

## ARTIST STATEMENT

Using a balance of logic and emotion, I strive to communicate through design, writing, and technology.

## EDUCATION

Columbia College Chicago  
G.P.A.: 3.9/4.0  
B.A. (May 2006)  
Majored in Digital Media Technology  
Minored in Fiction Writing

## RELATED COURSES

Computer Illustration	Designing for Web I & II
Time-Based Composing	Understanding Style: Voice, Choice, and Effect
Interface and Navigation	Dreams and Fiction Writing
2D Imaging	Story and Journal
Digital Photography II	Digital Media Technology Practicum

## SKILLS

### Software

Adobe Photoshop, Adobe Illustrator, Adobe Indesign, Adobe AfterEffects, Adobe Premiere  
Macromedia Dreamweaver, Macromedia Flash, QuarkXpress, Microsoft Office

### Programming

HTML, CSS, JavaScript, PHP/MYSQL, ActionScript

## WORK EXPERIENCE

### Graphic Designer (Freelance) - Superpresent.Promotions

*June 2006 - Present*

Creating promotional materials (including posters, logos, and web sites) for various businesses.

### Peer Tutor - Columbia College Chicago Writing Center

*September 2002 - Present*

Providing feedback, support, and assisting students in the process of writing and editing.  
Covering topics including brainstorming, outlining, development, and revision.

### Senior Apprentice Artist - Gallery 37

*Summer 2002*

Designed and painted storage boxes shaped like houses to be sold at the Gallery 37 stores. Set up art supplies, advised Apprentice Artists, and maintained and organized work area.

## RELATED EXPERIENCE

### Gallery Internship - Columbia College Chicago

*Spring 2006*

Print designer for the Interactive Arts & Media department's Manifest Exhibition. Designed all print materials advertising the Manifest show. Assisted in gallery set-up, including matting, framing, and arranging artwork.

### Graphic Designer/Editor - Writing Arts Community Organization

*Spring 2006*

Graphic designer for WACO publication, Asphalt. Designed all layouts, decided the publication specifications, and designed the cover. Read through submissions, assisted in decision-making process, and prepared accepted submissions for final publication.