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Experience

Creator, Peoplescape, 2009

Documented a new person everyday for a year and will share the results in the form of an exhibition June 13th 2009 at Flatfile Gallery along with a book that is in the works. Peoplescape365.com

Associate Director, Chicago Portfolio School, 2007-present

Managing the day-to-day operations of the school including hiring instructors, over seeing the curriculum, teaching classes, coordinating job placement of graduates and interviewing prospective students.

Art Director, Young & Rubicam, 2002-2007

Thinking strategically to achieve client objective, developing creative solutions and then executing the ideas across multiple mediums.

Set Designer, Saturday Night Rewritten, 2005

Volunteered weekly on the sketch comedy show and collaborated with the writers and actors to create props and sets. The environment was fast-paced as each show was created from scratch within 7 hours.

Results

NPR interview for The Story with Dick Gordon (Peoplescape)
2nd place on TBS Funniest Commercials of 2005 (Dr Pepper)
Adweek Top 10 commercials of 2005 (Dr Pepper)
Multiple parodies on Youtube.com (Dr Pepper)
Featured story on NY1 for anti speeding campaign (Transportation Alternative)
Cannes Short List 2004 (Computer Associates)
New York Festivals Gold 2004 (Computer Associates)

Education

Miami Ad School 2001

Art Direction Graduate

The School of the Art Institute of Chicago 1998

BFA, concentration in ceramic sculpture and teaching certificate K-12