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## Professional Experience

Interaction Design / Product Design Intern 5/2005 – 8/2005

*Interaction-Ivrea Projects Group for Artemide*

*Ivrea & Milan, Italy*

<http://www.interaction-ivrea.it> & <http://www.artemide.it>

Developed concepts and prototypes of next generation home lighting products for Artemide, Milan. Acquired a deeper understanding of the professional product design process as part of a multidisciplinary team including industrial and furniture designers as well as electronics specialists and educators.

Interactive Multimedia Developer 11/2000 – 8/2004

*Electronic Media Group, Center For Professional Development*

*Florida State University, Tallahassee, Florida*

<http://learningforlife.fsu.edu>

Planned and developed educational software for audiences with varying levels of computer experience. Projects consisted of tools for independent as well as collaborative learning. Collaborative learning tool projects allowed for synchronous and asynchronous interaction between participants.

Network & Information Security Intern 6/2000 – 8/2000

*Network & Information Security Department*

*Raymond James Financial, Saint Petersburg, Florida*

<http://www.rjf.com>

Developed a network security audit report system. Researched removable media based operating systems for security auditing. Assisted in the deployment of Open-BSD and Solaris servers. Gained experience working in high-security environments.

Web Designer & Developer 8/1999 – PRESENT

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Gained business management experience by acquiring and completing contract projects for agencies in New York, Chicago, and Los Angeles. Project involvement ranged from information architecture to visual design and interactive multimedia. Please refer to the online portfolio for further information.

## Teaching Experience

Design Workshop Teaching Assistant 2/2006

*Arkitektskolen Aarhus*

*Aarhus, Denmark*

<http://aarch.dk/>

Aided a student team of architects and product designers in the development and communication of a product concept in an educational context. Responsibilities included project management and electronic prototyping assistance. The seven person teaching team included designers from Italy, Sweden, India, and the United States.

## Affiliations

Macromedia Director Advisory Council & Beta Test Team 6/2003 – 6/2005

*Group of developers invited by Macromedia to help select product direction and offer feedback*

Wiring & Arduino Development Team 3/2005 – PRESENT

*Open-source physical computing platform for interaction designers*

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Education

Interaction Design Institute Ivrea  
*Ivrea, Italy*  
Masters, Interaction Design  
*Expecting to complete by 5/2006*

Florida State University  
*Tallahassee, Florida*  
Bachelor of Arts, Philosophy  
Bachelor of Science, Computer Science  
Minor studies in Mathematics and Physics  
*Completed 5/2004, Cum Laude*

Trade Skills

Language Proficiencies - C, C++, Java, Actionscript, ECMAScript  
Web Development - HTML, CSS, XSLT, XML, PHP, Javascript  
Design Software - Adobe Creative Suite, Macromedia Flash  
Embedded systems development using Atmel microcontrollers  
Most comfortable working in UNIX and Macintosh environments

Interests

Technology Product Design  
Graphical User Interfaces  
Web Applications

Portfolio

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*References available upon request*