



## David Allen | graphics resume

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### Education Background

- *Goddard College*, Plainfield, VT. 2004 - 2007, earned MFA in Interdisciplinary Arts, February 2007
- *University of Maine, Orono* 1996 – 2000, earned B.A. in Studio Art, Spring 2000, *Cum Laude*

### Employment History

- *Custom Museum Publishing and Maine Authors Publishing, Thomaston, ME. April 2007–2017* Art Director
- *Freelance Graphic Designer, 2007–present* Services a diverse clientele operating from a home office
- *Maine Media Workshops, Rockport, ME. 2008–2010* Instructor, *Graphics courses offered*
- *2008 CREST Institute, SERC, Schoodic, ME July 2008* Graphic Arts Guest Speaker & Photoshop Instructor
- *Thomas College, Waterville, ME. August 2007–June 2008* Adjunct Professor, *Graphic Design & Multimedia*
- *Shoestring Creative Group, Gardiner, ME. March–July 2007* Creative Services Coordinator
- *Pica Design, Belfast, ME. Summer 2006* Freelance Graphic Designer
- *County Copy Center, Belfast, ME. Fall 2003–2007* Graphic Designer & Large Format Specialist

### Specialized Skills

- **Graphic Design — 12+ years experience:** Proficient in Adobe CS6 - InDesign, Photoshop and Illustrator
  - Adept at custom design/illustration for various marketing materials and multi-page publications.
  - Experience in logo branding and identity development, as well as brand interpretation.
  - A competent and efficient designer, familiar with deadline management and fulfillment.
- **Customer Service & Job Management — 10+ years experience:** exceptional communication skills and service background within the design/print industry. Has assumed leadership roles.
- **Marketing and PR — 8 years experience:** previous experience demanded team collaboration for identity development, building of customer base, and company advancement. Skilled in print and digital marketing.
- **Video Editing & Web-based Applications — 4 years experience:** iMovie, Final Cut, Dreamweaver (HTML, CSS)
  - Experience in the creation of short videos and presentations
  - Experience developing content for the web, and the management of template-driven sites, Wordpress
- **Fine Arts & Education Background —** Illustration, Painting, & Sculpture, fine aesthetic sensibility.
- **Tech Savvy —** familiarity with computer and printer networks, trouble shooting and Plan B.

### Most Recent Exhibitions

- *FLOW and Bearing the Light, Fort Knox, May/June 2017* Collaborative Art Installation
- *Resisting Entropy III, CMCA, 2015* Collaborative Art Installation
- *Pecha Kucha, Camden Opera House, 2015* Solo presentation of artistic works: [vimeo.com/146074510](http://vimeo.com/146074510)
- *Turning in Your Hand: Blue Marble Project, Waterfall Arts 2014* Group exhibition

### References

- Amy Files** | *Graphic Designer* — *Maine Authors Publishing, Thomaston, ME* 207.200.5151  
**Susan Smith** | *Adjunct Professor of Intermedia* — *University of Maine, Orono, ME* 207.343.1117  
**Alan Crichton** | *Founder, Board President* — *Waterfall Arts, Montville and Belfast, ME* 207.322.3418