



Karen L. Pellegrin

Web - Print - Branding

WWW.KELPWORKSCREATIVE.COM

Objective:

To develop high-quality web, brand and print-based projects utilizing my graphic design and web development skills.



Education:

University of Louisiana at Lafayette: School of Architecture & Design

Interior Design Program 2004-2006

BA-Interior Design (minor: architecture) FIDER accredited

University of Louisiana at Lafayette: School of Architecture & Design

Architecture Program 2001-2004

Faculty Interior Design Award - Spring 2006

Design Merit Award - Spring 2005

Lafayette Chamber of Commerce – project renovation design winner

Dean's List: 2003-2006



Technical Skills:

Microsoft: Expression Design, Blend, Silverlight, XAML, Visual Studio 2008/2010

Adobe/Macromedia: Photoshop, Illustrator, InDesign, Fireworks, Acrobat

Quark Xpress

SketchUp

AutoDesk: Autocad & REVIT

OS Brickscad

Web: HTML, CSS, XHTML

Print: PANTONE Colors, RGB,CMYK, layout and brand standards



Experience:

07/2007 - Present: Kelpworks Creative

**Freelance Graphic Designer /Web Developer /Consultant
(Kelpworks Creative)**

Currently designing and developing web, print and brand graphics for small to mid-sized companies. Previous clients include **Columbine Design** - a local Colorado landscaping firm, **Grayson Cable** - a Texas digital cable & communications company, Jewish Mosaic - a local Denver non-profit GBLT community and Quark, Inc - the Denver local **Quark Xpress** software developer.

Examples of my work are available online at:

www.kelpworkscreative.com/gallery.aspx

8/2007 – 05/2008: Quark, Inc.
Contract Graphic Designer/ Consultant
(Kelpworks Creative)

Created over 150 eight to ten piece graphic packages with print and web collateral. Added back-end code for functionality utilizing a variety of software.

06/2006-07/2007 - In | Vironments Design
Contract Interiors Consultant

Provided SketchUp designs, space plans & consulting for residential built-ins, renovations & 3D showroom graphics. Provided SketchUp training for the staff.

02/2007-05/2007 - Studio DH Architecture
Junior Interior Designer

Worked mostly on tenant improvement projects, using BricksCad. Work included finish selections & schedules, creating finish boards & construction documents(plans, elevations, sections & schedules) for various commercial & government projects.

10/2006-01/2007 - Fentress Bradburn Architects
Junior Interior Designer

Collaborated on the Colorado State Capitol's Historic Assessment Project, worked on corporate offices and airports, created CAD drawings, wrote & submitted interior specs, designed presentation boards and kept up with vendor/client communications.

08/2006-10/2006 - Pahl Architecture
Architecture/Design Intern

Provided site graphics, cad design, red-lines & 3D/ Revit modeling for various commercial & educational projects.

02/2006-06/2006 - FDM Studio Workshop-UL Lafayette
Lead Design Intern

Collaborated on the UL Lafayette Conference Center renovation. Work included CAD & 3D modeling, transmittals, FF&E specs., construction docs., resource library management & office management.

02/2002-12/2004 - UL Lafayette- College of the Arts
Office Manager - Visual Resource Center

Assisted students and faculty with the center's technology needs, including work with the slide/media library, collaborative grant writing & the collaborative design/ development of an approved grant for the College of the Arts Library.



Associations:

AIGA – Denver Chapter (membership pending)

Indie Arsenal/ Denver Chapter

5280 Creative Connections

South Metro Denver Chamber of Commerce

