Benjamin Kirkby

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Experience

WEB DESIGNER/DEVELOPER, FREELANCE — 2013-PRESENT Web Design and Front-End Web development.

LECTURER-VISUAL COMMUNICATION, NORTHERN ARIZONA UNIVERSITY. FLAGSTAFF, AZ - 2010-2013 Instruction of interactive and graphic design courses 4/4, Faculty advisor, VC program internship coordinator, ART Articulation Task Force representative, S.O.C. technology committee chairperson, CAAC VC representative, School Web site manager.

WEB DESIGNER/DEVELOPER, DECKERS OUTDOOR CORPORATION, FLAGSTAFF, AZ -2009-2010 Web design and development, .net & .aspx development, Interactive content developer

ART DIRECTOR, SECCO INTL., TUCSON, AZ — 2007-2009

Web design and development, print design, photography, animation, video production and video editing

WEB DESIGNER SENIOR, UNIVERSITY OF ARIZONA, TUCSON, AZ — 2005-2007

Web design and development for main site. Print design for various promotional materials. Photography, animation, video and video editing. University style guides development.

WEB AND GRAPHIC DESIGN, E-LEARNING CENTER, NORTHERN AZ UNIV., FLAGSTAFF, AZ — 2002-2004 Web design, print design, photography, animation.

STAFF PHOTOGRAPHER, ARIZONA DAILY STAR, TUCSON, AZ — 1998-2001

Daily photographic assignments, photographic essays and stories.

Education

University of Arizona, Tucson, AZ — MFA, Visual Communication, 2009 Northern Arizona University, Flagstaff, AZ — BS, Photojournalism, 2004

Skills

ADVANCED KNOWLEDGE OF:

- HTML5, Semantic Web & Responsive Web
- CSS3, SASS & Compass
- Foundation, Bootstrap & grid system frameworks
- Javascript & jQuery
- W3C and ADA Section 503 Web standards
- Mobile Web app development
- Adobe Creative Suite including Photoshop, Illustrator, InDesign, Acrobat, Dreamweaver, After Effects, Edge Animate

References

Available Upon Request

Teaching Experience

CORE CLASSES

- Interactive Design I, II, III & IV
- Graphic Design I & II
- Computer Imaging I & II

OTHER CLASSES

- Photojournalism I & II
- Digital Animation I & II

Accolades

2012

- School of Communication 'teacher of the year' nominee
- School of Communication 'Outstanding Faculty Advisor'
- Highly Meritorious annual peer review

2011

- "NAU Athletics Professor Appreciation" award
- Highly Meritorious annual peer review

2010

- School of Communication "teacher of the year" nominee2010
- Highly Meritorious annual peer review

2009

- Meritorious Graduate scholarship recipient
- Medici Scholarship recipient

2008

- Meritorious Graduate scholarship recipient
- Medici Scholarship recipient
- Arizona Wakonse Fellow

2007

- Meritorious Graduate scholarship recipient
- Medici Scholarship recipient
- Invited Artist SIGGRAPH 07 Global Eyes Gallery

2005

- PRSA 'PRimus Award" University for Arizona Web site
- Service and Learning award, NAU, SOC capstone