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Experience: _____

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| Burt Pardue
Columbia, SC February 2010 - Present | Freelance Logo Designer
Clients: Choir Festivals/Festival by the Sea, MacKay Law Firm |
| ADEC Group
Greenville, SC January 2009 - Present | Freelance Logo and Web Designer
Clients: Backwater Fishing, Coconut Water, Kat Realty, Pet Tender Angels, Total Identification Systems, WiProwess, Young Friends of Florence |
| Root Loud
Columbia, SC January 2009 - Present | Freelance Logo Designer
Clients: AQUA, Palmetto Fort Foundation, SC Searches, Atlantic Game & Tackle |
| Crown Town Handmade
Charlotte, NC March 2010 - Present | Historian and Artist
Collects and archives all promotional materials for a group of 40+ members. |
| Jessica's Jacket
Charlotte, NC June 2008 - Present | Owner, Artist, and Crafter
Maintains the online etsy shop www.jessicasjacket.etsy.com |
| Fuzzy Brush Americas
Boca Raton, FL March 2009 - September 2009 | Freelance Marketing Expert and Graphic Designer
Designed flyers, business cards, promotional items, rack cards, billboards, mall signs, tent cards, packaging, e-brochures, & t-shirts. |
| Deviante
Atlanta, GA April 2009 - February 2010 | Freelance Graphic Designer
Clients: DV8 Magazine, Savor |
| Satchel Ford Elementary School
Columbia, SC August 2009 - September 2009 | Freelance Logo Designer
Brave Arts logo design |
| Southern Risk, LLC
Charlotte, NC November 2006 - January 2009 | Marketing Coordinator
Designed and created flyers, ads, brochures, & trade show booths. Brought marketing campaigns from infancy to completion. Website and direct email blast design using html and CSS. Designed promotional items. Photo retouching. |
| Glueworks Animation— The Film Foundry
Charlotte, NC September 2005 - November 2006 | Layout and Lighting Artist
Layout design of animation sequences and shots. Animation key poses. Lighting of characters, backgrounds, & props for scenes. |
| Comedy Central—South Park Television
Marina del Rey, CA February 2002 - May 2005 | Technical Director
Built characters, props, and backgrounds in Maya. Used ramps & textures. Created expressions on sliders for characters, props, & backgrounds. Digital ink and paint. |
| September 2001 - February 2002 | Lip Sync Department Supervisor
Supervised a team of artists for lip sync animation in Maya. |
| August 1998 - September 2001 | Assistant Animator/Lip Sync Artist
Lip sync animation in Maya. Recorded phonetics onto sound sheets. |
| “Let's Go Voting”—Declaration of Independence Animation for Norman Lear
Marina del Rey, CA September 2003 | Technical Director
Built characters in Maya and created expressions and walk cycles. Manipulated ramps and textures. |
| Chiodo Bros.—“Clay” for Disney
Burbank, CA July 2002 - September 2002 | Fabrication Department Intern
Built armatures, molds, & clay models for stop motion animation. Painted and built props for sets and did basic carpentry work. Digital clean-up and frame-by-frame selection of characters in Photoshop. |

Kaplan Test Prep Marketing Production Coordinator

Los Angeles, CA | August 2000 - February 2002

Created flyers, ads, & mailers for offices in 15 states.
Negotiated contracts with newspapers and oversaw ad delivery.
Developed detailed media plans with regional marketing directors.

Paramount Pictures Assistant Animator/Lip Sync Artist

South Park: Bigger, Longer, and Uncut
Marina del Rey, CA | Spring 1999

Lip sync animation in Alias Wavefront. Edited audio into frames.
Recorded phonetics onto sound sheets.

Jim Henson Interactive Animation Intern

Hollywood, CA | July 1997 - November 1997

Conceptualized styles and ideas with a team of creative artists.
Drew in-betweens and walk cycles for *Muppet Babies*.

CBS Television – Eyemark Entertainment Graphic Design Intern

Westwood, CA | February 1997 - July 1997

Assisted in photo shoots. Designed billboards and magazine ads.

SONY Music Graphic Design Intern

Santa Monica, CA | July 1995 - December 1995

Scanned art and photos. Aided in design and layout of CD artwork.

Education: _____

University of California—Los Angeles [UCLA]

Los Angeles, CA | 1994 - 1998

Bachelor of Arts – Graphic Design, June 1998

Additional studies in drawing, photography, sculpture, and animation.

2007 PDF Conference—Orlando

Orlando, FL | May 2007

Sessions in PDF User, Web Publishing, Interactive, & Design tracks.
Pre- and post-conference sessions in Dreamweaver CS3 & Flash CS3.

Puppet-making Workshop with Michael Earl

Los Angeles, CA | May 2004 – July 2004

Eight-week class taught by Sesame Street puppet designer on production and creation of Muppet-style puppets.

Certificates: _____

New Horizons—Computer Learning Center

Columbia, SC | March 2008

Certificate of Completion for Flash CS3 Level 1

South Carolina Governor’s School for the Arts

Furman University, Greenville, SC | Summer 1993

Summer study program in drawing, photography, print-making, sculpture, painting, and etching.

Computer Skills: _____

SGI Maya, SoftImage, Alias Wavefront, and Sound Editor
MAC OSX Photoshop, Illustrator, Quark Xpress, Dreamweaver, Flash, & Premiere.
PC – Windows Microsoft Word, Word Perfect, Excel, Internet Browsers, and Email.

Extras: _____

Crown Town Handmade Member

Charlotte, NC | March 2010 - Present

CTHm is a group of crafters and artists in the Charlotte, NC area. Members are required to attend meetings and help host monthly “Make-Out Sessions” that are open to the public and teach attendees a new arts or crafts projects.

All Arts Market Featured Artist

Charlotte, NC | March 2010 & June 2010

The All Arts Market is a two-day festival held at the Neighborhood Theater in the NoDa district of Charlotte.

Crafty Feast Featured Artist

Columbia, SC | July 2010

Crafty Feast is a juried arts and crafts festival held quarterly.

References available upon request