



GARRETT RYAN

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SKILLS

Layout
Typography
Identity Development
Logo & Brand Design
Problem Solving
Adobe Photoshop
Adobe Illustrator
Adobe InDesign
Adobe GoLive
Adobe After Effects
Adobe Dreamweaver
CSS
HTML
WordPress
jQuery/PHP
Adobe Flash
Animation
Quark Xpress
Microsoft Office

EDUCATION

Northern Illinois University, DeKalb, IL | '04 - '08
Bachelor of Fine Arts in Visual Communication
Dean's List

DESIGN EXPERIENCE

Garrett Ryan Design
President | Art Director | Designer: July 2010 - Present
Focus on helping businesses streamline their branding efforts through an integrated approach. Work directly with clients to dramatically reduce costs. Design what will most effectively meet each clients' needs. Manage an agreed upon budget for each project, so there are no surprises or dramatically increased costs. Expertise and experience to personally handle all print, Web and motion design needs.

Chaney Company
Art Director: June 2008 - July 2010
Lead all Web design projects including conceptualization, development, management and site expansions. Design and manage the print process for all collateral materials including brochures, folders, flyers, billboards and direct mail pieces. Manage day-to-day account responsibilities as the primary contact for a variety of clients in the following industries: arts and entertainment, financial, food and beverage, green work, health care, non-profit, printing and imaging, real estate, recreation and telecommunications.

Fetelli Inc.
Freelancer: August 2007 - June 2008
Intern: May - August 2007
Manage day-to-day and project design work for 13 client accounts spanning a wide variety of industries including athletics, music and theater performance, business, government, manufacturing, and hospitality and spirits.

NIU Study Abroad: ASP Katowice, Poland
March 2007
Studied special problems in visual communication and poster design.

ORGANIZATIONS

AIGA: The Professional Association for Design
National Member: October 2006 - Present