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EDUCATION

Carleton University

*Bachelor of Industrial Design + Minor in Art History, With Distinction
Ottawa, ON 2008*

SKILLS + ABILITIES

- Proficient in several computer programs, including Microsoft Office (Word, Excel, Powerpoint, Publisher), Adobe Suite (Photoshop, Illustrator, Flash, Dreamweaver, InDesign, Premiere), Corel Suite, and Painter.
- Advanced knowledge of SolidWorks, 3D Studio Max, LightWave and similar three-dimensional modeling software.
- Thorough knowledge of modeling techniques, wood and metal machinery in a variety of materials, especially polystyrene plastic and polyurethane foam, for prototypes and scale models.

WORK EXPERIENCE

User Experience Designer

May 2011 - Present

QNX Software Solutions, a subsidiary of Research in Motion (Ottawa, ON)

- Designer of interactions for in-car consoles

User Experience Designer

September 2010 - May 2011

Protus IP Solutions, a j2 Global Communications company (Ottawa, ON)

- Designer of interactions and product concepts for three web-based applications, including My1Voice, MyFax and Campaigner

Head of User Experience + Interaction Design

August 2009 - April 2010

User Interface Designer

August 2008 - August 2009

Xandros Corporation (Ottawa, ON)

- Creator of product concepts for new linux-based operating systems, Android applications and Website design.
- Lead designer of all new applications, from concept to implementation.
- Design manager for all Xandros products, including Scalix, Bridgeways and OEM division.

Production Visual Designer

January 2007 - May 2008

IBM Ltd. (Markham, ON)

- Created UI mock-ups and splash screens for the Rational Group
- Created mock-ups of splash screens for IBM products, including Rational, Tivoli, Lotus and Websphere.
- Designed icons for products in Rational and Websphere.
- Created product renderings for e-commerce products.
- Created signage and graphics for internal events at Software Lab.

PERSONAL CLIENTS

Graphic/Print/Interaction Design:

Youi Labs (www.youilabs.com)

Graphic Web + Print Design:

Sexual Overtones Burlesque Troupe (www.sexualovertones.ca)

Graphic/Print Design:

Venus Envy (www.venuseny.ca)

Industrial Design:

Sumo Intimacy (www.sumointimacy.com)