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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 **PRODUCTION IMAGE EDITING MANAGER**
2013-Present
itemMaster, Skokie, IL
Production Image Editing Manager in high volume photography studio. Overseeing 2 in-house editors and a cast of 12 outsource editors responsible for preliminary editing process. Training and mentoring new editors. Creating training materials for company use including instructional booklets and instructional and voice guided video training guides.

BUSINESS PARTNER/PRINCIPAL DESIGNER/DESIGN MANAGER
2011-Present
Lens Flair by Susan Aurinko, Chicago, IL
In 2011, Susan Aurinko pioneered a high-fashion company specializing in photographic and designed printed product. Responsibility ranges from website/content management to file production and marketing material design, creation, and production.

INSTRUCTOR
2010-2013
Chicago Photography Center
Educating groups of individuals of all ages on various digital photography practices through the means of bootcamps and workshops. Along with one-day-events, teaching a 7-week long Fundamentals of Digital Photography, Fundamentals of Adobe Lightroom, and Fundamentals of Photoshop course on a weekly basis.

STUDIO MANAGER/BUSINESS PARTNER
2009-Present
Susan Aurinko Inc., Chicago, IL
Working closely with photographer/curator Susan Aurinko in studio involving archiving photographic work, editing, maintaining websites, and making archival prints in small and large formats. This position also involves a great deal of graphic design work with various organizations and out of studio projects.

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-10.7 Snow Leopard). The training involved one-on-one hour long sessions during which a high degree of listening and problem solving skills were required to use the maximum allotted time for progress and learning. In addition, taught the use of Adobe Photoshop, Illustrator, and Flash CS3-CS4.

PHOTOGRAPHER/ DESIGNER

2006-2007

IR Design, Chicago, IL

Architectural/graphic design internship which entailed creating highly stylized images of the companies architectural structures. Hired for photography and assisted in the production and printing of various design jobs amongst which are logo design, business card design, and website layout and mapping.

SALES AND PHOTOGRAPHY SPECIALIST

2005-2007

Best Buy, Deerfield, IL

Head sales associate in Digital Imaging and printing solutions. Employee DSLR and Photography training. Educated about high end digital printing during training.

PHOTOGRAPHER/DESIGNER

2003-Present

Northwestern University, Evanston, IL

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

E D U C A T I O N

COLUMBIA COLLEGE

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

NILES NORTH HIGH SCHOOL

Skokie, IL – High School Diploma -2005

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 F E R R A L S **ELLIN BLUMENTHAL**

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