

Brian Wente

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Experience

Internet Graphics Manager for Travelatro, LLC from 6/01 to present.

Oversee the production and maintenance of digital imagery for timeshare clients. Integrated jsp tags into timeshare membership web site. Architect of lead collecting and interactive networked sales kiosk, with receipt printer and credit card reader.

Senior Internet Developer for AutoPower Corporation from 9/00 to 5/01.

While at AutoPower I helped develop a system to interface their legacy PIC database system to the internet as well as for their existing customer base. Redesigned the system architecture for a multifaceted e-commerce portal, to help facilitate updates with a common source. Created all the graphics for conferences, publications, marketing, CD-ROM's and customer web sites.

Internet Graphics Manager for Sunterra Resorts from 1/99 to 8/00.

Coordinating the maintenance and design of (25+) internal and external web sites. I was responsible for developing solutions for e-commerce applications, including standardizing the GUI, interactive Flash games, panoramic images, and live chat sales presentations.

Art Director for Patterson/Bach Communications from 3/96 to 1/99.

Responsible for creative concepts and production of printed and digital materials (CD-ROM's, digital presentations, and database driven web sites). Created designs for custom and modular tradeshow exhibits. I was also responsible for company computer system, including e-mail and internal networking and communications.

Webpage Designer for IntelliSTAR from 12/95 to 3/96.

I was involved with the design and creation of interactive web sites. Creating the artwork as well as web programming. Meeting with clients to create attractive, intuitive, and informative sites.

Computer Artist for the Techware Corporation from 4/94 to 12/95.

Involved with the design and creation of interactive educational products in association with the Florida Department of Education. My role at Techware was very diverse, including 3-D animation, web design, and light scripting on projects.

Macintosh consultant at the university lab from 9/91 to 5/94.

My duties involved assisting students with applications and trouble shooting problems with the computers.

Art Director for The Central Florida Future from 8/90 to 8/92.

As Art Director I was responsible for and in charge of all aspects of graphic art elements involved in the newspaper. This also included conferring with individual section editors in conceiving the idea and format for the graphic requested.

Education

University of Central Florida 1994, 3.1 GPA

A.A. Degree from Polk Community College 1989, 3.4 GPA

Special Skills

I am highly proficient in Photoshop and Dreamweaver. I am well-versed in Acrobat, AppleScript, FileMaker Pro, Flash, FreeHand, ImageReady, Norton, PageMaker, PowerPoint, Premiere, StudioPro, Microsoft Word, and Xpress. I also have working knowledge of Director and Illustrator.

My technical skills include troubleshooting computer problems, installing computer software, evaluating software and hardware, and configuring systems. I have also developed several in-house programming solutions.

Core Internet technologies – HTML, CSS, SWF, PDF, Miva

Integrating technologies – ASP, JSP, Servlets, , IcePick,, PHP, MySQL, Java Script,

Awards

Polk Community College Student Art Competition 1989

• Best of Show • Best of Painting • Best of Watercolor