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**Objective**: Seeking a challenging position in a creative design environment.

Skills: Extensive use of both Apple and PC computers.

Proficient in:

Adobe Photoshop Adobe InDesign Digital & Film Photography Microsoft PowerPoint

Adobe Illustrator HTML Microsoft Word

Experienced in:

CSS Adobe Dreamweaver Adobe Flash FileMaker
WordPress Adobe ImageReady ActionScript Language Final Cut Pro
Quark Adobe PageMaker C++ MediaBank

Joomla Adobe LightRoom JavaScript Linear Video Editing

### **Employment History:**

Newtonville Camera, Newton, MA

Used Equipment Coordinator and Camera Sales Representative: Dec 2012 - June 2013, & Nov 2013 - Present

- Buying, assessing, pricing, and advertising 2nd hand cameras and related equipment
- Assisting customers with the purchasing of high tech cameras, lenses, and accessories

The Buzz Newspapers, Mansfield, MA Graphic Designer: Dec 2010 - Dec 2013

- Updating website content with new editions, and maintaining WordPress blog
- Design ads, page layout, and other graphics for print and web

Jones & Bartlett Learning, Burlington, MA

Digital Products Specialist: July 2011 - April 2012

- Create, edit, convert, and distribute ebooks and other digital files
- Fulfilling internal requests by providing and editing media files for coworkers
- Updating records, archiving media, and processing invoices

### BME GATEWAY, Woburn, MA

Freelance Graphic Designer: Feb 2010 - June 2010

- Designed new print material, including brochures, stickers, banners, invitations, pins, and t-shirts
- Updated old print files with new information

#### SYMMONS Inc., Braintree, MA

Freelance Graphic Designer: April 2008 - July 2008

- Updated print files with new graphics in conjunction with rebranding
- Created and uploaded graphics to website

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## **Employment History (continued)**

LCI PAPER Inc., Marlborough, MA

Freelance Graphic Designer: Oct 2007 - Feb 2008

- Design new pages and maintain company's HTML/CSS and e-commerce website
- Photograph, edit, and upload images of products
- Design new product combinations
- Process orders from customers

#### OFF CAMPUS 101, Allston, MA

Freelance Graphic Designer: Aug 2006 - Oct 2006, & May 2007 - Sept 2007

- Page layout for advertisements
- Created maps and table of contents for magazine
- Created web banner ads

### REEBOK, Canton, MA

Freelance Graphic Technician: Oct 2006 - Nov 2006

- Edited apparel design boards, applying standards of adding detail or flattening

#### JEKTEK Inc., Hudson, MA

Graphic Designer: May 2006 - July 2006

- Create and edit computer graphics
- Prepare graphics for screen-printing and embroidery
- Help customers and write invoices

## REDCATS INC, West Bridgewater, MA

Freelance Web Graphics Technician: Jan 2006 - Feb 2006

- Re-sized and reformatted catalog images for website

#### **Education:**

CHAMPLAIN COLLEGE, Burlington, VT: Class of 2005

Bachelor of Science Degree in Multimedia and Graphic Design

College Courses in Graphics and Media:

Computer Graphics 1 & 2 Desktop Publishing

Experience Design Marketing

Typography Interactive Design

Art History Media Writing

Web Page Development A/V Digital Editing

History of Graphic Design

New Media Output

Multimedia

Designing Media for the Web

Video Comm.

Drawing 1 & 2

#### Interests:

Photography, Books, Films, Computer Games, Art, Cars, Sports, and Science