

joseph robert lee

design + code

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EDUCATION

B.A. Art & Design

w/ an emphasis in New Media
Western Washington University

September 2003 — June 2007
Bellingham, WA

SKILLS

Media

Web

UI Design
XHTML/CSS
CSS Frameworks
Web Standards
Wire Framing/Sitemaps
Information Architecture
Javascript (familiar)

Print

Typography
Branding
Posters
Collateral

Photo

Digital
Post Processing
Black & White

Software

Adobe Creative Suite

Photoshop, Illustrator, InDesign, Dreamweaver, Acrobat, Bridge

Web Development

TextMate, CSSEdit, Transmit (ftp client)
Coda, Versions (svn), Google Analytics

Video & Photo

Final Cut Studio, Aperture, iPhoto

Word Processing

Microsoft Office, iWork, Google Docs

Operating Systems

Mac OSX, Windows XP/Vista/7

EXPERIENCE

Product Designer

Microsoft (via Aquent)
Dynamics CRM UX Team

April 2009 — June 2009
Bellevue, WA

Designed the internal CRM UX team Sharepoint portal site, responsible for site IA and visual design. Redesigned the Dynamics CRM Resource Center and provided code templates while working with all parties involved to create a desirable solution that would meet users' needs as well stakeholders requirements.

Web Designer

YOUbeQB

July 2008 — November 2008
Kirkland, WA

Contracted for YOUbeQB as a part of a small, agile team. Responsible for site redesign to improve the user experience, information architecture, and site accessibility as well. Upgraded existing code base to make it more robust and scalable.

Creative Developer

iLink Systems

June 2007 — March 2008
Bellevue, WA

Worked as a front-end designer/developer focusing on clean, accessible user experiences. Problem solved for clients by designing engaging and usable sites while working with development teams to create complete and finished products.

Web Developer

Western Washington University

April 2007 — June 2007
Bellingham, WA

Produced semantically hand coded XHTML/CSS templates for Academic Advising. Responsible for site redesign with an attention to information architecture and usability while employing best practices.

Freelance Designer

Various Clients

June 2007 — Present
Seattle, WA

Created a variety of logos, web sites, and posters for individuals and companies - primarily for small businesses and non-profits in the greater Seattle area.

Photolab Technician

Western Washington University

September 2004 — March 2007
Bellingham, WA

Maintained and mixed chemistry for the wet lab and developing rooms. Also provided technical assistance in printing methods and development issues for photography students.

ACTIVITIES

Mentor

Youth In Focus

September 2008 — Present
Seattle, WA

I interact with urban youth to help them learn photography by assisting students with technical and compositional matters, as well as printing and development techniques.

Attendee

Web Directions North

February 2007, February 2008
Vancouver, BC

Attended WDN, a design conference led by industry experts and learned to utilize the most current best practices, design standards, and development trends.

REFERENCES

Available Upon Request