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GRAPHIC ARTIST, DESIGNER

Focus - Graphic Design / Digital Art

Graphic Designer skilled in digital art concepts for print, web and product manufacturing applications.

Summary of Qualifications

- (CAD): Gerber Systems
- Photoshop, Illustrator, InDesign
- Microsoft Office Suite
- Windows & Mac environments
- ZBrush, Cinema 4D, VUE
- Self-motivated professional
- Resourceful researcher
- Quick learner
- Broad availability
- Digital and Manual Illustration

Skills

- Digital Illustration of art concepts for print, fabric and web applications using Adobe Creative Suite.
- Composition and layout for marketing collateral using InDesign.
- Manual sketching and mood boarding for look development of characters, live or digital, in accordance with director.
- 2D Pattern engineering and technical sketching for streetwear and theatrical costumes, using Gerber Computer Aided Design Systems.

Experience

Graphic Artist, Designer

City , State Company Name / Feb 2016 to Current

- Design album cover art.
- Design promotional posters and postcards.
- Created mixed compositions utilizing illustrations and photography to express artist identity and style for web applications.

Technical Designer / Patternmaker

City , State Company Name / Jan 2000 to May 2015

- Managed pattern and grading timelines for stage costumes and cast member uniforms.
- Quality assurance and determined Spec guidelines.
- Problem-solving for sizing and fit challenges.
- Technical Illustration for PLM documentation.
- Reduced garment manufacturing cost by over 60% and reduced production lead times by about 50% by creating and enforcing production efficiency standards and reducing waste.
- Maintained BOMs

Design and Patternmaking Assistant

City , State Company Name / Mar 1997 to Jun 1999

- Refresh and customize theatrical costumes for each play
- Assist in prop-making and decoration
- Maintained costume library

Freelance Costume Design

City , State Company Name / Mar 1997 to Jun 1999

- Assisted AFI students in developing character looks for their short film projects
- Worked closely with director, head designer

Education and Training

Certificate of Proficiency : Graphic Design / Animation Studio Arts, Ltd. 2016 City , State , USA

Computer Aided Design, Lectra / Gerber Systems Art Institute & LA Trade Tech City , State , USA
Digital Design, Patternmaking, Grading, and Marker-Making coursework
Associate of Arts : Fashion Design Brooks College City , State , USA