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## EXPERIENCE

**SPOTCO** 2007–Present*Graphic Designer*

Design and art direction of key art for Broadway theater productions as well as work for other clients in the entertainment industry. Projects include brochures, logos and merchandise. Commission and art direct illustrations. Hire and manage interns.

**FREELANCE DESIGNER** 2004–Present

Print and web design for a variety of clients including The Ford Foundation, The Unemployed Philosophers Guild and Farrar, Straus and Giroux.

**MILTON GLASER, INC.** Summer 2006*Graduate-Level Internship*

Assisted with research, design and production of various projects.

**FARRAR, STRAUS AND GIROUX** Spring and Summer 2006*Graduate-Level Internship*

Designed spines, flaps and backads, and built mechanicals for adult trade hardcovers and paperbacks.

**TIME INC. CUSTOM PUBLISHING** 2000–2005*Associate Art Director*

Designed and art directed several magazines for clients such as Merrill Lynch and Massachusetts General Hospital. Worked closely with editors to design and develop prototypes. Commissioned illustrations. Color corrected stories and approved composed proofs for press.

**MARTHA STEWART LIVING MAGAZINE** 2000*Freelance Art Production Associate*

Worked in tandem with the art department to produce the monthly magazine and special issues. Corrected layouts to adhere to style guide and maintained consistency of color and style throughout book. Prepared files for print.

**FOOD & WINE MAGAZINE** 1998–2000*Art Production Assistant*

Designed front-of-book stories. Responsible for the accuracy of all page layouts in the magazine. Made text and layout modifications. Prepared all files for print. Created new templates and style sheets.

**THE FOUNDATION CENTER** 1997–1998*Production Assistant*

Designed newsletters, brochures, catalogs, flyers and books, seeing jobs through printing and shipping. Responsible for design and maintenance of online company newsletter for intranet site.

**PRINT MAGAZINE** 1997*Editorial Intern and Office Assistant*

Researched and proofread content for magazine and website. Assisted both the edit and art departments with the Digital Art and Design Annual and Regional Design Annual. Handled phones and other office duties.

## EDUCATION

**SCHOOL OF VISUAL ARTS** 2007

## MFA in Design

**VASSAR COLLEGE** 1997

BA in Independent Program: Communication and Culture  
Graduated with honors and received distinction on thesis

Received Jane Dealy Wirsig Memorial Prize in recognition of accomplishment and promise in journalism

**HARVARD UNIVERSITY** Summer 1996

Coursework in graphic design, editing and publishing

## PUBLICATIONS

*Print, Metropolis, Design Observer, Icon, GOOD, The Design Entrepreneur, Step Inside Design, Fingerprint, SPD 41st Publication Design Annual, Metropolismag.com, Graphis New Talent Annual*

*AIGA member since 2003*