

## **PROFESSIONAL EXPERIENCE**

# Thompson Creative : ACD/Freelance 2012 > Current

Responsible for messaging, design and implementation of B2C direct mail, email as well as support materials including collateral, interactive, packaging and identity.

North State Communications : Senior Art Director 2010 > 2011 Responsible for messaging, design and implementation of B2B and B2C direct mail, email, and collateral.

#### Factory256 2008 > Current

Graphic design in traditional print media including brochures, posters, packaging, identity programs as well as web based media.

ShapiroWalker Design : Senior Designer 2006 > 2008 Graphic design in traditional print media including brochures, posters, packaging, identity programs as well as web based media.

**Woodruff Sweitzer : Director of Design** 2005 > 2006 Direction of design and interactive projects within agency. Creative development, performance and salary reviews of designers within design group. Provide design solutions for both print and interactive media.

Webster Design Group : Senior Art Director 2003 > 2005 Multiple duties including design solutions to projects; presentations and comps; website design; on-site training and instruction; assistance in group projects during down-time as needed.

M Creative : Senior Designer/Director of Media Design 2001 > 2003 Overseeing strategic and creative development of both static and dynamic websites; site architecture; usability tests for websites' functionality;implementation of creative development across traditional print media including brochures, posters, packaging, identity programs.

Virtuoso Interactive/Coyne Beahm : Senior Designer 1999 > 2001 Overseeing strategic and creative development of static and dynamic websites; implementing creative development and design concepts across traditional print media.

Heard & Associates : Associate Creative Director 1996 > 1999 Hired to "Take the creative to the next level." Overseeing of free-lance and staff and gathering project details, conveying details and data to design team, providing creative and workable strategies, contributing design solutions and direction.

# LongHaymesCarr (Mullen) : Sr. Designer/ACD 1990 > 1995 and 1997 > 1999

Providing impetus for creative output in 4-6 person internal design and collateral group; assignment of group projects, new business presentations, client meetings, general project management. Also recruiting of design talent, assisting with internet initiatives, personnel reviews, salary increase compensations.

### **EDUCATION:**

#### **East Carolina University**

Bachelor of Fine Arts (BFA) in Communication Arts : Graphic Design

### Appalachian State University (Currently enrolled. GPA 4.0)

Master's of Arts in Educational Media/Instructional Technology with a concentration in New Media and Global Education

## **CLIENT EXPERIENCE:**

Duke University University of Missouri : Columbia Central Methodist University Salem College American Hebrew Academy Columbia Independent School IBM Lowe's Foods Wachovia Bank Boone County National Bank Duke Energy Levi Strauss **RJ** Revnolds Primo Water A.T. Still University Whole Foods Market Wonderbra Siemens Diamond Pet Foods Salem Baking Co. Wake Forest University

# AWARDS AND RECOGNITION:

Graphic Design USA Create Award International Best of Packaging PRINT Regional Design Competition HOW Computer Design Competition NC American Institute of Graphics Arts (AIGA) Award International AIGA Award New York Festival Bronze Award Mobius Award PRINT's Best Corporate Identity ECHO Award