

EDUCATION

Arizona State University
BSc Industrial Design, cum laude

SKILLS

PROFICIENT

Creative/Art Direction
Web Design
WordPress/HTML/CSS/PHP/JS
Branding/Logos/Identity
Print Collateral/Direct Mail
Print Ads
Prepress
Environmental Design
ADA/Wayfinding Design

INTERMEDIATE

Illustration

Email Marketing Motion Graphics Copywriting & Taglines Photography Video SEO, SEM (Google Ads)

Presentation Graphics

SOFTWARE

PROFICIENT

Adobe CC Photoshop/Illustrator/ InDesign/Dreamweaver/Acrobat Word, PowerPoint/Keynote MacOS/iOS/Windows 10

INTERMEDIATE

Adobe CC Premiere/After Effects/ Animate/XD Final Cut Pro

Sketch InVision

PERSONAL

Excel

INTERESTS

Makerspace, Technology, Mixed Media & Digital Art, Photography, Outdoors (Run, Bike, Hike)

VOLUNTEERING

Webmaster, The Dallas Architecture Forum & North Dallas Shared Ministries + Class Dad, Castle Hills Elementary + Shop Secretary, Plano Makerspace + Contributing Artist, Art Conspiracy & Kettle Art

SOCIAL

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PROFILE

Analytical. Strategic. Critical thinking. Tech-savvy. Agile. Adaptable. Resourceful. Problem-solver. A multidisciplinary creative who makes ideas tangible. Broad, hands-on experience executing virtually every digital and traditional marketing communications discipline. A collaborative spirit with an entrepreneurial perspective.

OBJECTIVE

A position on a marketing team where I can leverage and extend my broad consultative experience or focus on a specific area to gain a high level of proficiency.

EXPERIENCE

2001 - Current

Creative Director Bill Rogers DBA Pixelthink Creative, Plano

Make napkin sketches reality for healthcare, technology, hospitality, fashion, interior design, architectural, institutional, real estate, and nonprofit clients.

- + Engage in every aspect of digital, print, and environmental graphic workflows including project management, budgeting, vendor coordination, conceptualization, design, prepress, execution.
- + Create logos, identity systems, brand standards, print collateral, direct mail, brochures, print ads.
- + Create digital content including photography, graphics, presentations, motion graphics.
- + Design, develop, and maintain mobile responsive websites using WordPress, HTML/CSS/PHP/JS.
- + Design, develop, and execute static and animated email marketing campaigns.
- + Design, execute, and install environmental graphics and wayfinding sign systems.

Achievement: 19 years operating a successful freelance design consultancy, expanding into responsive CMS websites, environmental graphics, and ADA compliant wayfinding signage.

Achievement: Regularly execute multiple concurrent on-time, on-budget projects.

Achievement: Establish longstanding client, vendor, collaborator relationships.

1997 - 2001

Art Director & Marketing Manager William Reid LLC, Dallas & New York

Directed virtually all marketing communications from the company's inception to establish and build a startup luxury fashion brand with the eponymous owner/creative director.

- + Project managed, art directed, and created website, photoshoots, identity, press kit, lookbooks, print advertising, direct mail (e.g., Saks Fifth Avenue, Stanley Korshak).
- + Collaborated with brand, web, and marketing consultants to define the brand, increase sales, create and implement marketing strategies as part of leadership team.
- + Consulted for Reid's ancillary clients PGA Tour Apparel, JCPenney.

Achievement: Immediately and dramatically advanced my responsibilities and skill set to become the de facto advertising agency for a start-up luxury brand.

Achievement: Art directed and created handmade, leather bound, illustrated folios given to luxury menswear retailers resulting in publicity, trade show buzz, and sales volume that far exceeded expectations, helping to launch and establish the brand in its first season.

Achievement: Oversaw and art directed \$4M budget print ad campaign including media buy for U.S. and international fashion magazines W, Elle, InStyle, Bazaar, Vogue Italia, etc.

1994 - 1996

Marketing Coordinator & Graphic Designer Davis Partnership Architects, Denver

Wrote proposals for RFPs, researched bid opportunities, created marketing collateral and presentations. Direct report to partners and associates at top 5 Denver architecture firm by sales.

Achievement: Offered a unique skill set formerly unavailable at the firm, expanding utility, ultimately growing the position into a two-person job – graphic designer and marketing coordinator.