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P R O F I L E Self-driven, hard working, skilled, and multilingual individual seeking an opportunity to apply and expand on a unique skill-set ranging from administrative to creative. Very established communication skills throughout seven years spent in the field of retail, production management, and a four year teaching experience. Confident in skills with software and hardware, cross-platform and a high sense of organizing and administration. Great ideas, unique style, and ready to work on new and exciting ideas in the fields of Advertising, Art Direction, and Graphic Design.

S K I L L S Senior Graphic Designer specializing in Adobe Software including Photoshop, Illustrator, Flash, InDesign, and Dreamweaver (Versions 7-CC 2014). Expert level proficiency with Mac OS Operating Platforms starting with OS9-Current (Yosemite). Familiar with Windows Operating Platforms starting with Windows XP-Windows 8. Skilled with Wacom Graphics Tablets Intuos and Cintiq. Photographic knowledge in studio and expert level editing abilities. Familiar with word processing software, including Apple's iWork and Windows Office. Comprehensive reasoning and interpretive abilities which serve with articulating ideas.

E X P E R I E N C E GRAPHIC DESIGN
2015
Northwestern University
Brochure Design for Aphasia Friendly design materials for the School of Communication.

WEBSITE DESIGN
2015
itemMaster
Website design for company re-branding and website re-skin.

INTRODUCTORY WEB FILM [FLASH VIDEO]
2014
itemMaster
Animated short for company introduction to be used for the purpose of sales and customer facing marketing website.

SOCIAL MEDIA BANNER DESIGN
2014
itemMaster
Various holiday themed banners for company's Social Media outlets.

INSTRUCTIONAL TUTORIALS [VIDEO]
2014
itemMaster
Instructional tutorials for Outsource Editors demonstrating the proprietary editing process.

GRAPHIC DESIGN
2014
Maleeka Siddick and Damir Heljo
Wedding invitations and Save-the-Date design.

ILLUSTRATION
2014
Northwestern University
Wordless Illustration of Grimm's Cinderella to be used for cognitive studies on patients with Aphasia.

BOOK DESIGN
2014
Northwestern University
Book Design for wordless Illustrative Cinderella book used for patients with Aphasia.

PRODUCTION EDITING MANAGER

2013-PRESENT

itemMaster, IL

In charge of Editing Department at high-volume Photography studio specializing in Digital Asset Management, Product Photography, and Data Capture.

GRAPHIC DESIGN

2013

Cherra and Mehr Singh

Postcard invitation for graduation event.

GRAPHIC DESIGN

2013

'KNOW PEACE' Union League Boys & Girls Clubs

T-Shirt and invitation design for 'Know Peace' event.

BRANDING

2013

Carol Nasaw and Fine Art Consultants, LTD.

Branding for Fine Art Consultants, LTD.

WEBSITE DESIGN

2013

Carol Nasaw and Fine Art Consultants, LTD.

Design and development of FINEARTCONSULTANTSLTD.COM

GRAPHIC DESIGN

2013

KALAPRIYA Center for Indian Performance

Postcard invitations and digital e-Vite for "Kalapriya in the Maharaja's Garden".

TROPHY DESIGN

2013

Carol Nasaw and the Chicago Festival of Israeli Cinema

Design for glass cube trophy to be awarded to recipients at the Chicago Festival of Israeli Cinema.

GRAPHIC DESIGN

2013

Chicago Photography Center

Poster and invite design for the opening of 'SCORE! An Exhibit of Sports Photography'.

BRANDING

2012

Ellin Blumenthal

Branding for artist Ellin Blumenthal.

WEBSITE DESIGN

2012

Ellin Blumenthal

Design and development of ELLINBLUMENTHAL.COM

GRAPHIC DESIGN

2012

Chicago Photography Center

Poster and invite design for the opening of 'Profusion.Essence'.

GRAPHIC DESIGN

2012

Chicago Photography Center

Poster and invite design for the opening of 'I ♥ Ink'.

BRANDING

2012

Lens Flair

Company branding for 'Lens Flair' by Susan Aurinko.

BROCHURE/POSTCARD DESIGN

2012

Bradley Weiss

Designs for Opening Reception of a solo photography show entitled 'Montezuma Nights'.

BRANDING

2012

Ellin Blumenthal

Branding and website design for a Chicago-based painter named Ellin Blumenthal who specialized in canine portraiture.

INSTRUCTOR

2011

Chicago Photography Center

Teaching Fundamentals of Digital Photography, Photoshop CS5, and Lightroom 4.

GRAPHIC DESIGN

2011

Northwestern University, Dr. Cynthia Thompson

Layout Design for large glass sign for the Aphasia and Neurolinguistics Laboratory.

CONTRACT DESIGNER

2011

Studio V Design [for University of Illinois]

Contracted for illustrative banners and image composition to be used for University of Illinois' Summer School program.

BROCHURE DESIGN

2011

Aphasia and Neurolinguistics Laboratory

Brochure Design for the information Booklet.

BROCHURE DESIGN

2011

Northwestern University, Dr. Cynthia Thompson

Design of three (3) informative brochures.

BRANDING

2011

Aphasia and Neurolinguistics Laboratory

Logo design for Aphasia and Neurolinguistics Laboratory [ANR].

GRAPHIC DESIGN

2011

Susan Aurinko

Event invite for personal purpose.

GRAPHIC DESIGN

2011

'Umbrellas for Peace'

Flyer design for 'Umbrellas for Peace'.

GRAPHIC DESIGN

2011

Susan Aurinko

Book Design for '*Still Point India*'. A book of photographs by Susan Aurinko.

GRAPHIC DESIGN

2011

Susan Aurinko/Ky Dickens for the film SOLE SURVIVOR

Informational Booklet on the film *Sole Survivor*.

GRAPHIC DESIGN

2011

Susan Aurinko/Ky Dickens for the film **SOLE SURVIVOR**
Invitation for the premiere of the *Sole Survivor* trailer.

BRANDING/GRAPHIC DESIGN

2011

Franck Rapp
Designed layout for promotional USB drive for composer Franck Rapp.

GRAPHIC DESIGN/PUBLICATION

2011

Franck Rapp [PINK CROWS]
Franck Rapp is a Parisian composer who commissioned the design of the upcoming album by his band 'The Pink Crows' called 'Strange Me'. The photography used in the design is done by Susan Aurinko.

WEBSITE DESIGN

2011

Franky Castellanos
Portfolio Website for Tattoo business for artist Franky Castellanos of the Native Soul, Chicago.

BRANDING/GRAPHIC DESIGN

2011

Franky Castellanos
Personal Branding for Tattoo business for artist Franky Castellanos of the Native Soul, Chicago.

WEBSITE DESIGN/MANAGEMENT

2011-PRESENT

Susan Aurinko
Design and Development of [www.susanaurinkoinc.com].

WEBSITE DESIGN/MANAGEMENT

2011-PRESENT

Susan Aurinko
Design and Development of [www.aurinkophoto.com].

BRANDING/GRAPHIC DESIGN/PRINT

2011

Susan Aurinko
Print material for Susan Aurinko using established branding. [Mailers, Letterheads, Envelopes, etc.]

BRANDING/GRAPHIC DESIGN

2011

Susan Aurinko
Personal Branding for two separate branches of career. Consisted of logo design.

PHOTOGRAPHY

2011

Mayuri Patel
Traditional Indian Baby Shower. Event Photography.

PHOTOGRAPHY

2011

Mayuri Patel
Maternity Photography for Mrs. Mayuri Patel for personal keepsake.

ILLUSTRATION

2011

Northwestern University | Professor Susan Edwards
Commissioned digital portrait for professor Susan Edwards of Northwestern University.

ILLUSTRATION

2011

Mary Mae Finds Chaos

Personal Project, illustrated and written children's story.

GRAPHIC DESIGN

2011

Ga et Sha | Susan Aurinko

Business card design for company 'Ga et Sha' Paris, France.

GRAPHIC DESIGN

2011

Susan Aurinko

Book design project for 'Spirits in Stone'.

DIGITAL TECH

2011-PRESENT

Susan Aurinko

Digitization and organization of photography. Negative scans, archiving, and refining.

WEBSITE DESIGN/MANAGEMENT

2010-PRESENT

Kyle Van Heck Art

HTML portfolio website created for Kyle Van Heck based on design from two previous projects.

GRAPHIC DESIGN

2010

Kyle Van Heck

Business card design for artist and photographer Kyle Van Heck

GRAPHIC DESIGN

2010

Kyle Van Heck

Logo creation for artist and photographer Kyle Van Heck.

PHOTOGRAPHY

2010

Mr. Nedim Rakanovic

Hired for photographs of graduation celebration.

PHOTOGRAPHY

2010

Mrs. Indira Rakanovic

Commissioned for portrait photographs.

PHOTOGRAPHY/POSTER DESIGN

2010

Ms. Evgenia Dimas and Mr. Nedim Rakanovic

Commissioned for portrait incorporated in poster design.

GRAPHIC DESIGN

2009-2010

The Infected

Band portraiture and album artwork for album entitled 'Battled', released January 31, 2010.

GRAPHIC DESIGN

2009

Susan Aurinko

Brochure design for project titled 'Spirits in Stone' by Susan Aurinko for client Premier

Dermatology.

GRAPHIC DESIGN/FLASH ART

2009

Chemical Shortage

'Chemical Shortage' comic flash drawing and layout design.

GRAPHIC DESIGN/PORTRAIT

2009

Mr. Nedim Rakanovic and Ms. Evgenia Dimas

Commissioned for portrait and poster design.

ILLUSTRATION

2009

Mr. Peter Archambault

Commissioned for portrait vector drawing.

GRAPHIC DESIGN

2009

Mr. Peter Archambault

Commissioned for greeting card design.

WEBSITE DESIGN

2009

Alfred D. Stavros Law

Website design and managing content.

PORTFOLIO PHOTOGRAPHY

2009

Ms. Chelsea Trader

Commissioned for photographs of client's work with hair and makeup.

ENGAGEMENT/ENGAGEMENT PARTY

2009

Mr. Deepak Katamatool and Ms. Vinitha Nair

Commissioned for photographs of engagement ceremony and party.

WEDDING PREPARATIONS

2009

Thomas and Leonore Moran

Commissioned for photographs of bride and groom before the ceremony.

GRAPHIC DESIGN

2008

Northwestern University, Evanston, IL

Design for holiday card 2009.

PERSONAL TRAINER/PRODUCT SPECIALIST

2007-2009

Apple Computers, Skokie, IL

One year of experience with personal training which encompassed teaching individuals of all ages to use the Apple operating system (10.4 Tiger-10.5 Leopard). Also taught the use of Adobe Photoshop, Illustrator, and Flash CS3-CS4.

FAMILY PORTRAIT

2008

Mr. Sidney Mitchell

Commissioned for photographs of family.

GRAPHIC DESIGN

2008

Northwestern University, Evanston, IL
Design for holiday card 2008.

WEBSITE DESIGN

2007

Mrs. Susan Peterson
Flash based website for personal business.

PHOTOGRAPHER/DESIGNER

INTERNSHIP IN 2007

IR Design, Chicago, IL
Architectural/Graphic Design internship which entailed creating highly stylized images of company's architectural structures. Hired for photography and assisted in the production of various graphic design jobs such as logo design, business card design, and website layout.

SALES AND PHOTOGRAPHY SPECIALIST

2005-2007

Best Buy, Deerfield, IL
Head sales person at Digital Photography department. Lead meetings on the use of Digital SLR cameras and high-end photographic printers.

PERFORMANCE PHOTOGRAPHY

2006

Virga Trollyp
Commissioned for performance images at venue 1648.

PERFORMANCE PHOTOGRAPHY

2006

Virga Trollyp
Commissioned for recording studio images during the first LP session.

FAMILY PORTRAIT

2005

Mrs. Viorica Marian
Commissioned for photographs of family.

PORTRAITURE

2004

Verona Red
Commissioned for portrait image of musicians *Verona Red*.

PERSONAL PROJECT

2004

Dr. Cynthia Thompson
Commissioned for fine art photographs.

FAMILY PORTRAIT

2004

Dr. Viorica Marian
Commissioned for photographs of family and children.

PERFORMANCE PHOTOGRAPHY

2003-2007

Main Street Minority
Commissioned for photographs of family and children.

PHOTOGRAPHER/DESIGNER

2003-PRESENT

Northwestern University, IL

Produced photographs for Professor Cynthia Thompson, PhD. Contractor position for projects such as flyers, cards, and website graphics for the Aphasia and Neurolinguistics Laboratory.

APHASIA AND NEUROLINGUISTICS LABORATORY

2003-PRESENT

Northwestern University, IL

Volunteer work.

E D U C A T I O N

COLUMBIA COLLEGE

Chicago, IL — Photography B.F.A. -2009

E X H I B I T I O N S

“Altered States”

CHICAGO PHOTOGRAPHY CENTER

Chicago, IL- August 2011

“ABSOLUTE FANTASY”

MARS GALLERY

Chicago, IL — July 2009

“POP GOES THE ECONOMY”

WESTSIDE MULTIMEDIA GALLERY

Berwyn, IL- July 2009

R E V I E W S

NEWCITY ART MAGAZINE 2012

Michael Weinstein — *Altered States* “Mary Mae finds Chaos”

NEWCITY ART MAGAZINE 2009

Michael Weinstein — *Absolute Fantasy* “Grimmed”

CHICAGO TRIBUNE 2009

“FLATFILE veteran enlivens Mars” Lauren Viera

July 24,2009

P R I V A T E
C O L L E C T I O N S

MR. EVAN K. SUMMERS

Tripp A. Meehan #1 of 5 2009

DR. CYNTHIA THOMPSON

Personal Project 2004

NORTHWESTERN UNIVERSITY APHASIA AND NEUROLINGUISTICS LABORATORY

Chicago Project, Architecture 2004, 15 Images