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PROFILE:

Talented, resourceful artistic visionary who has the ability to translate abstract concepts into practical solutions using computer graphics and artistic design. Strong background in graphic and presentation design. Superb communication skills.

EDUCATION:

Dartmouth College • June 1992

- B.A. Music
- GPA 3.40

Wooster School • June 1988

- Valedictorian

AREAS OF EXPERTISE:

- Digital Graphic Design
- Digital Imaging
- Spreadsheet Development
- Typography
- Photography
- Business Writing
- XHTML, CSS, snd Javascript
- PHP & MySQL Programming

SOFTWARE PROFICIENCIES:

- Photoshop
- InDesign
- Illustrator
- Dreamweaver
- Acrobat Professional
- Outlook 2003 & 2007
- Power Point 2003 & 2007
- Word 2003 & 2007
- Excel 2003 & 2007
- Access 2003

PROFESSIONAL ACCOMPLISHMENTS:

New Horizons Computer Learning Centers — Denver, CO
Applications Instructor

Adobe Certified Expert in Photoshop
Microsoft Certified Applications Specialist

Structuring and implementation of dynamic lessons designed to teach a rich variety of artistic techniques utilizing graphics programs such as Photoshop, Illustrator and Dreamweaver in addition to business applications such as Excel and Word.

Alpenglow Photography — Denver, CO
Owner, Photographer

Creation of graphic, lighting, and photographic design elements in viscerally powerful portrait photographs; creative use of Photoshop to digitally enhance and correct those images, leading toward an emotionally powerful final image to generate sales.
Design, layout and production of brochures and marketing pieces.

Kodak Gallery Award **Fuji Masterpiece Award**