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EDUCATION **2001–2006** BFA in Graphic Design, with honors: Massachusetts College of Art
Studies focusing on communication & information design across a wide range of media.

Summer 2005 Selected Participant: MIT & AIGA's Digital Information Design Summer Camp
Limited entry, intensive, course focusing on various aspects of the visual communication of information. Instructors included John Mæda, Ben Fry, and Ellen Lupton. didcamp.media.mit.edu

1998–2001 Graduate: Cape Cod Regional Technical High School—Graphic Arts major
Intensive program studying & practicing offset printing, print production, graphic design, fine arts, photography, and desktop publishing.

EMPLOYMENT HISTORY **May 2006–present** Design Consultant: Bitstream / MyFonts.com
Improving the usability, functionality, and aesthetic of the MyFonts.com website myfonts.com

March–June 2006 Interaction Designer: MITRE Corp—Open Design Group
Designing user interfaces for large-scale open-source technology systems.

September 2005–January 2006 Information Designer: Visual i|o
Designing digital information displays and data visualizations. visual-io.com

2003–2006 Letterpress Printing Lab Monitor: Massachusetts College of Art
Monitoring & assisting students, redistributing type, reorganizing resources & materials.

January 2003–present Performer / Designer / Web Developer: Kaiju Big Battel [s/c]
Wrestling in a monster costume, designing & producing props and web pages. kaiju.com

June 2003–present First Mate: Catboat Rides, Inc
Hoisting the sail, pulling lines, preparing food & drinks for passengers aboard the thirty-four foot traditional wooden sailboat, *Eventide*. catboat.com

October 2000–September 2002 Web Designer / Developer: CommuniCom, Inc
Designing & developing entire websites (often single-handedly), customer relations. Initially working from a central office; later continuing employment via the internet.

April–September 1999 Designer / Production Artist: Hieroglyphics, Inc
Designing & printing wine labels and menus, shipping & receiving, customer relations.

ACCOMPLISHMENTS **2003–present** Elected Member: Charles River Conservancy Skatepark Committee
Small group of skateboarders that are “instrumental in the design, fund-raising and publicity efforts” for a proposed \$2.1 million skateboard park. thecharles.org

2001 2nd place: SkillsUSA National competition—Advertising Design division
National competition of students who are in technical education programs; competitions consist of local, state, and national levels.

2000 1st place: Massachusetts Film Office Locations photo contest
Annual competition to “capture the Bay State’s variety of looks and architecture”.

1998–2001 Member: National Vocational Technical Honor Society
For demonstrating “scholastic achievement, skill development, leadership, honesty, responsibility, and good character”; overall GPA of 3.0 or higher required for candidacy.

HOBBIES Skateboarding, playing & listening to music, photography, letterpress and silkscreen printing, design research, web development, sailing, eating candy.