



PROFESSIONAL ARTIST

Stephen Hecker

OBJECTIVE

To leverage my creativity and teaching skills in the classroom to provide a visually and compelling environment for students.

EXPERIENCE

TATTOO ARTIST

Captain Tattoos Art Studio | Temecula, CA | 2018-Current

Applying all aspects of art within the medium of tattooing and teaching the necessary skills to other artists and apprentices. Multi-Award-Winning Artist and Pro-team status with several brands in the industry.

C.E.O. / GRAPHIC DESIGNER

High Tyde Ink & Imaging | Perris, CA | 2011-Current

Communicating and facilitating graphic projects for clients to enhance their market presence. Executing all aspects of art between web design, graphic design and branding, character and game design.

WORKSHOP SPEAKER

Whatthehecker88 | Temecula, CA | 2023-Current

Teaching/Sharing artistic knowledge to help other artists experience new and innovative techniques to apply to their own work to help advance their artistic skills. Such mediums would consist of tattoos, digital graphics, painting and printing.

CONTACT

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EDUCATION

BELLEVUE UNIVERSITY

Bachelor of Arts in Graphic Design

MT. SAN JACINTO COMMUNITY

Associates of Arts in Art / Visual Communication

SKILLS

Design Software



Visual Communication



Art Technique



Class Facilitation



Time Management



PREVIOUS CLIENTELE

2 DUCKS AND A PENGUIN 2020-2022

Graphic Designer, Advertisement & Screen Printing

NAMERZ 2020

Screen Printing

HECKER CUSTOM WORKS 2016-2020

Graphic Designer & Advertisement

9 MIL STUDIOS 2019

Graphic Designer & Screen Printing

IRON HORSE SECURITY 2017

Logo Designer

TEDDY KNIGHT 2016-2017

Game Designer, Character Designer & Typography

THE AWAKENED – BEGINNINGS 2014-2016

Story Board Artist, Typography

INCENDO SPIRITS, LLC. 2014-2016

Logo Designer, Graphic Designer, Advertisement

HOGMASTER 2014-2016

Logo Designer, Graphic Designer, Advertisement

VIRTUAL WRITING SERVICES 2016

Logo Designer

FIDELITY MORTGAGE SOLUTIONS 2015

Graphic Designer

PRESTIGE IRON 2015

Logo Designer & Graphic Designer

LEE ANN BRADSHAW 2012-2014

Story Book Artist

A&S AD SPECIALTIES 2004-2008

Logo Designer & Graphic Designer

ACTION IMAGING 2003-2004

Logo Designer & Graphic Designer

Experience (Continued)

TECHNICAL LIASON

NTT Data/Desert Regional Med. | Palm Springs, CA | 2016-2020

Instructing and assisting physicians with new applications and software. Weekly class seminars providing instruction to nurses, doctors, and medical assistants with facilities' applications. Classes ranging from 15-40 personnel weekly.

GAME DESIGNER & TYPOGRAPHER

Teddy Knight | Beaumont, CA | 2016-2017

Assisting with video game character design. Delivered team instruction on the conceptual layouts of still pictures for the game, including the loading and save screens, and the Main menu. Created the aura of typography for the game.

PRINT FACILITY MANAGER

Office Depot | Castle Rock, CO | 2014-2016

Responsible for the operations and day to day work routines for the facility. Communicated and facilitated print projects daily for the surrounding Office Depot stores. Teaching other employees the necessary procedures and software to operate in-store print departments.

GRAPHIC DESIGNER / SCREEEN PRINTER

A&S Ad Specialties | Whitter, CA | 2003-2008

Day to day graphic design and file formatting of images and documents for print projects. Communicated and interacted with clientele to expand the business. Assisted staff with print projects, including but not limited to, Screen printing of apparel and bags, business cards, letterheads, logo design, and branding, etc.