

WORK EXPERIENCE:

- 11-21-07 to 9-25-08 **Forefront Devant**
Position: Graphic Designer. **Responsibilities:** Redesign & layout logos for usage with screen printing or weaving towels, the creation of golf bag tags, key-chains & various other products the company creates. Create mock-ups for customer approval. Output film for screen-printing towels, create weave files for loom and export files sufficient for production of other products. Assist in maintaining the company web site.
- 1-27-07 to 9-24-07 **Instant Imprints**
Position: Temporary Contracted Graphic Designer/ Consultant. **Responsibilities:** Design logos, output film for screen-printing, create graphics for signs and digital large format printing. Create graphics for embroidery.
- 5-21-01 to 10-9-06 **Sound Choice**
Position: Graphics Team Leader/Graphics Designer. **Responsibilities:** Lead graphics designer. Supervisor of other graphics staff. Responsible for working closely with the company president, management team, production manager, and sales & marketing staff to design various logos, packaging and print ads for new products and new product lines. Other responsibilities include: Managing and distributing the graphics workload to the other designers based on their project schedules and design abilities. Solving pre-press problems/issues related to outgoing designs ready for production. Planing and directing model shoots for usage in product and ad designs on a yearly basis. Illustrations for various products, as well as caricatures for Employee 10 and 15 anniversaries. Design, implementation and administration of Graphics File Storage Structure and Archival procedures.
- 5-8-99 to 5-21-2001 **Diversified Printing Techniques**
Position: Graphics Designer/Pre-press Engineer. **Responsibilities:** All things relating to things Graphic: Laying out Commercial Logos, and images for imaging onto photo-polymer, thin-steel, and thick- steel printing plates. Layouts for production screens. Generation and recreation color separations of Client Logos and images for imaging on plates and screens. Generation of logos/artwork cover design for Diversified's company catalogs, Ads, Promotions, and Website. *Website responsibilities include maintaining current information of company products and services including photo information and enhancement.* Also responsible for maintenance and operation and research/purchasing of all imaging hardware and software (ECRM Laser Image Setter, Devotec Film Processor, Fuji /Digital Camera, Canon Digital Camcorder) including chemical supplies, and services.
- 3-98 to 4-99 **Axiom/Prototype South**
Position: Prototype Technician/ SLA Operator. **Responsibilities:** The measuring for dimensional accuracy, washing, cleaning, painting and shipping of cast urethane parts mold making. Cleaning included removing excess material, repairing casting defects, and making appearance look as if the part was a finished production part. SLA responsibilities included accessing computer files verifying, and measuring file for part errors and accuracy. Then arranging part on a computer simulated platform; creating building support structure and converting file to a binary sliced file in order for the Stereo Lithography Apparatus to build three-dimensional parts from a photo sensitive polymer resin. Following build, I was responsible readying parts for molding. Mold making included taking finished SLA parts and creating a silicone mold of the part for urethane casting.

8-97 to 3-98

Jaxco Industries

Position: Graphic Artist/Illustrator **Responsibilities:** The creation of client specific designs to be sold by the company. Creation of designs included freehand drawing, inking, scanning designs into computer and doing color separations in preparation for printing.

5-96 to 8-97

University Hospital's Health Central Fitness Center

Position: Member Service Representative/ Front Desk Staff. Responsible for checking members in to the club/handing out locker keys, answering the phones, and signing up new members. Working the floor/ helping members to use exercise equipment properly, answering questions that they may have. Promoted to Sales **Coordinator**. **Responsibilities:** for coordinating all corporate and individual sales for Health Central. Sales and customer service training for all staff members. Developing and administering marketing strategies for Health Central in conjunction with University Hospital's Marketing Department. Managed Health Central's Phone system, Pro shop and assisted in overseeing the Front Desk. Administered Computer needs and served as liaison to University Hospital's Computer Services Dept.. Member of the Employee Liaison Committee at University Hospital, Member of the Health Central Endowment Committee through University Hospital, Member of the Employee Charity Fund Committee through University Hospital.

9-87 to 7-96

Advent Christian Denominational Youth Minister. Responsible for: Developing and administering Ministries for Children & Youth. Develop and lead in Bible studies, Singles ministries, camp Ministries, and Young Adult Ministries. Help in leading Worship services. Assist pastor in administrative duties of various denominational churches. Licensed Minister of the Advent Christian Denomination.

FREELANCE WORK EXPERIENCE:

2000 to 2008

Artist for Jester Press Comics

Responsibilities: The creation of panel to panel sequential story art for the Independent Comic book *NIGHT*. Development of all character designs. Management of the Jester Press Website

11-94 to present

Freelance Artist/Illustrator

Creation of custom illustrations and logos for individuals and businesses.

Past work includes:

Upper Deck Cards/Marvel Comics.

TC Industries, Charlotte NC.

Michael Brown and Associates located in Mooresville, NC.

Creating artwork useable for commercial sales or promotion, most notably Carolina Blonde Beer brewed by the Carolina Brewing Company, Mooresville, NC.

University Hospital's Health Central, drawing "Employee of the Month" Caricatures and other special projects.

8-94 to 1-2000

Freelance Artist for Jaxco Industries

Responsibilities: The creation of client specific designs to be sold by the company