

SARAH R. BUTLER

graphic designer & creative thinker.

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OBJECTIVE

To work as a graphic designer in an environment that allows me to inform and help others through creative design solutions while working with others who are as passionate about design as I am.

EDUCATION

- Bachelor of Fine Arts in Graphic Design
Rochester Institute of Technology, 2006–2008
Rochester, New York
- Associates in Applied Science in Visual Communication:
Graphic Arts & Printing Technology
Monroe Community College, 2003–2005
Rochester, New York

AWARDS AND ACHIEVEMENTS

- Regional winner in the NAPA 2007 Rigid Box Student Design Competition (Collaboration)
- Recipient of the Print and Graphics Scholarship Foundation scholarship, 2006–2008
- Highest Honors at RIT with a GPA of 3.9, 2006–2008
- Member of Monroe Community College's Phi Theta Kappa Honor Society, 2004–2005
- Dean's List at MCC with a GPA of 3.9, 2003–2005

SOFTWARE SKILLS

Highly skilled in the following programs:

- Adobe Illustrator
- Adobe InDesign
- Adobe Photoshop
- CorelDraw

Working knowledge of the following programs:

- Adobe After Effects
- Adobe Flash
- Microsoft Word
- Microsoft Excel

Able to work on Macintosh and PC platforms

CAPABILITIES

- Able to work independently on projects that involve packaging, publication design, identity design and corporate design
- Able to work in a supportive role on projects that involve web design, product design and advertising
- Appreciative of the role research and production play in design
- Very knowledgeable of the printing and finishing process
- Self-motivated and very curious, with a strong work ethic and a good sense of humor

EXPERIENCE

- Mobile Graphics, Victor NY, August 2004–Present
Graphic Designer/Productions Assistant
Responsibilities include:
 - (1) Designing collateral, signage and vehicle graphics
 - (2) Printing short runs of business cards and other collateral materials on various color copiers
 - (3) Managing and ordering paper stocks
 - (4) Interacting directly with customers
- Monroe Community College, Rochester NY, Fall 2005
Lab Aide, Responsibilities included:
 - (1) Monitoring the use of Macintosh computers during open lab
 - (2) Answering student's technical questions

REFERENCES

References are available upon request.