
education

Bowling Green State University, Bowling Green, OH
Bachelor of Fine Arts, Major in Digital Arts, May 2010

skills

- Extremely proficient in Photoshop and Illustrator, HTML, CSS, jQuery and Javascript.
- Working knowledge of all Adobe products, familiar with Java and backend tools including JBoss, Maven, SQL and Mongo databases.
- Comfortable working in group environments, leading small teams, working with other departments and directly with clients.

work experience

Jakroo Custom Apparel, Pleasanton, CA • Jan. 2015 – Present

Web & Graphic Design Manager

- Trains new employees and helps to manage graphic design department as well as maintaining responsibilities as a Senior Graphic Designer.
- Maintains and updates all web domains including creating new landing pages and integrating new features to existing pages.

Jakroo Custom Apparel, Pleasanton, CA • Dec. 2013 – Jan. 2015

Senior Graphic Designer

- Worked closely with Sales Representatives to generate 10-20 new custom designs for customers less than 1 day turn-around.
- Created marketing materials such as: Web Banners, Site Assets, Postcards and Banners/Materials for Trade Show Booths.

Metaphor.com, Toledo, OH • Dec. 2012 – Sept. 2013

Front-End Developer

- Worked on a small team of developers and designers to create a web application used by clients to aid communication within their companies.
- Used Eclipse to develop and sync code with development team via SVN.
- Maintained and operated a local development environment using JBoss, Maven, SQL.
- Ensured browser support for IE8+, Firefox, Chrome and Safari.

Applied Learning Labs Inc., Toledo, OH • Dec. 2011 – Sept. 2013

Associate Illustrator

- Used Illustrator and Photoshop to create assets for web and print in a team environment.
- Worked with clients such as GE Aviation, Radioshack and The University of Toledo Medical Center to create visual learning tools to help aid clients and their employees understand the inner workings of the company, value chains and visualization of money flow.

Ohio Art, Bryan, OH • Nov. 2010 – Dec. 2011

Designer

- Designed toys and toy packaging for multiple product lines from concept to completion.
- Worked in a group environment to collaborate and revise designs based on group decisions.