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Profile

My work is not just a job but a passion. I enjoy the work that I do and in being able to do what I love, I am able to help those around me. I have a strong sense of community. I seek to bring people the best that I can give them. I was given one chance to live life and all I can do is give back what I have been given.

Experience

Sub-Contractor at Shared Moments Video

- May 2009 - Present
- Freelance wedding edits.

Senior Designer at Star City Web Design

- June 2008 - Present
- Web design company for the Roanoke Valley. I have been working on their newer sites.

Videographer and Editor at Video Ventures

- June 2008 - Present
- Weddings, Recitals, Sports, and Special Events

Designer at Business PC Consultants

- August 2007 - Present
- Design concepts, build websites, and various maintenance tasks.

Videographer for the Peace Center

- August 2008 - September 2009
- Arts in education study done by the Peace Center of Greenville, SC.

Videographer at Hands of Compassion

- December 2007 - January 2008
- Guatemala, South America, Documentary of Mayan village and local Guatemalan mission.

Warehouse Worker at GWA

- May 2003 - August 2007
- Liquidation of products. Products sold to refurb companies.

Computer Technician at K&B of VA Inc.

- April 2005 - March 2006
- Computer Repair, Organization

Education

North Greenville University

- Bachelor of Arts, Broadcast Media, 2006 - 2010
- Activities and Societies: Soccer Team, Awana, BSU, Resident Assistant, Weightroom Assistant, Guitar.

Skills

Administration

- Freelance projects have taught me to be able to manage, set goals, and complete projects quickly and efficiently.
- As a manager of the web department I built the structure for the department and how to deal with situations.
- I have worked on some high-dollar sets and this experience has shown me how different jobs cooperate to accomplish a common goal.

Creativity

- Some clients came knowing what they wanted and others needed direction. It was my job to give them a creative solution to their media needs.

Problem Solving

- Self-taught and technologically savvy. I am able to trouble shoot and debug not only errors on a web page or video production but also I am able to solve computer based problems

Awards

- Broadcast Student of the Year 2009-2010
- iNRB 1st place in 36 DV film challenge 2010
- iNRB 2nd place in Web Design 2010
- iNRB 3rd place in Field Production Narrative 2010
- Lambda Pi Eta Communications Honor Society
- iNRB 2nd place in Video Promo 2008-2009
- iNRB 3rd place in Web Design, 2007-2008
- Production Student of the year 2006-2007

Software

- Dreamweaver
- Photoshop
- InDesign
- Illustrator
- Cinema 4D
- Avid
- After Effects
- FCP

Languages

- XHTML
- CSS
- JavaScript (basic)
- PHP
- MySQL