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## WORK EXPERIENCE

**Graphic designer, freelance director**, since January 2009

**Graphic department head** at Seven sept, video publisher and distributor, France, 2007-2008

Gathering and validation of key elements (iconography, texts, legal and technical informations)

Read and co-wrote briefs

Supervised marketing briefs, pitch, combined products offer

In charge of the graphic designs

Ensured graphical consistency throughout the projects (DVD menus, trailers)

Issued invoices for all the processes

Oversaw the projects follow-ups (internet promotion banners, advertisements, filing and assessment)

Managed a staff of 3 persons

**Video designer and director** at Seven sept, video publisher and distributor, France, May 2002-2006

Directed full-length animation films : Attila (90'), Thorgal entre les faux dieux (120'), Thorgal dans les griffes de Kriss (180')

Wrote and directed many DVD extras

Directed short animation films adapted from licenced creations (from authors Brétecher, Gotlib, Franquin, Wolinski, Geluck)

Processed video through editing and compositing (special effects)

**Graphic designer, freelance director**, October 2001 to April 2002

Designed posters, record covers, advertisements, business cards

Filmed concerts and plays, directed short films

**Graphic designer and project manager** at Absymedia, multimedia design, Sept. 2000 to Sept. 2001

Delivered the books of specifications in collaboration with the clients

Supervised the briefs and the production with the developpers

Created graphic design, video and flash contents

**Graphic designer and freelance author**, from March 2000 to August 2000

Created websites

Delivered graphic works (both drawn and computer-assisted) for websites, CD-roms, posters, logos

Developped show bibles for animation series

**Cartoonist and author** at Dreamcatcher, animation film studio, from September 1999 to February 2000

Took part in storyboard drawing, layouts, coloring and research (sets and characters)

Developped animation series projects (concepts and scenarios)

## COMPUTER SKILLS

**Adobe** : Photoshop, Illustrator, InDesign, Premiere, Flash, After Effects, Bridge, Acrobat

**Apple** : Final Cut, DVD Studio Pro, Quicktime pro

**Avid** : Avid Xpress editing suite, Adrenaline

**Internet** : FTP clients, notions on Dreamweaver

**Microsoft** : Word, Outlook, Powerpoint, Excel

## EDUCATION AND TRAINING

**2008** : Global Media conference : content, supply marketing and project management at INA (French National Institute of Audiovisual)

**2000** : Paris University I, Panthéon Sorbonne, 4-years French Master's Degree in Fine Arts / Multimedia

Mémoire on « Animation film : new production conditions »

**1996** : AFPS (French First Aid Certificate)

**1995** : BAFA (French Certificate for Youth Leaders and Workers)

## LANGUES

Native French, high writing skills

Working knowledge of English

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## MISCELLANEOUS EXPERIENCE

**Training counselor** for the French Embassy in Laos, from September to October 2006

Organised and counselled the students of Vientiane Fine Arts School

Achieved with them the first Laotian animated short film, titled « A new morning »

Took part in the preproduction from France since 2006, and in the production on site

**Cameraman** for Brut productions, from October to November 2005

Cameraman on the feature film « Cavaliers Faciles » by director Pascal Rabaté (DV)

**Band manager** for the french Band « Monsieur Lune », from October 2001 to May 2003

Took care of the booking and negotiated the fees

Organised tours, as well as local promotion campaign (posters, local press, showcases, radios, internet)

Handled all the tasks of « Papaluna » association, the administrative structure of the band

**Concert organiser** as president of the association « La Sauce Monte », from September 1998 to April 2002

Organised 10 concerts in Seine et Marne department (gathered 100 to 500 persons)

Produced a compilation album

**Editor** for different organisations : Tales from the B-Movies, le 18-25, Seven Sept éditions,... from 1998 to 2009

Wrote articles in fanzines, magazines, books, websites, mainly on movies and music

**Sales counselor**, for Humanoïdes Associés, publisher, every month of January, from 1998 to 2005

Participated at the Angoulême International Comics Festival as a member of the Humanoïdes Associés team

**Head, staff and sanitary assistant**, at youth holiday centers and leisure camps, from 1996 to 2004

Handled youths from age 6 to 20 through artistic or technological workshops, sports, in France and overseas.