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## STRENGTHS

Organized with a keen attention to detail  
Skilled at multi-tasking under pressure  
Strong production background  
Experienced with print and web design  
Current with design technology and trends

## EMPLOYMENT HISTORY

### **Art Director**

**July 2008 – Present**

Capitol News Agency // Chicago, IL

Working as an art director and copywriter, solely responsible for all aspects of advertising and retail signage. Advertising ranges from business to business to retail. Manage all advertising accounts and campaigns.

### **Layout Artist/Ad Designer**

**2006 – July 2008**

Gannett Healthcare Group (formerly Nursing Spectrum Publications) // Hoffman Estates, IL

Worked cooperatively with the Nursing Spectrum sales team.  
Designed ads of various sizes, commonly producing 8 – 15 ads daily.

### **Senior Production Associate**

**2003 – 2006**

Nursing Spectrum Publications // Hoffman Estates, IL

Worked simultaneously in art and production departments.  
Created large projects from inception to completion.  
Art Department: created various marketing materials and article graphics.  
Production Department: responsible for bi-weekly magazine layout.

### **Layout and Production Manager**

**2002 – 2006**

The Inside Track // Antioch, IL

Produced 24 – 28 page kart-racing trade news paper.  
Solely responsible for all aspects of design, layout, and production.  
National circulation every three weeks.

### **Design Intern**

**2001 – 2002**

Lipman Hearne // Chicago, IL

Completed multiple visual identity projects under graphic designer supervision.  
Produced brochures, magazines, and corporate designs.

## EDUCATION

**2002 B.A. Columbia College Chicago** // Chicago, IL

Interactive Multimedia, Photography Concentration