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OBJECTIVES

To be both an entrepreneur and designer.

EDUCATION

Rhode Island School of Design, Providence, RI
Bachelor of Fine Arts candidate 2011
Industrial Design Major
GPA: 3.480

Brown University, Providence, RI
Entrepreneurship track in the Commerce, Organizations and Entrepreneurship program
First RISD Student in ENGN 1930X: Entrepreneurship and New Ventures (Prof. Danny Warshay)

MIT, Cambridge, MA
Sloan MBA Program Student, Spring 2010
Product Design and Development (Course 15)

College of the Holy Cross, Worcester, MA
Economics Major 2007-2008
GPA: 3.185

SKILLS

3D: Extensive work with sketch modeling, traditional model making, cardboard construction, metal casting, machining metal, wood, hot glass and rapid prototyping.

2D: Broad range of skills in concept generation and idea communication, studies in drawing, sketching, marker renderings, digital renderings, theme boards, and sequence boards.

Computer: Fluent in both Mac and PC; Arduino-abled; experienced in Solid Works and Rhino, highly trained in Adobe Illustrator, Photoshop, Dreamweaver, Flash, Indesign; comfortable using the Wacom Tablet, Word, Excel, Javascript, HTML and Powerpoint.

Personal: Interested in the relationship between design and business; creative, communicative, practical, flexible, self-motivated, determined, reliable and responsible.

Interests: Designing games, UI/UX, innovative advertising, driving my motorcycle, dumpster diving, and selling vintage video games online.

WORK EXPERIENCE

ESPN, Bristol, CT

Freelance designer in a collaboration between RISD and ESPN. Designer of a consumer acquisition application involving virtual shrines. Fall 2010

Lightspeed Venture Partners, Menlo Park, CA

Summer fellow for a high tech innovation incubator. Worked closely with software developers and hardware engineers. Summer 2010

Design that Matters, Cambridge, MA

Designer of medical devices for neonatal care in Vietnam. Collaboration with MIT Sloan. Spring 2010

Rhode Island School of Design, Providence, RI.

Woodshop and Machine shop Teaching Assistant. 2009- present

Kate Spade and Jack Spade, New York, NY.

Design intern for men's apparel and soft goods. Summer 2009

Community Boating, Inc., Boston, MA

Sailmaker, sailing instructor, dock staff and Universal Access support staff. 2007- 2008

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ACHIEVEMENTS & ACTIVITIES

National Design Awards finalist for Corporate and Institutional Achievement (Design that Matters) 2010.

Cisco Draper Fisher Jurvetson Global Business Plan Finalist 2010

Lightspeed Venture Partners Summer Fellow 2010

MIT 100K Business Plan Competition Finalist 2010

MIT 100K Business Plan Competition Mobile Technology Track Winner 2010

Rice University Business Plan Competition Finalist 2010

MIT 100K Elevator Pitch Contest Participant 2009

US Field Hockey National Indoor Tournament Participant 2006 and 2007

US Field Hockey Nationals Silver Medalist 2006

US Sailing Level I Certified Instructor

Design that Matters and the East Meets West Foundation: Designer of an infant phototherapy incubator for neonates in Vietnam spring 2010

Jack Spade: Designer of 2 men's bags in the summer 2010 collection

Gap: Designer of 2 women's cardigans in the spring 2009 collection

RISD Expose (Contemporary Design Gallery) Head of Entrepreneurship and Media 2010

RISD Entrepreneurship Society President 2010

RISD Strategic Planning Committee student representative 2009-2010

College of the Holy Cross Women's Varsity Ice Hockey 2007-2008

RISD Co-ed Club Ice Hockey goal tender 2008 - 2010

Brown University Club Sailing 2008 - 2010

Public Acknowledgements

Reuter's News Wire

Student elected to meet with Ben Bernanke in Providence, RI 10/3/2010.

Forbes, BusinessWire, CNBC, and MIT News

Infant phototherapy incubator featured in "Making Progress in Product Design at MIT: How a mash up of disciplines builds genius—and really cool stuff" 5/19/2010.

Boston Globe

All-Scholastic Field Hockey selection fall 2006.