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PROFESSIONAL EXPERIENCE

Mitsziko, Freelance Housewares & Graphic Designer

(October 2006-present)

- provides graphic, surface & product design services in the graphic, tabletop, gift and home furnishings categories

University of North Texas, Fashion Department, Adjunct Professor

(August 2006-December 2007; August 2009-May 2010)

- taught hand illustration, Gerber PDS, Adobe Illustrator and Photoshop software, including areas of patternmaking, fashion figure, garment silhouette, fabric rendering and textile design

Ocean-to-Ocean, Inc., Designer

(August 2005-October 2006)

- designed and rendered new concepts, silhouettes and art for tableware, home office and children's furniture categories; created technical specifications of designs for factories; participated in product sample critiques; researched trends; worked with project managers and sourcing to complete projects

Gerber Technology, CAD Applications Specialist

(September 2004-August 2005)

- trained customers on AccuMark Pattern Design and Grading & Marking software; created and implemented class curriculum; presentation and demos of products and software use

Russell-Newman, Inc., Assistant Designer/Intern

(August 2002-August 2003)

- created patterns with digital and flat patternmaking techniques; corresponded with international mills and quality control department; created design sheets; directed sewers in making samples; created trim sheets; operated embroidery machine

EDUCATION

1999-2003

University of North Texas, Denton, TX

Bachelor of Fine Arts in Fashion Design
Minor in Fashion Merchandising

INDEPENDENT STUDY

2013-2014

Pattern Observer

Textile design e-courses in pattern repeats, designing for target market, discovering artistic style and developing coordinating collections

TECHNICAL SKILLS

Adobe CS5 & CS6

Illustrator, Photoshop and Acrobat Pro

Microsoft Office 2010 & 2013

Word, Excel, Outlook and Powerpoint

AccuMark

Pattern Design Software and Grading & Marking Software