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Strengths

Possess a strong mix of creativity and work ethic. Always strive for high standards of personal and professional achievement. Maintain strong interpersonal and communication skills, as well as exceptional problem solving and time management skills.

Skills

Ruby and pair programming. I've built multiple database driven projects with Sinatra, Rails and JavaScript. Test driven development, using RSpec and Capybara for both model and integration tests. I also possess a strong background in HTML and CSS.

Experience

Dev Bootcamp, April 2013 - July 2013

Completed an intense, nine-week program to learn Ruby on Rails, Sinatra, JavaScript, pair programming, and test-driven development.

Andrew Stamm Design, August 2010 - Present

Freelance webdesign using hand-coded HTML, CSS and Wordpress implementation. Clients include; nmndesigns.com, evalperiod.com and promandpageantplace.com as well as my own photography website, andrewstamm.com.

M2MEDIA360, LLC., June 2004 - April 2013

Art director for the monthly magazine publications NPN Magazine and Fuel Oil News. Responsibilities included strategic design and layout of electronic & print promotional materials, as well as preflighting and preparing press-ready document files for production in a fast-paced environment. Under my direction, **M2MEDIA360** saw improved overall aesthetic quality in its publications and promotional materials, as well as a more efficient workflow.

REED BUSINESS INFORMATION, February 2002 - December 2003

Responsibilities included book, magazine, brochure and postcard layout, photo touch-ups, redrawing company logos, and preflighting and preparing press-ready document files for publication under heavy deadlines.

Education

TRUMAN COLLEGE, Chicago, Illinois January 2010 - July 2010

Web design courses focusing on HTML and CSS.

ILLINOIS INSTITUTE OF ART, Schaumburg, Illinois July 2002 - January 2003

Certificate program with courses in Web and Graphic Design.

UNIVERSITY OF ILLINOIS, Urbana-Champaign, Illinois August 1996 - May 2000

Bachelor's Degree in Fine Art, majoring in painting (3.49 GPA).

NORWICH SCHOOL OF ART & DESIGN, Norwich, England Autumn 1999

Semester study abroad program in Fine Art.