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TECHNICAL SKILLS

Proficient in both Mac and Windows operating systems

ADOBE CREATIVE SUITE

InDesign Acrobat Pro Illustrator Photoshop

MICROSOFT OFFICE

Word Excel Powerpoint

REBEKAH DE JONG

Graphic and Layout Designer

SUMMARY

- Graphic Designer and Layout Artist with a demonstrated history of working in the desktop publishing industry
 and experience designing information-dense products.
- Possesses extensive knowledge in Adobe Creative Suite and Microsoft Office.
- Detail oriented and thinks outside the box to solve problems.
- Excellent communication and organizational skills.
- Works well with others and individually. Welcomes critique and feedback from colleagues.
- Demonstrates great customer service skills.
- Curious and open to learning new skills and technologies. Learns new processes quickly. Has a passion for continuous improvement.
- Reliable and punctual. Motivated to finish projects and tasks.
- Interested in and open to working in the Tech Industry.



WORK EXPERIENCE

DESKTOP PUBLISHING SPECIALIST - Teknion Limited (Toronto, ON)

October 2017 - Present

- Develops and maintains Application and Price Guides, while maintaining the brand, ensuring information is accurate, and working within a specific schedule.
- Modifies and manipulates technical illustrations using Adobe Illustrator and Photoshop.
- Communicates with team members and Project Coordinators to receive and confirm information for Guides.
- Initiates and proposes solutions for the development of Guides.
- Assists the team to convert all existing Guides from Quark Express to Adobe InDesign.

FORMS SPECIALIST / SENIOR PROJECT OFFICER - Canada Revenue Agency (Ottawa, ON)

March 2016 - September 2017

- Created, edited, and reviewed tax forms.
- Monitored, tracked, and reported progress and status of projects.
- Recommended next steps required to continue the project and the resulting expected date of completion.
- Attended meetings and provided input for upcoming projects.
- Communicated with clients to design mock-ups for the External Administrative Correspondence project.

DESKTOP PUBLISHER - Canada Revenue Agency (Ottawa, ON)

July 2015 - March 2016

- Created and maintained templates in various software, and designed graphic illustrations.
- Formatted publications and various documents using desktop and graphic design software, and prepared electronic documents for Internet upload.
- Prepared pre-press material for publications, forms and information products in computer-to-plate format
- Wrote instructions and specification sheets for templates.



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WORK EXPERIENCE

PHOTO TECHNICIAN / GRAPHIC DESIGNER - Sooter's Photography (Ottawa, ON)

July 2013 - July 2015

- Designed a variety of printed materials for both clients and store promotion.
- Independently managed store. Took and processed orders to ensure customer satisfaction.
- Took professional passport/visa/ID photos.

GRAPHIC DESIGNER - Freelance

July 2012 - Present

- Works with clients to make designs that meet their approval.
- Specializes in newsletters, invitations, logos, and promotional materials.



EDUCATION + CERTIFICATIONS

AKENDI USER EXPERIENCE COURSES

- February 2017
- Completed courses in:
 - Introduction to User Experience Design & Experience Thinking
 - Interaction Design
 - Visual Design for User Experience

DIPLOMA IN PRINT MEDIA

- Algonquin College, 2011-2012
- Fall 2011-Spring 2012 Dean's List
- Graduated with Honours
- Completed co-op at Mission Stream studio