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## Summary

- Dedicated worker who can design and follow through from concept to production.
- Excellent in presentation and illustration.
- Educated at **Indiana University, BS Apparel Merchandising, Certificate in Fashion Design, Minor in Business from the Kelley School of Business 2008.**

## Work Experience

### **Jillian Lewis- Assistant Designer**

*September 2008- February 2009*

*New York, NY*

- Produced samples for fall 2009, inspiration to presentation for Fashion Week 2009
- Suggested alternative styling, and consulted on fitting sessions.
- Drafted patterns, draped muslin, cut samples, hand stitched for fall 2008, spring 2009, and fall 2009 lines.
- Attended showroom meetings, trunk shows, fabric meetings and fittings.
- Planned and constructed costumes for "Works and Process" ballet at the Guggenheim museum.
- Sourced fabrics and materials for sportswear, outerwear and coats.
- Assisted with private client orders which included sourcing materials, creating concepts, and constructing the garments.

### **Dick's Sporting Goods- Intern**

*May 2007- August 2007*

*Pittsburgh, PA*

- Organized and set-up displays for presentation to senior management and merchandisers.
- Led women's protective layering program for Dick's Sporting Goods private brand, Nike ACG.
- Researched and presented projects on organic cotton, UPF, woven shirts and seamless tags.
- Collaborated with the merchandisers, technical and apparel designers, vendors, finance and marketing departments.

### **Nordstrom- Beauty Advisor in Cosmetics; Sales Associate in Children's Shoes**

*June 2008- August 2008*

*June 2006- January 2007*

*Indianapolis, IN*

- Catered to each customers want and specific look.
- Created interesting visual displays using a variety of department merchandise.
- Interacted with customers to familiarize them with the merchandise.
- Completed customer transactions at the register including opening and closing cash operations.
- Consistently achieved daily sales goals.

## Recognitions

- Bill Blass Fashion Illustration Award 2008
- Roundtable 2008

- YMA Scholarship 2007
- Alpha Lambda Delta; Phi Eta Sigma
- New York field seminar; American Eagle field seminar

## **Industry Exposure**

- Assisted at the Vera Wang bridal show Chicago sponsored by Belle Vie and CS Brides.
- Stylist intern for the Visual Therapy photo shoot.
- Hair and make-up for AMO fashion show.
- Dresser for Jillian Lewis at the Project Runway season finale show for New York Fashion Week.
- Dresser for various fashion shows at the Merchandising Mart in Chicago (StyleMax 2008 and 2009; Bridal Market Chicago), and New York Fashion Week.
- Runner for the Nordstrom Designer Preview Fashion Show.