

## R e s u m é

### Qualifications

- Fifteen years' professional experience as a graphic designer with twenty-three years of formal and informal education and training in traditional art in all forms, including oil and acrylic, pen and pencil, photography, and art history.
- Five years as a freelance graphic designer incorporating traditional art values and the latest technological advances in graphics software applications. Projects include new product label design, brochures, advertising and promotional materials, trade show exhibits and point-of-purchase displays, and website design and production. Strengths include strong client and vendor relationships, organization, and the ability to manage multiple projects and deadlines from start to finish.
- Seven years' experience in a silk screen manufacturing company as a Production Artist, Art Director and Creative Director for Merchandise and Design. Designed and produced multiple lines of imprinted apparel for the retail fashion industry. Managed and directed a four-person art department and sample printing team.
- Technical skills include: Mac – Adobe InDesign, Adobe Photoshop, Adobe Illustrator, Quark Xpress, Streamliner, Dreamweaver, Adobe Pagemill. PC - Corel Draw, Freehand, Photostyler. Creative skills include illustration and painting in various media and the use of photography to aid in image making.

### Work History

- 3/2003 – present **University of Georgia, Carl Vinson Institute of Government**  
Graphic Designer. Responsibilities include electronic and printed materials including text books and exhibit elements. Conceptualizes, designs, and produces brochures, training, and/or promotional materials such as flyers, ads, brochures and logos. Develops and produces web-based graphics.
- 1977 – 3/2003 **Dianne Johnson Illustration & Graphic Design**  
Freelance Graphic Designer. Provide complete graphic design services including digital imagery for print media and Internet publishing. Emphasis on original creations for splash page image maps with whole-site theme graphics.
- 6/97 - 9/97 **Bob Wages Design**  
Internship while completing the Graphic Design Program at Georgia State University.
- 1993 - 1996 **The Kroger Company**  
Executive Secretary. Served as liaison between Vice President of Operations and area Zone Managers and Store Managers. Responsible for Customer Service. Organized and implemented 1-800 Kroger Customer Service Hot Line used throughout Atlanta marketing area. Designed flyers and brochures for Community Service Department.
- 1989 - 1990 **Mountain South Innovations**  
Art Director. Creative design and development of apparel imprints from inception to production and marketing support.
- 1986 - 1987 **Emory University Hospital**  
Graphic Designer. Produced patient information booklets, brochures, flyers, slides and teaching aids for the Hospital Education Department.

### Education

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| 1995 - 1998 | <b>Georgia State University</b>            | Completed Graphic Design Program |
| 1992 - 1993 | <b>Dekalb College</b>                      | Core Curriculum                  |
| 1977 - 1979 | <b>University of Alabama in Huntsville</b> | Painting and Drawing             |