John R Kofonow

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Graphic & Web Designer

Ten years experience in commercial and academic graphic design, web design, web application development, E-learning and teaching. Six years experience in leadership as a community events organizer and Advisory Board Member for NORAZPoets 501(c)3.

Experience

Freelance Web and Graphic Designer

January 2004 – present : Flagstaff, AZ

Graphic Design Specialst Sr., Coconino Community College

December 2010 – September 2011 : Flagstaff, AZ

I was responsible for most of the college's print and digital materials including course schedules, brochures, reports, printed advertisements, and digital signage. I introduced fresh approaches to projects while still adhering to the college's established style guidelines. I supervised interns assisting with design work and learning about the profession of design. I worked and communicated directly with all levels of college staff and faculty as well as vendors and advertising contacts.

Web Analyst, Coconino Community College

August 2005 – November 2010 : Flagstaff, AZ

I served as the web designer for the college; responsible for design, maintenance, and staff training. Duties included:

- Implementing designs, forms, HTML/CSS, GUI and a style guide for the College's website, intranet and E-learning platform
- Web application development with PHP/MySQL, SharePoint 2007, and ASP.NET
- Implementing Section 508/ADA compliance to W₃C standards
- Assessing the effectiveness of all designs, forms and training methods
- Training and supporting users and content editors of the college's online media
- Administering and supporting the College's E-learning platform including course migration, training, support, course building, writing training documentation, and providing instructional design support.

Instructor, W. A. Franke College of Business, Northern Arizona University

April 2008 - March 2010: Flagstaff, AZ

I planned and taught a series of one and two-day intensive workshops covering Basic & Advanced Dreamweaver and Basic Flash.

Adjunct Faculty, School of Communication, Northern Arizona University

August 2004 – May 2007 : Flagstaff, AZ

Project Manager, Distance Learning, Northern Arizona University

July 2000 – November 2003 : Flagstaff, AZ

Partner & Designer, Tripwire Arts

2000 – 2003 : Flagstaff, AZ

Education and Certifications

BFA in Visual Communication, Northern Arizona University, 2000 Certified Associate Webmaster by World Organization of Webmasters, 2006

Technical Strengths

(x)HTML/CSS Illustration
PHP/ASPNET Color Theory
MySQL/SQL Typography
Javascript/AJAX Section 508
W3C Standards Usability/Accessibility

Software

Flash Photoshop
InDesign Dreamweaver
Illustrator Blackboard Vista
Captivate MOSS 2007
Contribute WordPress

Personal Strengths

- Extensive planning and project management experience
- Solid writing and editing for documentation and instruction
- Strong communicator who works well with others and solo
- Channels creative energy through a love of problem solving
- Respectful, patient and attentive