

Anthony Brennan

web designer & illustrator

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Education

Sheridan College

2008 - 2009: Web Design Graduate Certificate

- Interactive web design, with strong focus on web marketing, interactivity, interface, layout, content and typography

1999 - 2002: Interpretive Illustration Graduate

- Creative process, editorial, advertising & book illustration, graphic design, drawing systems, painting, computer applications, freelance business and self promotion

Centennial College

1998 - 1999 Visual Arts & Design Certificate

- Creative and Practical techniques in developing 2D and 3D art & design

Skills

- Proficient in Photoshop, Illustrator, some After Effects, Flash & Dreamweaver
- Knowledgeable in HTML, AS2 & 3, CSS & XML
- Exceptional ability to organize, multi task and beat deadlines
- Adept on both PC and Mac platforms
- Works well in groups, has never missed a deadline

Work Experience

Freelance Illustration

May 2002 - present:

Editorial Clients:

- Avenue Magazine, AXM Magazine in UK, Calgary Inc., ChickaDEE, Eye Weekly, The Georgia Straight, Houston Press, Kaakaluk Magazine, Kayak Magazine, Paste Magazine, Playgirl, Up! Magazine on WestJet Airline, Viva Magazine, Zenon Environmental Corp., Sears Outdoor Magazine
- plus many more, available upon request

Book clients: Rubicon Publishing Timeline Book Series, RK Publishing, Oxford and Scholastic

Show clients: 2006 Houston Press Music Awards, 2005 Phoenix New Times Music Showcase

Awards: American Illustration 2006

Featured: 2005 & 2006 Illustration Show at BLT Speakeasy at the Gladstone Hotel in Toronto, The Octopus Project, at the Distillery District

Guest Lecture: Centennial College, 2002-2005

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Work Experience (cont'd)

Print Coordinator for Fuel Advertising (Toronto)

July - November 2004

- Printed advertising product samples for The Bay's in-store promotions
- Managed a complex time-table and production schedule

Wine Rack (Oakville)

April 2005 – May 2009

- Retail position to help supplement my income while freelancing and in school
- Utilize a positive, friendly, helpful attitude,
- Large knowledge of wines, working a POS System, take inventory, suggesting ideas that establish the Wine Rack brand in the market

Volunteer Experience

September 2001 – May 2002

President of Sheridan College Illustration Program

- Served as the head of a council, to produce a full-color, ring-bound, well-designed book to promote the graduating class, as well as securing a gallery showcase for the graduating class at SteamWhistle Brewery.

This all involved:

- Displaying leadership skills
- Fundraising projects, including producing t-shirts, calendars, and other products
- Advertising
- Obtaining proper funding
- Time management
- Responsibility delegation
- Overseeing a committee
- Managing budgets

December 2003 - present

Door Volunteer

- Regularly assist at SpeakEasy Gallery in Toronto, to help promote Toronto art & artists

References

- **Aron Slipacoff: Art Director of OwlKids Magazines & Website**
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- **Danny Christopher: Art Director of Inhabit Media**
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