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EDUCATION

Graphic Arts Institute, San Francisco, California. Multimedia & Web Design, Summer 1997.

University of California at Berkeley, Berkeley, California. Certificate in Graphic Design, 1997.

LDM Art Institute of Florence, Florence, Italy. Post-graduate studies in Graphic Design & Graphic Illustration, Fall 1995.

Northwestern University, Evanston, Illinois. Post-graduate studies in Computer Animation & Art History, 1994-1995.

The George Washington University, Washington, DC
BA in German Literature, 1993.
Included courses in Costume Design, Painting and Drawing.

WORK EXPERIENCE

Sailpointe Creative Group
Arlington Heights, Illinois
2010-present.

Private label packaging design for brands including Hy-Top, Parade, Red & White, IGA and Laura Lynn. Full proficiency in FDA labeling regulations required.

Topco Associates, LLC
Skokie, Illinois
2005-2009.

Private label packaging design for brands including Big Y, Full Circle, Paws and Shurfine.

Artisan/e-talent
Chicago, Illinois
2002-2007.

Free-lance packaging design with Ambrosi and Topco Associates. Graphic design with DePaul University and Ogilvy.

Aquent Partners
Chicago, Illinois
1998-2002. Free-lance graphic design in publication design and multimedia with such clients as McGraw-Hill/Contemporary, Townsend Agency, Upshot, Blue Cross and Blue Shield Association, YMCA of USA, Avid Group, and Jenner & Block.

Webb-Scarlett
Chicago, Illinois, 1999.
Free-lance graphic design & brand packaging for Zion cookies.

Source, Inc.
Chicago, Illinois
1998-1999. Intermittent.
Free-lance brand identity and packaging design. Clients included Goody, Member's Mark, Bissell, and Clorox.

Michael Stanard, Inc.
Evanston, Illinois
1998.

Free-lance branding and publication design. Clients included True Blue, Priester Aviation, Old Town School of Folk Music, and Michael Stanard, Inc. promotional projects.

McGuire Associates,
Evanston, Illinois
1998-1999. Intermittent.
Free-lance publication design and packaging. Clients included, Hornbeck's, Bonar Floors, National Kidney Cancer Association, The Exponent and Diamond Shamrock.

Landor Associates,
London, England.
1997. Work Placement.
Developing brand identity, packaging design and corporate identity. Clients included Walker's, KF Sweets, Doritos, Orion, Durex, Proctor & Gamble, Sabic.

SKILLS & AFFILIATIONS

Fluent in German.
Basic Italian and French.

Dual Citizenship:
USA and Germany

Expert in Photoshop, Illustrator.
Proficient in Adobe InDesign and Microsoft Office Suite.

Conversant with HTML and some Flash & Director.

Illustrations and paintings.

AWARDS

2005 PL Buyer Packaging Award for Full Circle Green Tea at PLMA trade show (Topco associates)

2007 PL Buyer Packaging Award for Full Circle frozen seafood line at PLMA trade show (Topco Associates)

REFERENCES

available upon request.