### **RÉSUMÉ**

# Lee Williams

DESIGNER / DEVELOPER / ART DIRECTOR / CREATIVE-TYPE-PERSON

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#### **WORK EXPERIENCE**

# Technology & Innovation Fellow @ Consumer Financial Protection Bureau JANUARY 2013 - PRESENT

- Tasked with improving the efficiency of the bureau through the use of design and technology.
- Worked with a small team of designers and developers, conducted extensive user testing and developed a tiered rollout of improvements to the consumer complaint experience.
- With another small team, am working to redesign consumerfinance.gov, to improve its information architecture and make it fully responsive.

# Assistant Art Director @ Runner's World Magazine JANUARY 2008 - JUNE 2010

- Worked with the deputy art director and design director to produce a monthly newsstand magazine with a circulation base of 650,000.
- Primary responsibilities were overseeing the front and back of the book, conceptualizing, assigning art, directing illustrators and photographers, directing photo editors for research, working with a production team to prepare each issue for print and occasionally working on a feature.
- Assisted with a redesign of the magazine, which debuted in September 2008.

## Designer @ Time Inc. Content Solutions

OCTOBER 2005 - JANUARY 2008

- Assisted the art director primarily on designing two quarterly custom publications: *Proto*, for Massachusetts General Hospital, and *Merrill Lynch Advisor*.
- Conceptualized and planned the art for each feature, oversaw illustration assignment, directed photographers, worked with a production team to prepare the pages for print, and helped design each issue cover to cover.
- Assisted on other projects when needed, including pitches for new business.

## **AWARDS & RECOGNITION**

#### **CUSTOM PUBLISHING COUNCIL**

BEST COVER // LESS THAN 250,000

• Silver 2007 Proto

DESIGN // BEST OVERALL

• Silver 2007 Proto

DESIGN // BEST USE OF ILLUSTRATION

• Gold 2007 Proto

DESIGN // BEST OVERALL

• Silver 2008 Proto

DESIGN // BEST USE OF ILLUSTRATION

• Bronze 2008 Proto

#### SOCIETY OF PUBLICATION DESIGNERS

**COVER DESIGN** 

• Merit 2008 Proto

FEATURE, SPREAD OR SINGLE PAGE ILLUSTRATION

• Merit 2008 Proto

COVER ILLUSTRATION

• Merit 2008 Proto

#### **EDUCATION**

- Parsons the New School for Design MFA Design & Technology CLASS OF 2012 NEW YORK, NY 10011
- The University of the Arts BFA Graphic Design CLASS OF 2004 PHILADELPHIA, PA 19102

#### REFERENCES

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#### TOOLKIT

#### **EXPERT**

- Adobe Creative Suite
- HTML
- CSS
- JavaScript
- Jauery
- Canvas

#### **PROFICIENT**

- Adobe After Effects
- Arduino
- LESS
- Jekyll

#### WORKING KNOWLEDGE

- MySQL
- MongoDB