





CATHERINE T. NGUYEN . GRAPHIC & INTERACTION DESIGN

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EDUCATION

2005–2007 MFA in Studio, Visual Communication Department
2004–2005 Post-Baccalaureate Certificate in Studio, Visual Communication Department
School of the Art Institute of Chicago . Chicago, IL
1996–2000 BS in Computer Science with Minor in Communication Design
Carnegie Mellon University . Pittsburgh, PA

SKILLS

design: researching, conceiving, layout, illustration, copywriting and editing, print and interactive design, packaging and retail graphics
software: Adobe Photoshop, Illustrator, InDesign, Fireworks, and Flash
programming: Java, HTML, CSS
photography: studio, architectural, and documentary photography, black & white and color film shooting, processing, and printing, digital photography and retouching

EMPLOYMENT

2008 August–present Designer
VSA Partners . Chicago, IL

- *website design, clients including BP, Caterpillar, First Data Corporation, GE, IBM, PepsiCo, Procter & Gamble, Sappi Fine Paper North America*

2008 April–July Designer
Sender LLC . Chicago, IL

- *website & interface design, clients including Shure Incorporated, apartments.com*

2006–2008 Senior Designer
Vosges Haut-Chocolat . Chicago, IL

- *packaging development and design*
- *catalog, book, promotional, and direct-mail design*
- *retail and web graphics, interaction design*
- *press checks and photography shoots*

2005–2007 Teaching Assistant and Instructor
School of the Art Institute of Chicago . Chicago, IL

- *Instructor for Type Technologies Lab (InDesign instruction)*
- *Teaching Assistant in Intermediate Typography, Computer as a Motion Tool*
- *Led classes in Intermediate Typography, Intermediate Graphic Design, and Computer as a Motion Tool*

1996–2004 Java Software Developer and Graphical User Interface (GUI) Designer (2000–2004)
Analytic Aide (1996–2000)
National Security Agency . Ft. Meade, MD

(references available upon request)