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Nejat Sassounes
Design, UX & Marketing

Hard Working, Creative, Critical, Honest, Intuitive, Seasoned, Perceptive, Nimble, Resourceful, Resilient,
Cooperative, Supportive, Affable, Reliable, Genuine, Lively

Experience

TOTAL ATTORNEYS / Chicago, IL
UX & Design Manager / August 2008 to Present

Responsibilities include design, creation, maintenance and optimization of both B2B and B2C sites and web apps for the legal services marketing industry. Information architecture, usability and visual design are all key facets to my work, along with improving user experiences based on feedback from A/B testing, heatmapping and other analytical data.

CLOUD OVER TREE STUDIO / Chicago, IL
Jack of All Trades / May 2002 to Present

Founded and operate a company intent on providing enticing, functional and modern designs for web and print mediums.

ARTISTIC DIGITAL SERVICES / Evanston, IL
Print, Web, Product Designer, Illustrator / September 1998 to May 2007

Position required a high level of autonomy and spanned a wide array of skills. Responsible for all aspects of the projects assigned from the conceptual phase to finalized production art. Considerable amounts of hands-on collaboration with outside clientele.

Proficiencies

Design / Pencil, Paper, Photoshop, Illustrator, Fireworks, Flash
Web / HTML5, CSS3, jQuery, Ektron, WordPress, Joomla
IDE / Visual Studio 2010, Sublime Text 2, Dreamweaver, SVN, TFS, VSS
Analytics / Google Analytics, Adobe Test&Target, Adobe SiteCatalyst
Print / InDesign, Acrobat Pro, QuarkXPress, Office

Clientele

Businesses / Brands Serviced Over The Years

Things Remembered, Acco Brands, Quartet, Apollo, Swingline, The Bradford Group, Walt Disney Inc., Elvis Presley Enterprises, Thomas Kinkade, John Deere, The Lord of the Rings, The Simpsons, The Muppets, Chicago Cubs, Chicago Bulls, Detroit Pistons, Pittsburgh Steelers, New England Patriots, Detroit Redwings, Duxler Tire, Weiss Memorial Hospital, Fireside Restaurant & Lounge, Inside Counsel Magazine, Waukegan Air Show, Husqvarna

Education

Columbia College Chicago / Class of 2005 / BA in Digital Media Technology
Evanston Township High School / Class of 2000 / Diploma, 2 Years of AP Art, Various Independent Studies

Accolades

Winner of Total Attorneys 2011 Dynamic Duo Award

My piece 'Everything' was on display at Columbia College Chicago's C33 Gallery during Manifest 2005

My piece 'The Bureaucrat' was on display at The Dallas Museum of Art as part of the 2001-2002 National AP Board's Exemplary Works Exhibition and was only student asked to speak at the event

References

Readily available upon request