# A HELPFUL IUSTRUMEUT

I am a smart, dedicated individual with some skills in HTML, css, and JavaScript. I'd like to help.

#### experience

Since 2007 I have been working as a freelance graphic designer. I was also a contract desktop publisher from 2007 to early 2009 at a locally based language translation company. Since 2008 I have been designing, hand coding, and creating the content of the website *changecase.net*. I am also currently leading the redesign of the site for the Bike Porn Film Festival, *bikesmut.com*.

#### like a glove

I work as a team with clients and co-workers to collaboratively create the best possible products. I strive for excellence in all elements of my work, whether that means

- clear organization and labeling of my work for the benefit of co-workers and future designers,
- web design and development that conforms to web standards and best practices for the benefit of multiple digital environments and accessibility needs,
- use of materials and techniques that are beautiful, renewable, and future minded, or
- an eagerness to learn new skill sets to better provide for my clients and support my co-workers.

Over the past several years I have worked in a self-directed manner to improve my knowledge and push my skill in design for both web and print. To friends and family this means our conversations often turn to such esoteric subjects as typographic choice and execution, developments in augmented reality and semantic recommendations, evaluations of historical contexts in design, and artistic techniques.

To clients this means expertise.

#### other people like me too

You may contact Lauren Rother from Dane Street, LLC (Irother@danestreet.com) and Diane Ellis (diannee@lingosys.com) from Lingo Systems for professional references.

Both Andrew Strobel (strobelski@gmail.com) and Jeme Brelin (jeme@brelin.net) can vouch for my character as personal references.

#### a call answered

While browsing through your website, I spotted your Help Wanted ad.



If you are interested in finding out more about me, you can find my resume attached. You can contact me by phone at 253.359.7773 or by email at *change.case@yahoo.com*.

Thank you.

Jeff Jacobson 253.359.7773 change.case@yahoo.com

# JEFF JACOBSON

#### 2005 studio art

University of Puget Sound
Minor in English

#### intern designer/ developer

Bike Porn film festival & www.bikesmut.com

Design promotional material, business documents, & website

## now designer/developer

www.changecase.net Branding, logo design; print & web materials

## **2009** designer

Dane Street

Design application form & year-end celebratory event promotional materials

#### **2009** designer

Disjecta

Poster design & pre press

## 2009 desktop publisher

Lingo Systems

Technical manual & corporate material formatting, type fitting, & pre press in a variety of languages

#### 2008 designer

www.seamsnice.etsy.com
Branding logo design, print & web materials

#### 2008 designer

Food for Thought Student Gallery

Promotional & information design, poster, mailer & signage for gallery show "Start | Stop"

#### 2007 designer

Ample Sample

Poster design for a show featuring Ample Sample, Pelican Ossman, Old Ironsides, Dirty Mittens, & The J Polk Trio

# 2006 software research analyst

Jon Brandon, Inc.

Communicated with client & company to delineate project parameters & requirements in the creation of new software

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