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## Education

Northern Illinois University  
Bachelor of Arts in English, December 1996

## Recent Employment History

**\* Senior Digital Product Editor, Chicago Tribune**

**October 2009 – Present**

Currently working in the digital department of Chicago Tribune focusing on various design and production projects, from site redesigns to special section development.

**Senior Interactive Product Designer, Chicago Tribune Interactive May 2000 - October 2009**

Held the position of lead designer for metromix.com, chicagosports.com, and chicagotribune.com during this time. Worked on entire site redesigns and continual evolution of site appearance and functionality.

**Ad creator, Chicago Tribune**

**July 1997 - May 2000**

Began my Tribune career in the online advertising department creating display ads and microsites for various chicagotribune.com, metromix.com and chicagosports.com advertising clients.

**\* Freelance Web Page Development/Editing, Various Clients.**

**January 1997 - July 1997.**

Held Temporary/Contract/Freelance positions mainly consisting of basic HTML editing, page updates and site proofing. Projects included in production of Ameritech's 1997 online annual report and producing sections for Landis & Stefa's corporate Intranet.

**\* Web Page Producer, Northern Illinois University Social Research Department.**

**September, 1996 - November 1996.**

One-semester internship as web page producer for the campus Social Science Research Institute.

## Toolbox

Adobe Photoshop, Adobe Illustrator, Flash, Proficient in CSS, HTML, JavaScript.  
CMS background: Movable Type, TypePad, WordPress, Tribune proprietary CMS (Oxygen)

## References

Available upon request.

## tribune interactive editorial

2000 - present: Design lead for Chicago Tribune Interactive editorial products for news, sports, and entertainment.

chicagotribune.com

chicagosports.com

metromix.com

Bears Today

When Evil Struck America

9/11 Anniversary CD-ROM

## side projects

Albany Park Theater Project

aptp.org

2002 to 2005: I donated my time to create and maintain the web site for this amazing youth theater group.

## closed tribads microsites

1997 - 1999: These sites were created for Chicago Tribune Interactive advertisers.

Thyme

Eli's Place for Steak

Carlucci

Cabaret

Nuveen

Eddie Z's

Cubby Bear

Millennium

Poplar Creek Golf

Rhumba

Coco Pazzo Cafe

Northside

Woodfield Mall

Murphys Bleachers

Bice

GoodYear Tires

Timothy O'Tooles

Wall Street Deli