

Mark Waters

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SKILLS

Proficient in the following: Photoshop, Illustrator, Flash, Dreamweaver, After Effects, Final Cut Pro X, Motion, sound design, HTML, CSS, Action Script 3.0 and Web design.

EMPLOYMENT

June 2014 - present
Graphic Designer
Precision Graphics
Tempe, Arizona

Create custom artwork and designs designated for screen printing, embroidery and digital printing on various types of apparel. Artwork is also printed on banners, decals and other promotional products.

July 2009 - present
**Freelance Multimedia
Producer**
Mark Waters Multimedia
Mesa, Arizona
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- **PetSmart SSG:** As a Multimedia Designer, I provided visual content for projects developed by the Instructional Designers in the Learning and Development department at PetSmart headquarters in north Phoenix. The materials I created included illustrations, animations, videos, interactive graphics to bring an eLearning experience to associates in stores, distribution centers and corporate offices across the United States, Canada and Puerto Rico.
- **The Arizona Republic:** Created informational graphics for print and interactive graphics for their digital magazine for the iPad, AZ Today, using Adobe InDesign's Digital Publishing Suite.
- **TVTrip.com:** Shot video for travel Web site (<http://www.tvtrip.com/tucson-hotels/best-western-royal-sun-inn-and-suites>).
- **Gold Canyon Arts Council:** Designed a series of posters that were used to raise funds for the organization.
- **Paul and Amie Alvarado:** Designed invitations and animated slideshows for their wedding.

April 1997 - July 2009
Senior Artist/Designer
The Arizona Republic
(Circ. 500,000)
Phoenix, Arizona
www.azcentral.com

Responsible for generating informational graphics, illustrations, maps and charts using Illustrator, Photoshop and FreeHand. Used Flash, CSS, HTML and Lightwave to create interactive projects for the newspaper's Web site.

In February, 2008, completed Gannett-sponsored *Video Convergence Training*, receiving videography training for online reporting. Acquired skill in Avid, Final Cut Pro; proficiency with After Effects and Motion. Videos can be viewed at:

<http://www.markwaters.net/videos/VideoPlaylist.html>

AWARDS

Recognized by various news organizations multiple years for outstanding graphic and design work including the Arizona Press Club and Best of the West.

TRAINING

Trained in LightWave 3-D by the Society of News Design and Video Convergence by the Gannett Company.

EDUCATION

Bachelor's degree, University of La Verne, La Verne, California. Major in Communications and minor in Art.