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# GRAPHIC DESIGN & ILLUSTRATION

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# FEBRUARY '16 – PRESENT

# **Buffalo Design and Printing, Buffalo, NY**

- · Graphic designer, handling all design and illustration needs, dealing directly with clients
- · Work remotely to create graphic design solutions for both print and web
- Design logos, brochures, annual reports, newsletters, social media graphics, etc.

## JANUARY '03 - PRESENT | Katie Chalmers Graphic Design & Illustration

- Freelance graphic designer and illustrator for various clients in Western New York
- · Create graphic design solutions for both print and web on state-of-the-art Mac system
- Facebook and Website Administrator for a few local clients

## APRIL '00 – JANUARY '03 PennWell Publishing, Nashua, NH

- Art director for Advanced Technology division of large publishing company
- · Worked closely with illustrators and editors
- · Sole designer for five monthly business-to-business magazines and their supplements
- · Redesigned existing magazines and designed start-up publications
- · Designed marketing material for company, including main promo booklet

## MARCH '97 – FEBRUARY '00 | The Lindler Fried Design Group, Baltimore, MD

- · Senior designer with five person design firm, producing all jobs from concept to print
- Worked directly with a wide variety of clientele to create appropriate design solutions
- · Designed full range of high-end print collateral
- Created complex photo and typographical collages
- · Excellent grammatical and proofreading skills
- · Supervised presschecks and photoshoots
- · Trained multiple junior designers

# OCTOBER '94 – FEBRUARY '97 TM Design, Denver, CO

- · Mid-level designer with five person design studio
- Designed logos, ads, posters, brochures and newsletters for an array of clients
- · Created illustrations and original artwork
- Developed excellent technical skills, production knowledge and editing experience
- Supervised photoshoots and presschecks

# JULY '93 – OCTOBER '94 | Creative Marketing Services, Buffalo, NY

- Entry-level designer with five person agency, designing flyers and catalogs
- · Regular vendor/client contact, supervised photoshoots

# **ROCHESTER INSTITUTE OF TECHNOLOGY, ROCHESTER, NY**

BFA in Graphic Design, May 1993 Graduated with high honors Illustration Concentration Philosophy Minor

#### **PROFICIENT ON MACS IN**

Adobe InDesign Adobe Photoshop Adobe Illustrator Adobe Acrobat Aldus Freehand Ouark XPress plus Misc. Microsoft Programs

# **QUALITIES**

Highly self-motivated Strong attention to detail Organized and efficient Complex Photoshop work Handles own production Art direction Illustration Print design Web graphics Press checks Copywriting

# **ENJOYS**

Photography

Dog training Playing piano Hiking with family Watercolor painting Volunteering for church

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#### CLIENT LIST AND PROFESSIONAL REFERENCES

#### **CLIENT LIST**

CONSULTING FIRMS
AON Consulting
Baltimore Advisors, Inc.
Columbia Consulting Group
Compass Technology Associates
Salazar & Solomon Healthcare Consulting

#### **DEVELOPERS**

Great West Management & Realty Pennrose Properties Struever Bros. Eccles & Rouse

### **FINANCIAL INSTITUTIONS**

CitiFinancial Commercial Credit Provident Bank Sterling Bank

### **HEALTH CARE**

Dent Neurologic Institute Johns Hopkins Medical Center Northtowns Oral and Maxillofacial Surgery St. Agnes Healthcare St. Joseph Medical Center

# INSTITUTIONAL

Baltimore School for the Arts University at Buffalo Denver Technical College Friends School of Baltimore Indiana University Loyola Blakefield

#### **NON-PROFIT**

Friends of the Family
Habitat for Humanity
Hearts For The Homeless
Holy Cross Lutheran Church
Jericho Road Community Health Center
Manor Care Foundation, Inc.
MdBio, Inc.
Mile High United Way
Zion Lutheran Church

#### MISC.

Alessi Fitness
Alexander Design Studios
American Sheep Industry
Basicnet Office Supplies
Camp Echo Lake
Irish Companies
Kamp Kohut
Marriott Corporation
Millennium Inorganic Chemicals
Northtowns Oral Surgery
Seitz Filters
U S Airways
WNY Gluten Free Diet Support Group

#### **REFERENCES**

### **MIKE DAIGLE**

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