

MATT DERA

Visual Design & Print Production
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Experience

City Screen and Graphics

Production Design • San Francisco, CA • October 2013 - Present
Responsible for all incoming client design requests. Also tasked with making sure all customer provided artwork is acceptable for the screen printing process. Duties include color separations, outputting, and editing films.

Freelance Design

Visual Designer • San Francisco, CA • January 2006 - Present
Projects range from logo work and marketing literature to iPad apps for clients, including Graphicly, Splick•it, First Round Capital, and Powell Family Tree Care.

Ryan Bansky Expert Tree Service

Secondary Climber • Lindenwold, NJ • August 2012 - August 2013
Trained in tree preservation, removals, rigging, and the use of various small machines ranging from Mini Skid Steers to Stump Grinders. Also trained in climbing SRT and DRT and had extensive time operating a bucket truck. Was also the Shop Foreman and Crew Liaison, responsible for communications between the crew and office/customers.

I2oz Studios (Tattoos and Piercings)

Receptionist • Brooklawn, NJ • March 2012 - June 2013
Received all incoming calls, scheduled appointments, made sure customer paperwork was filled out to the satisfaction of the Health Code Inspector, and was responsible for the general cleanliness of the shop.

One, Two, Three Incorporated

Designer & Print Production Director • Woodbury, NJ • January 2006 - August 2011
Responsibilities included all design, pre-press production, proofing, customer and vendor relationships, marketing research, and general office work such as shipping and billing.

Education

Rowan University • Glassboro, NJ
Bachelor of Fine Arts - Graphic Design

Camden County Technical Schools • Sicklerville, NJ
Commercial Graphics and Design / Academics

Skills and Certifications

Experienced in the use of the latest versions of Adobe InDesign, Illustrator, Photoshop, QuarkXPress, and Microsoft Office (on MAC and PC platforms). Considerable knowledge in Extensis Suitcase, Fontbook, Adobe Type Manager, and QuickBooks.
First Aid, CPR, AED Certified and EHAP Certified. California ServSafe Food Handler Certified.

Other Experience

Food Service

Burger King
Taco Bell

Marine Safety

Bellmawr Lake

Sales

K-Mart
Radio Shack
Pacific Sunwear
Wawa

Professional Driving

Papa Johns
Pats Family Pizzeria
Cherry Hill Imports

Warehouse/Production

Harcourt Books
Percision Orthotics
Shutter Apparel

Office

Rowan Unversity
Bursars Office