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Born: 8-8-80

Tertiary qualifications.

Bachelor of Art - with concentration in Digital Art - Graduated May 2009 with honors from Sierra Nevada College, NV, U.S.A

2006 Attended Otago Polytechnic Design School studying Product Design for one year before transferring to University in Lake Tahoe, Nevada on a sporting scholarship.

Secondary school education and achievements.

Attended Mt Aspiring College in Wanaka from 1997-98 and graduated with B- Bursary

Attended Waitaki Boys high school from 1994-96

Work experience

2010-11 In house Graphic and Web Designer for Educating Adventures Limited.

2009-11 Self Employed Web and Graphic Designer trading as Micimage.

2009 Resident Assistant in school housing at Sierra Nevada College, NV, U.S.A

2009 Logo/graphic design and layout for Sierra Nevada College student newspaper.

2008 Website consulting/updating and search engine optimization for Klaraos, Incline Village U.S.A

2008 Website design and production for Sky Tavern ski area, Lake Tahoe, U.S.A

2008 S K Snowsports, Sydney, Australia- sales

2005-08 Image on Canvas graphics production work, Dunedin

2004 Racers Edge Ski Shop, Wanaka

2003-2006 New Zealand Ski Team

Personal Achievements

New Zealand Olympic Team athlete 2006.

New Zealand Ski Team 2003-07

USCSA (United States College Skiing Association) Overall National Champion 2007

Personal Statement

I am motivated to carry out any work or job I undertake to a very high standard. My drive to succeed is shown in the high level that I have taken my sporting career to and also in the fact that I am a self-taught web designer. I am a fast learner and constantly strive to learn and improve. I want to continue to create a career for myself involving website design/ development, graphic design, photography and marketing.

Skills

I have extensive knowledge of Adobe Photoshop, good knowledge of Flash, Illustrator and experience using Indesign. I Use Coda to program web pages and Photoshop and Illustrator to design graphics for them. I can create excellent, clean design for both web and print. I build websites using standards compliant html and css and have extensive experience modifying themes in PHP driven website content management systems such as Wordpress. I have some experience working with and implementing jquery in websites. I also have experience animating using Flash and with Video Production using Final Cut Pro. As most of my work has been done as a freelance designer, please refer to my portfolio website www.micimage.com to see examples of my work.

Outside interests

Surfing, music, basketball, mountain biking, skiing, photography, music.

Referees

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