

Professional Experience

June 2020 – Present

Automotive Specialist – Contracted

Canopy Automotive, Seaside, CA

- Collaborate with partners to identify and purchase vehicles that will yield the highest return
- Source automotive parts that are often difficult to locate or out of production
- Work with team on designated car renovation projects to include design and rebuilding
- Perform diagnosis, general maintenance and major mechanical work
- Advanced familiarity with automotive parts and processes, emphasis on German manufacturers

May 2021 – October 2022

Pre-Press & Digital Press Operator

Ryan Ranch Printers, Monterey, CA

- Managed the daily operations of a busy print shop to include sales and customer service
- Operated a variety of Xerox Versant Digital Presses and Presstek CTP Machines
- Partnered with large scale trade printers for work that couldn't be completed in-house
- Sourced and purchased all required supplies and maintained production inventory
- Created original artwork, prepared existing files and replicated scans and images for digital printing and lithography
- Additional responsibilities included costing, providing estimates, bookkeeping and file server maintenance

July 2019 – May 2021

Production Graphic Designer

AREA5100, Monterey, CA

- Modified and updated existing packaging for multiple national brands.
- Created packaging mockups and prepared new SKUs for printing.
- Was responsible for all product photography, videography and editing.
- Created websites in HTML + CSS + Bootstrap, Wordpress, and Squarespace.
- Provided layout and design for a quarterly professional trade magazine.

May 2018 – July 2019

Detailer & Lot Porter

Porsche Monterey, Monterey, CA

- Maintained cleanliness of all vehicles on lot and in the showroom
- Did extensive details on recent trade-ins
- Removed all pre-delivery protection film, fabrics, and coatings in preparation for technician PDI
- Organized cars within a tight showroom and outside to maximize and prioritize inventory display
- Maintained fluid and battery levels on a variety of cars from early 1980s to modern day

June 2014 - June 2016

Project Manager & Beta Test Organizer

Live Action Entertainment, Monterey, CA

- Designed user interface. Worked with international programmers to diagnose problems.
- Conducted beta testing with groups of 20+ testers through Apple's Testflight.
- Created website, documentation for user interface, and video advertisements.
- Animated explanation videos and created video tutorials.
- Participated in brainstorming sessions and marketing campaigns.

Education and Training

Monterey Peninsula College

Graphic Arts, Automotive

California State University, Monterey Bay

Computer Science

Marina High School

General Education

Cisco Networking Academy

Network Support and Security, Introduction to Data Science, Introduction to Cybersecurity, Networking Basics, Computer Hardware Basics, Operating Systems Basics, Junior Cybersecurity Analyst Career Path

Skills

- Customer Service
- Communication
- Critical Problem Solving
- Collaboration
- Layout & Imposition
- Adobe Illustrator
- Adobe InDesign
- Adobe Premiere Pro
- Adobe Photoshop
- Microsoft Office
- Digital Press Operation
- Pantone Color System
- File Server Management
- Acrylic Laser Cutting
- HTML & CSS
- BMW ETK, INPA, ISTA+, WinKFP, NCSExpert