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## EDUCATION

### **Brown University, B.A. Modern Culture & Media and Literary Arts (departmental honors), *magna cum laude* ..... Providence, RI, 2014**

- Relevant coursework: Digital media theory & production, creative writing, computer science, data visualization, literature, literary theory, book arts, art history, curating
- Awards: Weston Senior Prize, Brown University Literary Arts, Edwin Honig Memorial Award, Brown University Literary Arts

## CREATIVE ENTREPRENEURSHIP & DESIGN EXPERIENCE

### **Middle Dune, Owner & Designer ..... Somerville, MA, 2014 - present**

- Design original art, product specifications, and create printing assets such as plates, blocks, and screens for production
- Handcraft letterpress and screen printed paper goods, prints, and hand bound books
- Perform administrative business operations including finances, pricing, inventory, marketing, and website maintenance
- Manage sales to consignment and wholesale accounts, Middle Dune's online Etsy shop, and craft shows

### **Stephanie Cave Design Studio, Studio Assistant ..... Boston, MA, 2014 - present**

- Work with clients to design custom home interior projects to their specifications and price out custom project estimates
- Assist in the production of custom and ready made home interior projects including design, sewing, and installation
- Perform administrative tasks including website and Etsy shop maintenance, invoicing, inventory, and general studio upkeep

## EDITORIAL EXPERIENCE

### **Wiley, Editorial Intern, Social Science and Humanities Journals ..... Boston, MA, Summer 2014**

- Provide editorial support including journal financials, subscriptions, and periodic reports
- Assist with analytics for individual journals including bibliometrics and publishing trends
- Research society and journal acquisitions and partnerships

### **The Round Magazine, Managing Editor, Webmaster..... Brown University, Providence, RI, 2010 - 2014**

- Selected and edit literary and visual art for publication in biannual journal
- Assisted with design, implementation, and proofing of magazine layout
- Organized writing workshops and readings in both the Brown and local communities

## NEW MEDIA ARTS & ADMINISTRATION EXPERIENCE

### **Museum of Fine Arts, Gallery Technology Intern, Information Technology..... Boston, MA, Summer 2013**

- Performed daily maintenance of computers and A/V equipment for digital art, educational displays, and iPod Touch visitor guides
- Assisted with installation of new media artworks and digital devices in gallery spaces
- Researched upgrades for educational technology including touch screens and mobile applications

### **Electronic Literature Organization, Intern ..... Massachusetts Institute of Technology, Cambridge, MA, Summer 2013**

- Updated textual and graphic website content
- Maintained CRM membership database and participated in online membership drive
- Performed daily office tasks including HTML email templating and maintaining inventory of digital art and games

### **Brown University Women Writers Project, Publicity & Outreach Coordinator..... Providence, RI, 2011-2014**

- Prepared online publications through XML and TEI encoding, layout and design, and image manipulation
- Assisted in maintaining and expanding databases and image collections for online publications
- Managed social media and create publicity materials including web and video content

## TEACHING EXPERIENCE

- Bound & Stitched: Saddle Stitch Binding, Craftwork Somerville, Somerville, MA, 2016
- Hand Bound Bookmaking, HausWitch Home + Healing, Salem, MA, 2016
- Group & Private Sewing Lessons, Stephanie Cave Design Studios, 2014 - present
- Teaching Assistant, "Art in Digital Culture," Brown University, Providence, RI, 2013

## PUBLICATIONS & INSTALLATIONS

- "Direction," featured at "Visualization and Creativity in Immersive 3D Environments" conference, Brown University, May 2015
- "Sexual Interfaces," *Bluestockings Magazine*, Spring 2014.
- "Pull," *Flying Object*, Winter 2014.
- "Celebration," "Parentage," and "Phantasm," *Clerestory Journal of the Arts*, Brown University, Fall 2012.
- "Mapping," featured in the Electronic Literature Exhibit, Modern Language Association Convention, Seattle, WA, January, 2012.

## SKILLS

- Software: Adobe Creative Suite, Final Cut, Microsoft Office Suite, Filemaker Pro, CRM & CMS Software, Qualtrics, Point of Sale
- Programming: Java, Python, Processing, JavaScript, PHP, HTML, XML, CSS, web hosting platforms including Squarespace & Wordpress,
- Equipment: Letterpress, screen printing, digital cameras & video cameras, lights, scanners, digital printers, digital projectors