

# James T. Howard

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**OBJECTIVE** To obtain a position in graphic design, web design and development, or advertising

**PROFILE**

- Five years of experience in graphic and web design
- Experience working with projects throughout the design and development cycle
- Self starter with ability to work independently or in a team environment
- Solid knowledge of designing for print and the web
- Ability to produce artwork effectively under time constraints
- 4A's Multicultural Advertising Intern Program (MAIP) participant 2008

**EDUCATION** North Carolina A&T State University, Greensboro, NC  
**MSIT, Industrial Technology (Graphic Communication Systems), May 2011, GPA: 4.0**

North Carolina A&T State University, Greensboro, NC  
**B.S, Graphic Communication Systems (Printing and Publishing), May 2009, GPA: 4.0**

**EXPERIENCE**

Trone, Inc. High Point, NC  
**Studio Intern** January 2011 – Present  
Assist Art Directors in design process from concept to development; including layouts, updating font/ clip art libraries, product design, and any other requested marketing materials; reproduce graphics and prepare electronic files to be delivered for production; retouch photos and images using Adobe Photoshop and other image editing software; format document layouts using graphic and desktop publishing software.

**Account Planning Intern** September 2010 – December 2010  
Collaborated with creative and account managers to develop a strategy for connections planning; utilized variety of market and research data to monitor cultural and social trends and their impact on consumers' attitudes, behavior and perceptions; researched the product or service to be advertised.

Howard-Designs Atlanta, GA  
**Freelance Web Designer/ Graphic Designer** July 2006 – Present  
Work with clients to develop and design websites and graphic design materials; designed website and logo for minor league baseball player, CJ Beatty, [www.cjbeatty.com](http://www.cjbeatty.com); designed a Christmas card that was used by the Chancellor to be delivered to his constituents. Designed a corrugated recruiting package for the School of Technology incorporating several different printing processes.

North Carolina A&T State University Greensboro, NC  
**Graduate Teaching Assistant** August 2009 – Present  
Teach students about the different printing processes and how to design for print; lead discussion sections, tutorials, and laboratory sections; evaluate and graded examinations, assignments, and papers, and record grades; demonstrate use of laboratory equipment, and enforced laboratory rules.

**Honors Program Webmaster/Designer** September 2006 – Present  
Maintain and update the website for the program; design flyers, t-shirts, newsletters, and logos for various events associated with the program.

Bromley Communications San Antonio, TX  
**Digital/Interactive Technologies Intern** June 2008 – August 2008  
Worked with the Senior Art Directors in the development of digital/interactive projects for various clients; designed corporate internal assets for new business pitches and existing clients; developed and modified storyboards and graphics for proposals and presentations; assisted with the production of a sales video commercial for the city of San Antonio; assisted in the conception, design and execution of innovative visual materials for print/broadcast advertising and collateral uses.

**COMPUTER  
SKILLS**

Proficient in Mac and PC platforms, Adobe Creative Suite 5 (Dreamweaver, Photoshop, Illustrator, Flash, Premiere, InDesign), Adobe Acrobat, CSS, HTML, XML, JQuery, JavaScript, WordPress, Magento, Artios CAD, AutoCAD, Quark Express, Microsoft Office (Word, Excel, Power Point)

**HONORS**

Summa Cum Laude, Epsilon Pi Tau, Phi Kappa Phi, Alpha Kappa Mu, Alpha Chi, Male Academic Athlete of the Year (2007-2008, 2008-2009), AAAA Multicultural Advertising Intern Program Participant (2008), Honors Program, Alpha Lambda Delta (Web Master 2006-2007), Alpha Lambda Delta Lampadia Chapter Website Award, Tom Joyner Scholar, Dean's List, North Carolina A&T Scholar Athlete, Mid-Eastern Athletic Conference All Academic Team, School of Technology Outstanding Student Award

**ACTIVITIES**

NCA&T Baseball (Team Captain 2010), Technical Association of the Graphic Arts (President), International Graphic Arts Education Association (IGAEA), Student-Athlete Advisory Committee (SAAC), Peer Advising Leader (PAL)

**References available upon request**