December 2000

Student Web Assistant: University of South Carolina Aiken, Aiken, SC

In this work-study position I was responsible for the creation and maintenance of University web pages and graphics as well as one-on-one HTML instruction with university faculty. In 2000 my website redesign won the 2000 South Carolina Press Association award for best website.

Ongoing

Freelance web and graphic design for a variety of clients.

Education

September 1996 - December 2000

University of South Carolina, Aiken, SC

Graduated Summa Cum Laude

Bachelor of Arts with a Major in Fine Arts (Technology Arts Option)

Assistant Editor - Broken Ink Student Literary/Art Magazine

Skill Set

Print: Adobe CS3 (Acrobat, Illustrator, Indesign, Photoshop)

Video: Final Cut Pro, DVD Studio Pro, After Effects, Motion, Camera Operation, Sound Recording

Web: Hand Coding of standards based HTML and CSS, Fireworks, Flash

Comfortable in both Macintosh and Windows environments

References and portfolio available upon request.