



GRAPHIC DESIGNER • ART DIRECTOR • PRODUCTION ARTIST

employment

Freelance Graphic Designer — Production and Art Direction . . . . . 1995 to Present

Long-term clients [on-site consistently for 1+ year(s)]: Flair Communications Agency, Ogilvy & Mather, Rosen & Brichta, The Rosen Group

Short-term clients: Abelson Taylor, ACHE, Corbett HealthConnect, Conseco Marketing, DraftDirect WorldWide, EDM, ED&F Man International, Event Group, Food Group, GSP Marketing Services, Ideas Ink, IPN, Jerry & Joan Advertising, KornickLindsay, Lubow, PgM, Ross Brown, Ryan Partnership, Schwarz Worldwide, Siegel, The World I See, Vennetti Design

Projects included catalogs, ads, billboards, packaging, identity systems, and web graphics. Consulted on and advised design decisions, designed layouts or revised designs, researched and scanned images, placed graphics and text, built templates and dies, keylined/prepped files for digital and offset printing, assembled comps, created and corrected hi-res images or graphics, and maintained office efficiency by adapting to differing procedures of various clients.

Assistant Graphic Designer at Lohman Associates . . . . . December 1995 to March 1997

Worked directly with clients and print houses to produce printed pieces for large companies and affiliates. Designed layouts and graphics, researched and scanned images, proofread copy, marked up proofs and attended off-site press checks. Managed art buying and maintained efficiency of office by effectively troubleshooting computer system and organizing digital libraries.

Clients included: Classic Kettle, IBM, RIMS, UARCO Inc.

highlighted projects

Table with 3 columns: Project Name, Role, Client/Year. Rows include Con-Tech Lighting Catalog, Rosen & Brichta Logo, and Wild Bean Cafe Billboards/signage.

software

Proficient in Adobe Creative Suite (Acrobat/Distiller, Illustrator, InDesign, Photoshop) and QuarkXpress. Working knowledge of BBedit, Dreamweaver, Homesite, and Flash

education

- School of Representational Art, Chicago, IL, 2007-Present
DePaul University, Web Designer Program, Chicago, IL, Spring 2002
Mac University, Web Authoring Bootcamp, Chicago, IL, Fall 2000
University of Michigan School of Art, Ann Arbor, MI
Bachelor of Fine Arts Degree, April 1994
Emphasis in graphic design
Secondary background in photography and printmaking
Honors received: Magna Cum Laude, Dean's List, Class Honors, 1994 Palazolla Memorial Award for Photography, 1993 Tagge Fund Award, 1992 Photography and Drawing Merit Award, 1991 Freshperson Drawing Award