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GRAPHIC ARTIST

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**CURRENTLY SEEKING
ACTIVE ROLE AS**

FULL-TIME GRAPHIC ARTIST/TECHNICIAN - WILLING TO START IMMEDIATELY

- Extensive past computer experience focusing on computer-aided publishing (print-based and electronic) and spanning all areas of Information Technology
- Highly advanced knowledge/experience with computers w/focus on Apple products
- Excellent artistic qualities in multiple mediums including Audio/Visual tools

SKILLS -

Vast software experience primarily in Full Adobe Creative Suite - Acrobat, InDesign, Photoshop, Illustrator, etc.; and including Quark, Flash, Dreamweaver, Premiere, After Effects, Word, Excel, PowerPoint, Keynote, OCR Software, Final Cut (plus many other titles). Logical thinker with strong programming skills and math proficiency. Capable of web-design using Joomla or WordPress templates remaining comfortable with HTML, CSS, Javascript and SEO techniques. Dependable and calm facing fast-paced deadlines. Works well with others.

PROFESSIONAL BACKGROUND -

Many yrs. in technical typography with extensive image production and multimedia authoring - also experienced in traditional darkroom photography and developing methods, 4 color film stripping, and full ad composition with commercial design strengths. Familiar with all aspects of print industry and web standards and requirements. Experienced in multi- and cross-platform data interfacing and translation methods, such as: Macintosh<->Windows and using DOS, UNIX and LINUX.

PAST DESIGN EXAMPLES -

Producer of logos, direct mail packages & catalogs, plus multi-media cds, web sites, audio, cd/dvd productions, and computer programs. Notably included among cooperative productions are: *The Consumer Catalog From Pueblo, Colorado*; the *Pinellas County Voter ID Card*, the *FloridaGold Orange Juice* carton art, *Star Wars - the Power of Costume* (an exhibit through The Saint Petersburg Museum of Fine Arts), and many notable standard and large-print productions/designs for prominent Bay-Area companies such as: Raymond James, Tampa Bay Rays and Tech Data.

DIGITAL IMAGING CAREER -

FROM JANUARY 2018 - SEPTEMBER 2018: **step2success** - Largo, FL - GRAPHIC ARTIST

FROM JUNE 2017 - DECEMBER 2017: ... **Bayprint** - St. Petersburg, FL - GRAPHIC ARTIST

FROM JUNE 2008 - JUNE 2017: **South Tampa Printing** - SR. GRAPHIC ARTIST/TECH & PRODUCTION MANAGER

FROM 1995 - 2008: ... **AmeriType, Inc.** - Clearwater, FL - PRODUCTION MANAGER/ARTIST

FROM 1989 - 1995: **Anton Graphics** - Clearwater, FL - ART DIRECTOR

PREVIOUSLY: **TekType; Conway Typography** - Tampa, FL - TYPOGRAPHER

PAST FREE-LANCE CLIENTS INCLUDE: **The Impact Group; Majestic Marketing;** and others

EDUCATIONAL ADVANCES -

2004 - University of Phoenix: Bachelor of Science in Information Technology

2000 - St. Pete College: Quark, Photoshop, Illustrator, Flash, Dreamweaver

1986 - Brewster Tech Adult Trade School: Certificate in Printing

**DETAILS, PORTFOLIO AND REFERENCES AVAILABLE BY REQUEST
SOME EXAMPLES ARE ALSO AVAILABLE ONLINE AT EMPTYBIN.COM**