

JOE BRO }

Education

University of Arizona, Tucson, AZ- Fall 2007- Summer 2010

GPA: 3.92 (Graduated Summa Cum Laude)

Bachelor of Arts:

Visual Communications with focus in illustration and design

Pima Community College, Tucson, AZ- Fall 2003- Spring 2007

GPA: 3.72

Associate of Applied Science:

Communication Graphics In Graphic Design and Illustration

Experience

Freelance Graphic Designer, Illustrator and Artist, JoeBroDesign, 2005-Present

Preceptor and Mentor, University of Arizona, 2009-2010

AIGA and preceptorship mentor to incoming students applying to the VisCom program; created a lesson plan and led students in direction and execution of an illustration based project. For this participation, I was given an outstanding senior award by faculty.

Intern, local artist, Merlin Cohen, stone sculptor, 2007-2010

Learned the processes and stages of 3D sculpture in various stone types. This included installations and the business aspects of an independent artist.

Project Leader and Photographer, Pima Community College, 2004-2005

Led a group of designers in an ad campaign for the Arizona Hemophilic Association, AHA. Took photos that were used in the campaign and were sent to the National Hemophilic Association for consideration for national use.

Skills

Mac & Windows based computers, Adobe CS4: Adobe InDesign, Photoshop, Illustrator, After Effects, iMovieHD, ArtRage 2, graphic design and layout, use of common office machines, computer use and maintenance, oil paint, watercolor, encaustic painting, lithography, screen printing, stone and clay sculpting, conflict resolution and creative thinking, worked with the physically handicapped, studied two years of Spanish and sign language.

Publications and Exhibitions

Awesomenaut Art Show, 2010

Showed art from Awesomenaut & made art inspired by the publishers: Modern Mythology Press

Awesomenaut,, 2010

inked over 50 pages for the comic

Juice Box Illustration Exhibition,

Lulubell Toy Bodega, Tucson, AZ, May 2010

Persona Magazine, 2010,

full page illustration

VisCom Juried Show, 2008, 2009, 2010,

Lionel Rombach Gallery, University of Arizona; 2009 won a Silver award in Book Design and Juror's Pick award.

BFA Show, 2010,

University of Arizona Student Union Gallery, Tucson, AZ

ADDY Awards, 2006,

Won a gold and bronze ADDY award at the local level, a Silver at the regional level, and competed nationally.