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Profile I am a computer artist and programmer with experience in print and web design, interests in emerging media, graphic design, illustration and data management, and a lifelong obsession with clocks and typography.

Experience

Systems admin, web editor, DJ, Radio UTD (radio.utdallas.edu) 2006 – present
Design/maintain website, database tools; assist branding; produce weekly show

Editor/contributor, *A Modest Proposal* (amp.utdallas.edu) 2006 – present
Design/maintain website; produce layouts, illustrations, stories; assisted print redesign

Modeling intern, Three Architecture (threearch.com) 2006 – 2007
Rendered 3D models in SketchUp, Photoshop; produced prints, animations

Managing editor, *The UTD Mercury* (utdmercury.com) 2005 – 2006
Produced layouts, illustrations, stories, photography; maintained computers, staff

- *The Mercury* awarded the Pacemaker, the Associated Collegiate Press' highest honor, at the National College Media Convention, Kansas City, KS, October 2005
- Placed in seven competitions for ads, designs and editorial cartoons published in *The Mercury* at Texas Intercollegiate Press Association conventions, 2005 – 2006

Web editor, *The UTD Mercury* 2004 – 2005
Redesigned/maintained website (now displaced); assisted print redesign

Cartoonist (bwcartoon.com) 2004 – present
Black & White strip published in *The UTD Mercury*, *A Modest Proposal* and online

- Awarded 3rd overall for Comic Strip at National College Media Convention, Oct. 2005
- Featured in *Young Money* (Mar/Apr 2006) for ACP award

Web editor, video producer, various clients 2003 – present

Repair technician, Addison Clock & Watch, Addison, TX 2002 – 2004
Repaired clocks; attended clients; managed projects, database, advertising design

Education

B.A./B.S. in Arts & Technology, University of Texas at Dallas Expected May 2008

- Current GPA 3.6; Collegium V honors college
- Academic Excellence Scholarship; McDermott Scholars Program finalist

High school diploma, The Covenant School, Dallas, TX May 2004

- GPA 3.6; SAT 1440, ACT 31 (as of June 2003)
- National Merit Commended Scholar; Advanced Placement Scholar with Honor (four '5's)

Technologies

OS Apple Mac OS 7–10.5, Windows XP, GNU/Linux

Design Adobe Photoshop, InDesign, Illustrator, Apple Final Cut Pro/Express, Google SketchUp, Autodesk Maya

Web HTML, CSS, PHP, JavaScript, Ajax, MySQL, Adobe Flash

Other Microsoft Office, Access, Apple iLife, C++, Java, various sound editors

Other Pursuits Clock collection and repair (NAWCC member since 2003), cartooning, drawing, painting, typography, interface design, filmmaking and cinematography, piano, accordion, Dalmatians. I also take part in two collaborative Internet projects, thespacecows.com and likeadonut.com.