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WORK

- ↳ **interactive telecommunications program : research assistant** **january 2006 – present** **ny, ny**
 - » 'reimagining the remote' – research project developing an internet capable remote control that encourages social behavior such as synchronous chat, asynchronous commenting and content indexing (tagging)
 - » assisting in development of Java-based remote control software for networked devices such as internet tablets and cell phones, initially interacting with a Linux-based media center pc to enable viewing of recorded and downloaded video content
- ↳ **mikey's hookup : management and technical support** **september 2001 – january 2006** **brooklyn, ny**
 - » co-managed the retail operation of Apple Authorized reseller & computer accessories store, including inventory and order management, leading to growth into two locations
 - » spearheaded transition from a single PC-based point-of-sale system to a cross-platform Filemaker Pro client-server solution
 - » as lead technician, built a thriving macintosh and pc consulting business, performing on-site and drop-off repair service for home and SOHO clients
- ↳ **replicate : design and production** **september 2002 – april 2003** **brooklyn, ny**
 - » managed high-end copy shop's migration from os 9 to os x
 - » operated and maintained Roland DGA HiFi Jet large-format inkjet printer
 - » created high-resolution, print-ready scans with Imacon FlexTight scanner
 - » designed and prepared client files for distribution to offset printers
- ↳ **nickandpaul / the way? group : freelance digital designer** **may 2000 – august 2001** **ny, ny**
 - » designed website comps and built interactive branding collateral for various clients, including winstar.com, 360merch.com, lumenos.com, sho.com, balduccis.com, sei as well as internal projects
- ↳ **grey interactive : freelance digital designer** **january 2000 – april 2000** **ny, ny**
 - » design of banner ads, email promotions and home pages for various clients, including autobytel.com, artistdirect.com, walmart.com, powerchooser.com, kraftkids.com
- ↳ **allstar news magazine / cdnow.com : technical producer** **june 1999 – january 2000** **ny, ny**
 - » published breaking stories for daily music news site
 - » scanned, retouched, and manipulated photos to create images for each news story
 - » combined Photoshop, HTML, and online tools to post and produce each day's news stories
- ↳ **other work : freelance design & web development** **ongoing**
 - » web and print design clients include Blue Shoe Strategy [blueshoe.net], 98pt6 [98pt6.com], Atlantic Theater Company Acting School, Clubbed Thumb, and others
 - » internet garage - design of brand, logo and sign for williamsburg, brooklyn-based internet cafe
 - » mikey's hookup - [mikeyshookup.com] - designed logo and brand identity, website and various ongoing advertisements and collateral
 - » hurricane hopeful - logo, sign and t-shirt design. » uncleleron.com - site design and digital video
 - » drlyndaklau.com - site design, coding, flash animation » rupertholmes.com - original site design, coding
 - » designed dozens of postcards & posters for off & off-off broadway theater companies

EDUCATION

- ↳ **m.p.s. candidate : itp, nyu / tisch school of the arts** **2005–present** **ny, ny**
 - » interactive telecommunications program current first-year student. recent projects include:
 - » **moPod** – team created a wearable speaker and remote control for the iPod. responsible for electronics design, hardware hacking [mymopod.com]
 - » **Found Connections** – team created an augmented reality installation exploring social dynamics from the TV show 'Lost' broke down character relationships into an interactive database, designed installation materials [4lostguys.com]
- ↳ **b.f.a. – acting : nyu / tisch school of the arts** **1995-1998** **ny, ny**
 - » Graduated with Honors
 - » Conservatory training at Atlantic Theater Company, Experimental Theatre Wing
 - » additional training in Computer Art, Web Design, Electronic Performance

TOOLS

- » **design** : Adobe Photoshop, Illustrator, ImageReady, LiveMotion, Flash, QuarkXpress, Filemaker Pro
- » **interactive** : HTML, CSS, Flash, ActionScript, JavaScript, basic PHP, Java, Dreamweaver, GoLive, FTP, SSH
- » **video** : FinalCut Pro, Premiere, DVD Studio Pro » **basics** : MS Office, WordPerfect
- » **audio** : Logic, Soundtrack Pro, GarageBand » **platforms** : MacOS 9 - 10.4, Windows 95 – XP