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SUMMARY

- Over 15 years of professional experience in User Interface and User Experience development and deployment of web-based sites and e-commerce and database applications.
- Over 30 years of professional Graphic Design, Fine Art and Marketing experience.
- Experience in designing and prototyping User Interfaces for intranet, web applications and websites using HTTP, TCP/IP, HTML5, XML, CSS, AJAX, Actionscript 1.0-3.0 and JavaScript, Angular JS, and Bootstrap.
- Excellent Hands on experience in using web designing tools such as Adobe CC, specifically high-levels of mastery with Dreamweaver, Photoshop, InDesign, Final Cut Pro, Digital Performer and Flash.
- Professional Audio Engineer and Animator.
- Nearly three decades experience as a quintessential self-starting graphic designer, and fine artist.
- Ability to adapt to new technologies and environments quickly.
- Exhibited fine art, music, film, and design internationally via exhibitions, shows, and galleries.

TECHNICAL SKILLS:

Operating Systems: Windows 95/98/NT//XP/2000, Macintosh 8.6,9, 10.x, Linux.

Languages: Actionscript 2-3, MySQL, PHP, Perl.

Design Applications: Adobe CC: Illustrator, Photoshop, InDesign, Dreamweaver, Flash, After Effects, Quark Xpress. Digital Performer 8, Final Cut Pro, Lightwave 11, Painter X, Finale 2010, Toon Boom Harmony, Fetch, Apple iLife.

Web Technologies: JavaScript, HTML5, DHTML, XML, CSS, AJAX, Angular JS, Bootstrap.

Databases: MySQL 6.0, PHP 5.

Application/Web Servers: Apache Tomcat.

PROFESSIONAL EXPERIENCE

Dunbarton Tobacco & Trust
November 2014- Present
Packaging Design

Dunbarton Tobacco & Trust is a high-end startup cigar company born out of the 25 years of industry experience of its founder Steve Saka. Using the highest quality printing from houses in Holland to present this highly refined aesthetic. Design-wise the Sobremesa Brand is an excellent example of the marriage of digital technology with a classical aesthetic, and the highest grade production processes.

Responsibilities:

- Print branding and presentation for Sobremesa Cigars.
- Combined classical intaglio techniques reproduced in Illustrator & Photoshop.
- Print ready files of impeccable design quality to the highest end print shops in the world.

Environment: Adobe Illustrator CC, Adobe Photoshop CC, traditional intaglio and relief techniques.

Sharp Guy Productions
Feb 1992 – Present
Principal

Creative Director of Independent Production Company.

Work in both conventional print and digital media. Fine art, digital montages, web designs, e-commerce web sites, online community portals, magazine layouts, advertising, educational web sites, and corporate branding packages.

Responsibilities:

- Successful promotions and web experiences created for clients for over two decades.
- Lead designing and developing a complete online experiences through the use Adobe Illustrator CC, Adobe Photoshop CC, Adobe Flash CC, Adobe Dreamweaver CC, HTML5, CSS, JavaScript, Ajax, PHP, SQL.
- Server-side common utilities for the application and the front-end responsive web pages using, Angular JS, Bootstrap.
- Developed page layout, navigation, copy, animation, buttons and icons.

Environment: Adobe Illustrator CC, Adobe Photoshop CC, Adobe Flash CC, Adobe Dreamweaver CC, HTML5, CSS, JavaScript, Ajax, PHP, SQL. Adobe Creative Suite/CC: Illustrator, Photoshop, InDesign, Dreamweaver, Flash, Quark Xpress. Digital Performer 8, Avid Xpress Pro, Lightwave 11, Painter X, Finale 2010, Toon Boom Harmony, Fetch, Apple iLife.



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PROFESSIONAL EXPERIENCE

Web Consultant: UI /UX Developer • Art Director
Client: Starr's Guitars
Jul 2003 – November 2008

Starr's Guitars is a lucrative online e-commerce full service music store with an annual revenue of 1.8 M in 2008. Branded, developed, coded, designed, photographed, and managed the entire enterprise. From the print advertising campaign, to the UX experience, to the back-end and database administration.

Responsibilities:

- Lead designing and developing a web site through the use Adobe Illustrator CC, Adobe Photoshop CC, Adobe Flash. CC, Adobe Dreamweaver CC, HTML5, CSS, Java Script, Ajax, PHP, SQL.
- Deployed server-side common utilities for the application and the front-end dynamic web. pages using , JavaScript, HTML5, CSS and AJAX.
- Page layout, navigation, copy, animation, buttons and icons.
- JavaScript for client side validations.
- Lead editing and slicing images from PSD files using Adobe Photoshop and writing HTML5 and CSS code for those files.
- The application was deployed on Tomcat server.
- Connections and SQL queries by using PHP.
- User interface for customized access to the database.
- Validation of completed sites including the debugging and testing of code.

Environment: Adobe Illustrator CC, Adobe Photoshop CC, Adobe Flash CC Adobe Dream weaver CC, HTML5, CSS, Java-Script, Ajax, PHP, SQL.

Hendriks Institute/Nichols College, Massachusetts
March 2000- Mar 2002
Web & Graphic Design Instructor

Hendriks Institute in the heart of the 128 Technology Belt in Massachusetts. Instruction is primarily targeted toward high-end corporate clients who wish to push their current graphic and interface design and technical skills to the next level. Instructed hundreds of individuals currently employed in all aspects of Print and Web media disciplines in an extremely competitive marketplace.

Responsibilities:

- Educated a variety of students from a diverse spectrum of cultural and educational backgrounds.
- Diagnostics, and problem solving in deadline centered production environment on Macintosh platform.
- Mentored many individuals who now have successful UI and Graphic Design Careers.
- Partnered with Nichols College creating successful Print Design Curricula.
- Curricula for Adobe Creative Suite, including Video Tutorials, Hands-on lectures, Online Seminars, Critiques and Production Sessions.

Environment: Adobe InDesign, Adobe Illustrator CC, Adobe Photoshop CC, Adobe Flash CC, Adobe Dreamweaver CC, HTML5, CSS, Javascript, Actionscript.

EDUCATION

Colorado State University . Undergraduate History work to be completed. B.A. 2019.

LINKS

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