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SKILLS

Web
CSS
HTML
XML
MySQL (basic)
PHP (basic)
Wordpress (CMS)
Emphasis on web standards,
techniques & compliance.
Hand-coding, basic SEO,
social networking &
information architecture

Graphic/Print
Branding
Identity
Posters/Flyers
Event Programs
Pamplets
Album Artwork
Editorial Layout
Typography
Typeface Design
Color Theory
Digital Pre-Press
Color Correction
Photo Retouching Skills

Computer
Mac & Windows Platflorms
Photoshop
Dreamweaver
Illustrator
InDesign
Komodo
Notepad & ++

MS Windows Office Suites

OBJECTIVE

Seeking a web and/or graphic design position in which my knowledge of web standards, techniques, creation of tangible images and innovative problem-solving can be used to create outstanding design solutions

EXPERIENCE

Freelance Web & Graphic Designer

Smith Lake, NM October 2003 - Present

Projects include: Indigenous Film Festival (RI); identity & event posters. Sacred Blood (NM); event posters, album artwork, shirt design, identity, & social media specialist. Speck Entertainment (NM); event posters. Black Acid Devils (AZ); event poster & identity. American Indian College Experience (in progress); web design and development & branding. Asdza Shash Productions; event posters. No Direction Promotion; event posters & identity. Rhode Island Association of Accounting Professionals; branding & website layout.

Graphic and Print Designer, Native Americans at Brown

Providence, RI January 2006 - May 2010

Created identity, event posters and t-shirts for the student organization and the '2010 All Ivy Native Council Conference,' 'Native American Heritage Series,' and the annual 'Spring Thaw Pow Wow.' All NAB events attracted the New England Native American (Narragansett, Wampanog, Mashpee, Pequot & Mohegan) and nationwide Indigenous tribal populations to be involved with the student organization and Brown University

Front-End Developer, VIPS in RI

Providence, RI June 2009 - November 2009

Met and corresponded with clients to determine client needs for company sites. Responsible for design, site structure (information architecture), and daily maintenance of their global website and many of it's localized sites. XHTML, CSS & PHP coding, image editing and utilized Wordpress as a Content Managment System (CMS) to update and create fresh content. Performed validation of completed sites including the debugging and testing of code

Web Production Assistant, Brown University Web Communications

Providence, RI May 2009 - September 2009

Handle day-to-day Web production, project prioritization and scheduling to keep client websites up-to-date. Follow established naming convention and documentation, recommending new processes as needed. Work with clients to resolve technical issues. Provide input and recommendations on various departmental web projects

Web and Graphic Designer, Edwin Pacheco

Providence, RI October 2008 - September 2009

Developed and maintained State Representative website utilizing web and graphic standards. Responsible for quality assurance of finished websites including the validation of web forms and links. Used selected colors and assisted Edwin's campaign establish an online identity. Maintained contact through email and face-to-face meetings

EDUCATION

University of Arizona, UA Tucson, AZ

Master of Arts, Information Resources & Library Science May 2012

Johnson & Wales University, JWU Providence, RI

Bachelor of Science, Web Management/E-Commerce August 2009

Associate of Science, Website Development November 2007

AWARDS

Knowledge River Scholar Cohert 9, Tucson, AZ July 2010

Top 10 in Internet Marketing at the Int'l Career & Development Conference, Atlanta, GA April 2008 Gates Millenium Scholarship Recipient, Smith Lake, NM February 2005