

Graphics, Design and GIS for Presentation and Production

Computer Proficiencies

- Excellent Adobe CS3 - Photoshop and Illustrator skills
- Excellent scanning skills for a variety of collateral
- Adobe InDesign, ImageReady, GoLive
- Google Earth/SketchUp, kml
- MS Office, OpenOffice
- JavaScript, SQL, Command Line, ERDs, UML
- Macromedia Director, Premiere, Flash (to Flex/AS3)
- Adobe Acrobat/Distiller/PDF Writer
- Arc GIS, GRASS, QGIS, ERDAS Imagine, Pathfinder
- Competent html, kml, Dreamweaver
- MS Access; Postgres, PuTTY, PGAdmin
- Blender, GIMP, Inkscape, Eclipse
- Autocad 2000, Bentley Microstation
- Micrografix/iGrafix Designer, Extensis Portfolio

Other Related Skills

- Excellent fine art skills for design and print
- Excellent deadline management skills
- Experienced photographer: 20+ years
- Excellent layout, editing, design and illustration
- Some project and staff management
- Excellent telephone and customer relations skills

CirclePoint - December 2007 - July 2008

Production Artist

- Developed Graphics Production Process for key technical graphics, created a new request form to speed production.
- Met all Graphics Production deadlines, for technical papers and marketing, mostly under pressure.

Sharechive, LLC - November 2005 - September 2007

Professional Services (Design), GIS Developer

- Digital Imaging production and database entry assistance; Created interactive proof-of concept which was instrumental in winning key contracts, collaborated on higher-end print collateral with marketing team.
- Researched and developed conceptual urban design plans, and 3D concept demonstrations, with an Urban Planner and Marketing/Design Team for print and time-based media presentations.
- Implemented open source GIS program for client visualization in tandem with DBA and CTO.

H and R Block - December 2004 - April 2005

Command Center

- Improved productivity at local offices by up to 10% over the tax season.
- Improved scheduling system efficiency on-the-job, received standing ovation at tax season end.

Freelance GIS & Graphics, Webmastering and Fundraising - September 2002 - Present

At Will Work, Contract/Freelancing and Volunteer work

- Provided database expertise to rectify large datasets for enterprise GIS using MS Access and ArcView.
- Webmaster and Graphics Principal for Experience Unlimited San Francisco.

Wilbur Smith Associates - October 2000 to September 2002

Graphics Technician

- Developed an Artist's Conceptual Rendering for a rail to light-rail intermodal transit terminal used in the engineering plans based on client's request for my participation.
- Developed templates for marketing, and re-designed the photo and image collateral database for in-house use.
- As primary print collateral liaison, coordinated all collateral on-time under deadline.

Degenkolb Engineers - January to September 2000

Records Assistant

- Coordinated an office wide relocation and reorganization of the Records Department at the managerial level during my first months on the job, oversaw the project and managed a small team.

San Francisco Airport Museums - June to September 1999

Public Service Aide - Temporary Exempt (Graphics Technical Assistant)

- Praised for select desktop publishing for museum affiliates, acted as the web graphics liaison.

San Francisco Art Institute - March 1995 to December 1997

Student Worker

EDUCATION

- San Francisco State University - GIS Certificate 2004
- San Francisco Art Institute - BFA, Printmaking, 1997