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EDUCATION

Carleton University

*Bachelor of Industrial Design, With Distinction
Ottawa, ON 2008*

SKILLS + ABILITIES

- Proficient in several computer programs, including Microsoft Office (Word, Excel, Powerpoint, Publisher), Adobe Suite (Photoshop, Illustrator, 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 in a variety of materials, especially polystyrene plastic and polyurethane foam, for prototypes and scale models.
- Woodworking and metal machining for fabrication of prototypes
- Capable of reading, interpreting, and creating technical drawings electronically and manually.
- Thorough knowledge of metal and plastic manufacturing processes.
- Skilled in photography and photography process.

WORK EXPERIENCE

Head of User Experience + Interaction Design

August 2009 – March 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.
- Designer of 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.

Industrial Design Intern

May 2006 - January 2007

Umbra Inc. (Toronto, ON)

- Modeled products on three-dimensional software (SolidWorks).
- Created and released specification reports to prepare design for production.
- Created appearance models and sample of products to send to clients and vendors.
- Created new product concepts for production.

PERSONAL CLIENTS

Graphic Web + Print Design:

Sexual Overtones Burlesque Troupe (www.sexualovertones.ca)

Graphic/Print Design:

Jacques Whitford/Stantec (www.jacqueswhitford.com)

Graphic/Print/Industrial Design:

Unify4Life (www.unify4life.com)