Professional Experience

Senior Graphic Designer, Marlin Entertainment (2002 – 2003)

Conceived and executed web, print and new media projects for clients of Marlin Entertainment, a Manhattan based marketing and design firm specializing in broadcast cable and movie companies. Projects where created for clients included The History Channel, National Cable Association, ESPN and Turner Classic Movies.

- Designed and produced online web sites for agency clients
- Created online projects such as interactive games, advertising banners, and flash based marketing projects for agency clients.
- Designed printed marketing collateral for agency clients. Projects included corporate brochures, sales kits, and product packaging.
- Revamped Marlin Entertainment's Logo Identity, Website and branding image to better communicate the agency's abilities.
- Developed presentation boards and online marketing collateral to pitch ideas to new or potential clients
- Worked with clients on an account management level to ensure projects accommodating clients needs.

Senior Graphic Designer, Quark, Inc. (1999 –2002)

Managed and art directed the creative team while overseeing all stages of the production cycle encompassing concept development, production, and final delivery.

- Supervised the Creative team that was composed of 8 people. Identified each team member's skills to better assign tasks and delegate responsibility accordingly.
- Managed corporate design projects with responsibility throughout entire life-cycle to assure timely delivery within budget requirements.
- Established and maintained Quark branding and design quality standards to be implemented in all corporate publications, products and Web sites.
- Cooperated with Senior Management to define the strategic direction of Quark Web presence.
 Oversaw creative development and production of Quark Web sites, both domestic and international.
- Art directed and supervised production of all printed materials, including product packaging, marketing collaterals and corporate publications.

Web Site Designer, Quark, Inc. (1997-1999)

Responsible for all aspects of Web design covering domestic and European Web sites, e-commerce, and online training.

- Designed overall look and feel of the corporate Web presence for the domestic and international customers.
- Developed graphic design standards, corporate identity, navigational architecture and content structure to be applied to all Quark online projects.

- Cooperated closely with Marketing Directors with the presentation of creative, engaging and strategically relevant marketing campaigns to further enhance the corporate identity and product branding.
- Conceptualized and created original identities for all Quark products. Ensured adherence of identity standards to all printed and online material.

Multimedia Designer, Quark, Inc. (1994-1997)

Developed and created interactive projects for Web and CD-ROM using QuarkImmedia, Macromedia Flash and Director, Adobe AfterEffects, and Strada 3D.

- Designed and developed multimedia projects for major clients including Rolling Stone magazine,
 Colossal Pictures, mFactory, and Dave Matthews band.
- Created multimedia projects such as games, tutorials, and demos to demonstrate the interactive ability of QuarkImmedia, Quark multimedia authoring software.
- Produced PowerPoint and multimedia slide presentations for Senior Management to be presented during trade shows including Macworld, Seybold, and Ifra.
- Researched and advised programmers on design relevant features to be integrated or enhanced in QuarkXPress and QuarkImmedia during their development stage.

Graphic Designer, AlphaGraphics Print Shop (1993-1994)

Designed and produced business collateral for third-party clients to be printed in-house.

- Provided graphic design for logos, packaging, business identities, and marketing brochures.
- Collaborated with the print press operators to create camera-ready art work to be printed on offset press.
- Interfaced with clients to provide them with creative solutions, design mock-ups and final proofs
 of their projects.

Graphic Designer Internship, Denver Museum of Natural History (1992-1993)

Worked under senior graphic designers supervision to create collateral pieces for the Museum exhibits.

- Designed and produced museum signage, marketing campaigns, newspaper and magazine ads, and brochures.
- Cooperated with photographers, exhibit artists, typographers and senior designers to produce camera-ready artwork for press.

Graphic Designer, University of Northern Colorado, Housing and Food Services (1989-1991)

Reported to the Director of Housing and Food Services.

- Created original graphic designs for brochures, posters, campaigns, and signage for the University of Northern Colorado community.
- Worked closely with copywriters ensure effectiveness of marketing campaigns on and off campus.

Computer Skills

Software:

QuarkXPress,

Adobe Illustrator,

Adobe Photoshop,

Macromedia Flash,

Macromedia DreamWeaver

Microsoft PowerPoint

Microsoft Office

Platforms:

Macintosh

PC

Web technologies:

HTML coding

Flash action script

Working knowledge of PHP, and JavaScript

Database connectivity

Education

1991 – Bachelors degree in graphic design University of Northern Colorado

Quark Technical Support Specialist Certificate