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graphic + web designer

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EDUCATION **Certificate in Web Design and Interactive Media**, 3.6 GPA
Art Institute of Atlanta, Georgia, March 2009

Bachelor of Science in Graphic Arts Media, graduated Cum Laude
Columbia Union College, Takoma Park, Maryland, May 1993

EXPERIENCE **freelance graphics designer // Nnasah Designs**, Atlanta, Georgia, Feb. 2006 - present
Independent graphic and web designer servicing individuals, businesses, and non-profit companies; expert in creating client-centered online and print products that benefit owner and end-user; specializing in clean modern designs that make a big impact.

lead project designer // Web Raising, Art Institute of Atlanta, Feb. 2009 - May 2009
Served as lead project web designer for Goin' to Chicago, a documentary film on American migration. Created site layout and design for 32 page interactive website. Instrumental in site development and coding significant sections for improved user experience. Managed and assigned tasks for team of four.

creative graphic designer // The EPI Companies (Home Depot), Atlanta, Georgia, Oct. 2007 - Jan. 2009
On-site creative designer at Home Depot corporate office; managed print and marketing campaigns for over 30 Home Depot EXPO Design Center stores; worked at all levels of design process, from initial concept to final production; participated in art direction and coordinated photo shoots.

junior graphics specialist // Georgia Pacific Corporation, Atlanta, Georgia, Feb. 2005 - Jan. 2006
Junior graphic designer in Dixie design graphic department; provided art direction to design firms and pre-press vendors; designed departmental logo; designed top ranked artwork distributed in stores nationwide; commended for prototype creation from top-tier customers including Target, Wal-mart, Costco and Sams.

graphics supervisor & designer // Jore Corporation, Atlanta, Georgia, Aug. 2001 - Dec. 2004
Designed packaging for tool industry products; developed brand identity promotions, in-store displays, and marketing materials for 160 plus products including Ryobi, Stanley, Hitachi, and Craftsman; photographed products for in-house and vendor promotions; created customized planograms for 25 plus buyers.

lead graphics designer // Enhancement Services Corporation, Atlanta, Georgia, Aug. 1999 - May 2001
Designed travel package marketing materials (flyers, travel certificates, travel booklets, and catalogs); redesigned company stationary and collateral products for Card Rewards Program.

junior graphics designer // Southern Wine & Spirits, Tampa, Florida, Feb. 1995 - Aug. 1999
Designed original artwork and developed graphic layouts for wine lists, brochures, logos and promotional materials; revised departmental catalog.

SOFTWARE SKILLS Adobe PhotoShop, Adobe Illustrator, Adobe InDesign, Adobe Dreamweaver, Adobe Flash
Adobe Acrobat Professional, Microsoft Office Suite, Macromedia Freehand, Quark Xpress

RELATED SKILLS XHTML, CSS, JavaScript, Cross-browser Compatibility, Mac OS Platform, Windows Platform
Basic ActionScript, Information Architecture, W3C Standards

CLIENTS Home Depot, Georgia Pacific Corporation, Dixie Products, Stanley, Jore Corporation, Vanity Fair
Hilltop Design Group, Palmetto Health Council

- AWARDS & SERVICE**
- YouthPride non-profit volunteer graphic designer, 2008 – present
 - Gifted program materials for minority recruitment project at University of Georgia, 2007
 - National Dean's List recipient (3.6 or higher GPA), 1990 - 1993
 - Graphic Arts Media Achievement Award, Columbia Union College, 1993
 - All-American Scholar Collegiate Award, 1993

speaks french fluently // references and salary requirements furnished upon request