



### objective:

My goal is to obtain a job with a friendly but **challenging** firm, where I can utilize my experiences and creative abilities, to add to the **success** of the company.

### skills:

- 50 wpm
- PC & Mac
- **Adobe CC**
  - + Photoshop
  - + Illustrator
  - + Indesign
  - + Dreamweaver
  - + Flash
- MS Office
- FrontPage
- **HTML**
- Wordpress
- CMS
- XML
- ASP
- PHP
- MySQL
- CSS
- JavaScript
- QuarkXPress
- Digital Scanning
- Large Format Printing
- Corel Draw

### experiences:

10/13 - 11/17                      GoThink!                      The Woodlands, TX

#### Graphic / Production Artist

- Create clipping paths and color correct photographed images for weekly ad.
- Web layout design for multiple client company stores using CMS.
- Design and develop email marketing campaigns for monthly promotions.

10/08 - 10/13                      Total Printing Solutions                      Katy, TX

#### Graphics Manager

- Manage department, multi-task and prioritize workflow from pre-press to production.
- Provide design leadership, vision and expertise including graphics, illustrations, photography and other design related components from concept to completion.
- Proficient use of graphic packages in Adobe Creative Cloud (CC).
- Design and develop marketing and retail signage for indoor/outdoor use.

01/08 - 10/08                      Spotlight Creative, LLC                      Houston, TX

#### Graphic Designer

- Design print collateral while working within the clients branding guidelines.
- Pre-press and formatting files for print.
- Design and development of SEO compliant websites for various clients.
- Conceptual design of company branding identifying their ideal focus.
- Updating client's website using Content Management System.

10/07 - 01/08                      ABC Imaging                      Houston, TX

#### Graphics Specialist

- Pre-press and formatting files for print.
- Design banners, brochures, flyers, ads, posters, stationary etc.
- Design automated sorted mass mail out pieces incorporating data into a mail merge.
- Wide format printing, short-run digital, and scan to file.
- Maintain graphics department supply inventory.

09/04 - 10/07                      Gurrola Reprographics, Inc.                      Houston, TX

#### Lead Graphic Designer

- Redesign company existing website adding eye catching graphics.
- Design banners, brochures, flyers, ads, posters, stationary etc.
- Digital color scanning, plotting and printing.
- Output large forum posters using HP Color inkjet plotters.
- Pre-press and formatting files for print.

### education:

07/03 - 08/05  
Houston Community College

#### Graphics Communication

- Focused on Web Development

10/98 - 03/01

The Art Institute of Houston

#### Multimedia / Web Design

- Earned Associates Degree