

Creative individual seeking a challenging drafting & design position within an established firm.

Education

The Art Institute of Houston - Associate in Computer Aided Drafting And Design

Recipient of multiple Merit Awards. Maintained a 3.9 GPA and was on the Dean's honor roll throughout school. Graduated with honors. Studied manual drafting, illustration, and AutoCAD.

Please view my portfolio at http://JasonCFry.com/Portfolio/

Drafting & Illustration

Two Hills Studio - Associate Designer

Austin, TX (February 2018 - Current)

- Design custom lighting solutions & decorative metal works.
- Coordinate with the fabrication studio to ensure quality and correctness of work.
- Interact with clients to translate their designs into a finalized product.

Butler Manufacturing - Drafter & Engineering Technician

San Marcos, TX (August 2003 - August 2004)

- Worked in a team environment with engineers, technicians, builders and project managers to create preengineered metal frame buildings. Used geometry and trigonometry to construct the buildings in math.
- Found and corrected errors before build specifications were sent to the plant for fabrication. Schedules were followed to meet deadlines, including overtime when needed.
- Used VAX systems, Oracle applications, custom software, AutoCAD, and web based applications to complete jobs.

Frank Lam & Associates - Drafter

Austin, TX (February 2003 - June 2003)

- Collaborated with engineers to formalize ideas and create construction documents. Specialized in foundation and framing drawings, along with detail and site work.
- Projects included buildings at University of Texas In Austin, parking garages, small bridges, and schools in Lockhart County.
- Redlined drawings, maintained project drawings, and updated studio standards. Interacted with contractors, vendors and other industry professionals on and off site.

Heights Venture Architects - Drafter & Illustrator

Houston, TX (October 2000 - November 2001)

- Interpreted the architects ideas and created construction documents for major grocery retailers.
- Construction documents included site, floor, electrical, exterior elevations, building sections, wall sections, schedules and details.
- Specialized in creating exterior elevation color illustrations for customer presentations.
- Performed on-site visits at HEB's, Randalls, Krogers. Collaborated with structural engineers.

Patton Brooks (AIA) - Drafter & Illustrator

Houston, TX (Mar 2000 - October 2000)

- Was the sole drafter for Patton Brooks. We specialized in creating one of a kind homes for unique clients. Took rough sketches and created construction documents. Many times these sketches were on napkins.
- Created color renderings/elevations of various projects for customers.
- While not working on new projects I took existing sets of manually drawn CD's and created them in autoCAD.
- Other duties included redlining drawings, maintenance of project drawings, and creating studio standards.

Software Developer

Tenfold - Front End Developer

Front End Developer - (October 2017 - January 2018)

Tenfold creates CRM / phone system integration solutions. My experience working with large and small customers was a valuable addition to the demo team. Used EmberJS, VueJS, and nodeJS we built custom solutions for product demonstrations. During that time I also worked on maintenance and future proofing tasks.

Q2 Ebanking - Front End Developer

Austin, TX (July 2012 - February 2017)

- Quickly became a team lead and a subject matter expert. Worked with designers, marketing and project managers to brand the product correctly.
- Consulted on a replacement of a legacy CMS product that needed to be phased out. Scoped out the requirements, design, and support metrics. Installed and customized the PHP back end. Worked with designers and marketing to ensure the product was being presented properly.
- Specialized in heavy customization of the online banking product for tier one customers. Built new functionality into the product per the customers spec. Existing features were also modified or removed. Redesigned the look and layout of the application. Coordinated with product owners and designers.

1836 Creative - Freelance Developer

San Marcos, TX (January 2011 - July 2012)

- Collaborated on multiple projects for customers in the central Texas area. Developed websites for various customers, including administrative functionality.
- Developed a system that allowed us to quickly turn out "business card" websites for students. Included a reasonable pricing structure with simple add-ons to allow the students to customize per their needs. Sites were hosted by us and sold as a turn-key solution.

Kulabyte - Developer / Hardware R&D

San Marcos, TX (November 2006 - December 2010)

- Developed the Flash player architecture used for live streaming video. Worked with multiple content delivery network providers to ensure proper video playback.
- Designed custom turn-key video encoders, moved into full-scale production with a third-party vendor.
- Traveled frequently for Kulabyte. My extensive product knowledge made me a valuable asset for customer installs, consultations, trade shows and more. Worked with NBC Universal, Adobe, On2, and MySpace. Flew to MySpaces server farm in California, took a live satellite feed of Operation MySpace and streamed it through MySpaces CDN, resulting in the first ever live HD video to be streamed online.