

# Kevin Murphy

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**Summary** Focused Graphic Designer with five years of experience in a variety of disciplines including advertising, branding, publications, layout, packaging, point of sale, print production, and pitching new business; as well as some illustration, photography, and web design experience. A hard working, deadline driven, positive people person, who seeks full time position in a creative setting with room for growth, excellent art direction and opportunities to produce award-winning work.

**Experience** July 2009 - August 2011: Education Volunteer (Information Technology)  
United States Peace Corps, South Africa

- Managed projects with a variety of stakeholders including US Peace Corps, PEPFAR, and South African Department of Education
- Maintained and repaired variety of computers, oversaw computer education of educators and community members
- Designed logotypes, posters and other collateral for various charities and NGOs

September 2007 - July 2009: Graphic Designer  
Creative Center, Wilsonville, Oregon

- Performed wide variety of design functions, including event and logo design, identity and brand development, and production of monthly trade magazine
- Maintained frequent communication with clientele and service providers, including client proofing meetings, billing, and print management
- Integrated self into tightly-knit design and management team

March 2006 - September 2007: Production Designer  
R/WEST, Portland, Oregon

- Communicated with production manager, art director, and executives to ensure client expectations were met and exceeded
- Managed projects simultaneously in a fast-paced, multi-priority environment
- Produced wide variety of pieces such as posters, billboards, advertisements, web banners, point of sale items, folders, and sales kits

**Education** September 2000- July 2005: Oregon State University, BFA Graphic Design

**Skill Set** Proficient with various graphic and multimedia software, including Adobe Photoshop, InDesign, Illustrator, Flash, and Dreamweaver, as well as much of MicroSoft Office. Skilled in photography and illustration. I also possess exemplary interpersonal communication, writing, and conflict resolution abilities.