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Work Experience

Apr 2008 – Today; Graphic and web designer (and Co-founder) at Creative District AB

Creative District is a creative design agency that focuses on visual communication and brand management. Since its start, we have had the privilege to work with companies including Northlift, Kiropraktisk Center, Brandon Studios, Atlet, MASystem, Länsförsäkringar, Videokonferensbolaget, Bring Dialogue, Cassels, Ocean Group, Cassels, Däckarna and a number of restaurants in Gothenburg, including Seglarkrogen in Långedrag, Que Pasa on Drottningatan and Piazza del Ferro

at Järntorget.

Sep 2007 – Mar 2008; Marketing assistant, Brightpoint Sweden AB, Gothenburg

Dangaard Telecom was acquired by Brightpoint Sweden in 2007 and the position was transferred from being a web administrator to a marketing assistant. Tasks has mainly consisted of print production, design, digital media, but also the planning and execution of events and the like.

Dec 2003 – Sep 2007; Web administrator, Dangaard Telecom, Gothenburg

Responsible for the content of three web shops (2 B2B, 1 B2C). In addition, a large amount of the responsibilities included the production of campaign materials (e-mailings, advertisements and print) in close collaboration with sales and purchasing department, but also translation jobs of user

manuals and the like.

Jul 2003; Chef, Kajskjul 8, Gothenburg

Jul 2002 – Oct 2003; Chef, Fricelli 's Pasta, Coogee beach, Sydney, Australien

Jul 2002;Chef, Vin o Pasta, GothenburgJul 2001;Chef, Brännö Värdshus, Gothenburg

Dec 1998 – Jan 2001; Chef, Pasta Etc / Pasta Grande / etcetera, Gothenburg Jan 1995 – Dec 1998; Production manager, Burger King, Järntorget Gothenburg

Freelance

Dec 2006 – Mar 2008; Freelance / Inhouse (corporate identity, print & web design), Ocean Group AB,

Gothenburg;

Production of corporate identity, brochures, advertisements and web, based on the CMS Joomla. Subsidiaries Inn of Mollösunds was included. Another, new version is under production.

Dec 2006 – Mar 2008; Freelance (corporate identity, print & web design), Projektledning inom

Mötesindustrin, KY-utbildning, Kungälv

Production of corporate identity, ads, brochures, and web, based on the CMS Joomla.

Aug 2006 – May 2008; Freelance (creative writing / storytelling), RiotMinds AB, Stockholm;

Freelance writing for RiotMinds AB (published in speltidningen 'Fenix' and in their own upcoming

products) in several projects.

Jan 2006; Freelance (corporate identity), VG21 Interior Designers, Phuket, Thailand

Production of corporate identity for an interior design company called VG21, offering high-end

interior design and luxurious furniture.

Dec 2002 – Feb 2003; Freelance / Inhouse (corporate identity & web), InDrivia AB, Gothenburg;

Freelance (corporate identity & web), Borg Ekonomi KB, Smögen

Jan 2002; Freelance / Inhouse (corporate identity & web), Nayad AB, Gothenburg;

Freelance / Inhouse (corporate identity), Boomerang Solutions AB,

Gothenburg / Berlin

Dec 1999 – Jan 2000; Various freelance work print / web, Urban Talk, Gothenburg Various freelance work print / web, X-Future AB, Gothenburg

Jan 1996 – 2002; Freelance illustrator, Neogames AB, Gothenburg

University

Jul 2002 – Jun 2003;

 $48\ credits\ Visual\ Communication,\ University\ of\ Technology,\ Sydney,\ Australia$

(graphic design, typography, layout and more)

College and other educations

Mar 2008 – Today; Leadership development and group dynamics,

Almgård Consulting, Gothenburg

Aug 2001 – Jun 2002; NTI-skolan, Desktop Publishing & Media production, Gothenburg

Sep 1995 – Mar 1996; RMI Bergh 's, Graphic form & Illustration, Gothenburg

Aug 1993 – Jun 1994; Legislative art education, Schillerska Gymnasiet, Gothenburg Aug 1991 – Jun 1993; Practical Esthetic Program, Schillerska Gymnasiet, Gothenburg

Miscellaneous

Jul 2002 – Nov 2003; Abroad, studies / work Sydney, Australia, 1½ year

Feb 1998 – Apr 1998; Abroad, backpacking in India, 1½ month

Software Languages Skills

Adobe Creative Suit; Perfect Swedish; Native Graphic design; Perfect Office and similar; Perfect English; Fluent Web design; Perfect Google Apps; Perfect French; Basic Useability (GUI); Perfect Flash; Good Storytelling; Perfect Windows / Mac OS; Native CSS; Good Typography; Perfect PHP; Beginner Copywriting; Good						
SEO; Good CMS, Wordpress; Good CMS, Joomla!; Good CMS, CMSMS; Good	Office and similar; Google Apps; Flash;	Perfect Perfect Basic	English; French; HTML; CSS;	Fluent Basic Good Good	Web design; Useability (GUI); Storytelling; Typography; Copywriting; SEO; CMS, Wordpress; CMS, Joomla!;	Perfect Perfect Perfect Good Good Good

References

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