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Experience.

Nancy's Notions

2011 - present

Beaver Dam, WI

Graphic Artist and Designer. Designed layouts for weekly marketing emails as well as other graphic web assets. Produced vector-based illustrations for project patterns and final layout of patterns to press.

AccountingCoach

2011 - present

Fort Atkinson, WI

Freelance Design. Produced Flash-based visual tutorials on various accounting concepts and practices for a website focused on teaching the same.

Leutenegger-Wadsworth Grant Project

2011

University of Denver, Denver, CO

Freelance Illustration. Produced vector-based artwork, animations, and game interface design for an iPad game to be used in research on stress management.

The Engender Games Group Lab

2010 - 2011

University of Wisconsin-Whitewater, Whitewater, WI

Freelance Illustration. Produced vector-based artwork, animations, and game interface design for an educational Flash game about assisting a woman in labor.

Kids Play Math

2009 - 2011

University of Denver, Denver, CO

Freelance Illustration. Produced vector-based artwork and animations for use in Flash-based games as part of a Mathematics Department grant project to develop educational games for children aged 3 - 6.

Education.

University of Denver

2009

Denver, CO

BFA in Studio Art. Minors in Philosophy and French; Magna Cum Laude distinction and Departmental Honors. Received a full-tuition Martin Luther King, Jr. Scholarship for academics.

Statement.

I am an artist, designer, and illustrator. My work is above all motivated by a respect for its viewer; I endeavor to create things that are coherent, intelligent, and concise. I believe that what is intuitive is more compelling than what is blatant, and that beauty and subtlety are those qualities that ultimately let a work breathe its purpose: to *persuade*. I exert myself always toward technical proficiency and sound editing, and finally toward the creation of an eloquent whole.

Awards.

PlayExpo

2011

Whitewater, WI

Winner: Serious Game category. For the interactive spinning tutorial, A Good Yarn.

Skills.

Languages:

Written and conversational French.

Software & Coding:

Adobe Creative Suite CS4, Microsoft Office; intermediate HTML and CSS; a basic foundation in Actionscript 2.

Art & Design:

Experienced in vector illustration and familiar with digital painting techniques. Skilled in a variety of traditional painting and drawing media; working knowledge of digital and traditional photography methods and manipulation.