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## Personal Statement

My interest in graphic design arose when I was a sophomore in high school. Two friends of mine took me under their wing and taught me about graphic design, web development, and technology. Since then, I have been striving to learn as much as I can about design and web development. I am very passionate about the industry and can see myself working in it for a very long time.

I see one of my major strengths being my adaptability. I am able to jump easily from being a designer, to a coder, to a hardware technician, and to creative thinker. This adaptability is reflected in my design work where I am able to handle any task I'm given, whether it be web or print.

## Education

### Chattanooga State Community College

Chattanooga, Tennessee  
Associate of Applied Science  
Graphic Design  
2009 - 2011

## Experience

### Famous Dave's

Chattanooga, Tennessee  
Sales Consultant  
2006 - 2010

### Chattanooga Central High School

Chattanooga, Tennessee  
Hardware / Software Technician  
2006 - 2008

## Awards

### Chattanooga State Community College

Dean's List  
2009 - 2011

### University of Tennessee at Chattanooga

Women's Studies Logo Competition Winner  
2009

### Chattanooga Central High School

Best High School Website Design  
2008

## Skills

Adobe InDesign / Adobe Illustrator  
Adobe Photoshop / Adobe Flash  
Adobe Dreamweaver / XHTML  
CSS / SEO / jQuery / WordPress  
Typography / Illustration

## Capabilities

Web Design and Development / Identity Design  
Advertising Design / Apparel Design  
Package Design / Typography / User Experience  
Ability to work directly with a client.

## References

References available upon request.