

Jeremiah M. DiMatteo

Résumé

Sound, Design, Web and Computers

PERSONAL PROFILE

My experience with computer hardware and software is now in it's 15th year. Given this, I am proud to say that I have achieved proficiency in a variety of fields including: graphic and web design, audio recording and production, as well as IT support and network administration.

I feel that my most valuable strength is a fundamental work ethic combined with an undying hunger for knowledge, skills and abilities to offer the world. I am able to quickly change roles to accommodate various multimedia needs, not to mention I have over ten years of experience in service and hospitality fields. Although this is primarily a graphic position, I offer all of my skills in regards to employment.

CAREER HISTORY

Freelance Graphic Designer & Web Developer - September 2009 - Present

ACEO Productions Inc. - September 2009 - Present
Company Founder / President

The formation of ACEO was initially a project between myself and one of my close partners. The project has grown to now include two additional associates and our organization grows more with each new project.

ACEO was formed to provide a variety of media services to the people of Houston, TX with an emphasis on audio production and multimedia promotions. We also provide a large range of technical services including PC repair and support as well as virus removal and backup. As part of my service package, I also provide technical support for my past clients so I am capable of conducting telephone and remote assistance.

As acting president of ACEO Productions, I have been actively engaged in executive, administrative and creative roles which further solidifies my ability to be a well-rounded and organized professional.

Freelance Composer and Sound Designer - May 2004 – Present

Psophonia Dance Company - September 2007 - present
Resident Composer/Arranger

While working with Psophonia, I have had the great experience of providing sound scores featuring original and arranged works for choreography. With this local modern dance company, I have premiered original music at Hobby Center and Barnevelder Movement Arts Center. Psophonia has also taken works of our collaboration on the road to Cincinnati, OH for the Cincy Fringe Festival on several occasions. I also managed non-linear video editing as well as disk authoring for several performances and web promotions.

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EDUCATION

Although my formal training is in music performance and education, I have managed to teach myself graphic and web design skills by way of the internet with tutorial videos and online forums.

University of Houston - August 1999 - May 2004
Bachelor of Music

University of Houston - July 2006 - May 2007 (pending graduation)
Music Education Certification

DESIGN QUALITIES

Professional yet still creative
Fast working and confident under pressure
Great at working with others to achieve a collective goal
Able to work within creative boundaries and desired guidelines

PERSONAL QUALITIES

Caring, hospitable, informative, adaptive, authoritative, inquisitive, entrepreneurial, philanthropic. I am also a happy, proud father and a non-smoker.

HOBBIES AND INTERESTS

Making vector designs, performing electronic dance music, DJing, playing electric bass, all types of music, poetry and great literature.

TECHNOLOGICAL APTITUDE

I also have a capable understanding and growing knowledge of the following languages and technologies:

XHTML / CSS
Flash Actionscript
Wordpress
MySQL and PHPadmin
MIDI & OSC

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SOFTWARE PROFICIENCY

Over the years, I have learned to use many software applications. Below is a list of programs that I use on a regular basis.

Adobe Photoshop

I started working with Photoshop in high school and use it fairly regularly to this day. I use this application to create elements for websites as well as edit and restore images. It is great for achieving stunning visual effects and editing pixels.

Adobe Illustrator

Although I have worked longer with pixel manipulation, vector design has proven itself to be one of my greatest design abilities. I am fully capable of making original vectors as well as converting original hand-drawn artwork into an extensible postscript file(.eps).

Adobe Fireworks

This application has become my new favorite for layout and design of custom website templates. The application makes the initial stages of design translate well into Dreamweaver so that I can edit and manage content and code efficiently.

Adobe Dreamweaver

This application is great at configuring web layouts to work well in many different browser platforms. I also use this application to validate HTML and to edit CSS.

Adobe Flash

I have used Flash to make websites, animations and other web elements including: menu bars, ads and page animations. I prefer not to make websites with Flash but rather create interactive and entertaining elements to enhance a valid and search-able HTML/CSS-based website.

Thank you for taking the time to review my résumé. For examples of my work please view my portfolio in the gallery at:

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I look forward to hearing from you soon,

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