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OBJECTIVE

To obtain a senior-level graphic design position with a creative and progressive design firm.

KNOWLEDGE

I have extensive experience working in a collaborative, creative environment utilizing multiple disciplines to achieve successful results for regional and national clientele. I am accustomed to deadline-driven schedules requiring detailed planning and project management in order to take ideas from concept to completion. I embrace attention to detail in visual communication systems in order to provide cohesive messaging throughout every applicable medium. By utilizing a combination of both traditional and digital techniques, I am able to provide a variety of solutions to fit any project requirement.

APPLICATIONS

Adobe Creative Suite
QuarkXPress
Microsoft Office

EDUCATION

Bachelor of Science in Graphic Design, *cum laude*
The Art Institute of Pittsburgh
Pittsburgh, PA

September 2003

» I was selected twice by faculty members to participate in an honors-level program providing design solutions for local non-profit organizations.

April–June 02, July–September 03

PROFESSIONAL EXPERIENCE

Brunner Advertising
Pittsburgh, PA October 2005–Present
Senior Designer (Designer 2005–2007)

As a part of the multi-disciplined creative department, I am responsible for providing strategically focused design solutions for a wide variety of national brands. My role as Senior Designer allows me utilize my abilities to communicate consistent brand messaging through identity design, marketing collateral, digital and print advertising, website design, packaging, and environmental design. Following my promotion from Designer in 2007, my responsibilities expanded to include team project management, client presentation, and strategic brand planning. Working closely in a collaborative environment with Art Directors, Digital Developers, Account Supervisors, and Production Artists, I am able to create successful visual results to meet any project need.

Einhorn Design
Pittsburgh, PA October 2003–September 2005
Designer

Principal designer for a corporate graphics firm specializing in multimedia marketing materials. Provided design and art direction for a wide variety of projects for local and regional clientele including printed collateral, identity design, customized software applications, website design, and 3-D animation. Responsibilities included concept development, client presentations, pre-press file preparation, and production specification.

American Speedy Printing
Pittsburgh, PA June 2003–September 2003
Production Artist

Specialized in typographical layout for small business applications. Incorporated logo design and typography for use in business cards, newsletters, brochures, and letterhead for various methods of offset production. Attained skills in pre-press file preparation including trapping, trimming, bindery, final output file collection, and on-site press checks.

OTHER INTERESTS

I'm an avid cyclist and have been commuting by bicycle everyday for the past four years. In addition to my commute, I also participate in local road racing for the Iron City Bikes racing team. Acting as Manager and Treasurer, I created a sponsorship proposal that has generated more than \$4,000 dollars to provide the team with uniforms and other equipment necessary for competition. In addition to managing sponsorship relationships, I also designed the team uniform that included jerseys, shorts, jackets, and socks. I also have organized five cycling scavenger hunts that involved route planning, promotion, staff management, and prize allocation.

I am also a fan of just about any craft-brewed beer. I attend a weekly beer-tasting club that has tasted more than 400 different beers.