

Celina Kay Porter

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Objective: To obtain a position for a company that supports my creativity and allows me to grow personally and professionally.

Education

Achieved an Associates of Science Degree in Fashion Design from
The Art Institute of California- San Francisco San Francisco, CA 09/2005

Personal Enrichment courses
University of New Mexico- Taos Taos, NM 06/07 - 06/2008

Honors

AICA-SF Scholarship Competition, 2003
National Flamenco Festival Scholarship, 2003
Americorps Education Award, 2002 and 2000

Experience

06/07- Present Freelance Designer/Worker

The greater area of Taos, Taos, NM
Design, sew, create logos for local Designers and individuals.

04/07- 07/07 Graphic Designer

The Taos News, Taos, NM
Designed ads, met deadlines, prepared ads for weekly publications.

06/06- 03/07 Design Assistant

KC Designs, Taos, NM
Assisted Local Designer KC with various projects including patternmaking, sewing and furniture restoration. Achieved deadlines for clients and assumed responsibility for all projects in progress.

10/05 - 06/06 Senior Specifications Writer

Byer California, San Francisco, CA
Conducted Karat Cad trainings. Created first sample patterns for market using Gerber. Worked directly with patternmakers to create tech pack specifications for garment production overseas. Inspected samples for construction, tolerance and fit.

Personal Statement

I am assertive, ambitious, committed and focused on projects. During my free time I enjoy riding my bicycle, inventing and flamenco dancing.

Skills

TECHNICAL

Acrobat Reader, Corel Painter, Gerber, Karat Cad, Illustrator, InDesign, Photoshop, Micrografx, Microsoft Office, Style Manager, Mac OS and Windows OS platforms

FASHION

Draping, construction, patternmaking, digital sketching, computerized flats, computerized grading and patternmaking, presentation board layout, specification sheets, concept development, source textiles and trims, jewelry design and construction

Community Involvement

05/08-07/08 Computer Tutor

Tutor individuals on the basics for commuters and internet

05/08-07/08 Wholly Rags / Girl Time, Taos, NM

Textile Recycling education as well as sewing workshops for youth

Internships

- 09/07- 12/07 The Harwood Museum Of Art, Taos, NM
Participated in museum education projects during the Richard Diebenkorn in New Mexico: 1950-1952 Exhibit
- 08/02-05/03 KC Designs, Taos, NM
Assisted Local Designer KC with sewing. Designed and constructed my senior prom dress

Shows

- 2008 UNM – Taos, Taos, NM
Exhibited small metal sculptures and hand made books
- 2005 The Art Institute of California – San Francisco
Participated in graduation portfolio show

Other

- 2008 Northern New Mexico College - Espanola, NM
Converted the college crest design into a vector illustration for their logo

References

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| Kent Curtis Weakly | Interior/Fashion Designer | Self Employed | 505.770.0809 |
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