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Education

Bachelor's degree, major in Department of Clothing and Textiles

Chungnam National University (Korea), *Mar. 2014 – Feb. 2018*

Work Experience

keywords: Up-cycling, 3D virtual fashion designing, and Technical design for fashion

Up-cycling Product Designer

Hi-cycle Social Enterprise, Design team

May. 2020 – Sep. 2020 (5months)

- Developed new upcycling products for social funding project and built a marketing strategy
- Managed 6 online distribution channels and 3 offline channels
- Gave an instruction for up-cycling at the 'Hand-Arti-Korea 2020' fair

3D Virtual Fitting Designer

Pan-Pacific Co. Ltd., Technical Design team

Mar. 2019 – Dec. 2020 (10months)

- Made virtual fitting Samples with 3D programs (CLO, V-stitcher, Opti-tex) from knitted light-weighted garments to heavy-weighted garments like puffy, ski pants; major buyers were Columbia, UnderArmor, Gap inc., LaneBryant and Target
- Cooperated with pattern makers, R&D team, and sales team
- Proceed pre-production samples in actual with a technical designer for '21 S/S season

Technical Designer Supporter

Sae-a Trading Co., Technical Design team

Aug. 2018 – Feb. 2019 (7months)

- Checked on garment samples comparing with the technical packages such as measuring garments specification and comparing with the paper patterns
- Corrected fit comments with putting the samples on the brand-specific dummy
- Assisted on making rules in grading pattern

International Sales Team Supporter

Pan-Pacific Co., Ltd, Outdoor Sales team

Jan. 2018 – May. 2018 (5months)

- Produced test sample garments with the production line in Vietnam
 - Exchanged trims and garments with the buyer via international logistics
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Sales Clerk

Benedef Co., Ltd, Slow Steady Club Store at Sam-cheong

Mar. 2017 – Aug. 2017 (6months)

- Served customers and displayed the clothes and goods in the store
 - Made desserts and drinks including coffee as a barista in the shop-in-shop cafe
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Extracurricular Experience

1. Publication

I. Body-friendly Design For The Handicapped

XXIII IFHE(International Federation for Home Economies) World Congress 2016 Exhibition

- Made a plan for clothing for the handicapped based on ergonomic design
- Looked for fabrics and trims in the market and made a suit of clothes manually
- Exhibited the clothes and a poster at the event

II. Hong KH(2016), Optical Illusions According to the Placement of Stripes and Color Block in Dress

2016 Spring Conference, The Korea Journal of Community Living Science

- Analyzed the result of subjective sensation statistics
- Made a poster for presentation

2. Internship

I. Winter semester, 1st grade

Kim Seol-young Uniform Co.

Dec. 2014 – Jan. 2015 (2months)

- Assisted product line with ironing and checking errors in garments
- Measured students' body visiting at schools

II. Autumn semester, 4th grade

Hue-Korea Corp.

Sep. 2017 – Jan. 2018 (5months)

- Assisted sampling team with asking a specific dyeing and special sewing working at Dong-dae-mun wholesale market
- Looked for the suitable fabrics and bought trims at Dong-dae-mun wholesale market

3. Volunteering

I. Resource circulator

The Beautiful Store: social enterprise, off-line store & eco-design craft workshop

June. 2014 – Nov. 2016 (2years and a half)

- Sold used goods at off-line store for 1year
- Classified used goods at the workplace for classification
- Assisted in designing products and checking on the last part of the production line at the eco-design craft workshop for 1years and a half
- Participated in the eco-related festivals and fairs to introduce 'Resource Circulation' and up-cycling products three times
- Created lesson plans for children about sharing in social, and gave lectures for 6months

II. Reporter on school life

Student dormitory in Chungnam National University school

April. 2014 – Dec. 2016 (2years and 8months)

- Gathered issues in the dormitory and school to make a plan for webzine with other editors
 - Wrote an article with taking pictures or having interviews
 - Published a webzine at online dormitory web-site bimonthly
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III. Community Activist

TEDxDaejeon

Dec. 2015 – Jul. 2016 (7months)

- Gathered issues in the town and had interviews with the residents to find out the problems
- Shared ideas with the team members to make a plan for improving town environment
- Submitted a plan for the town to the district office

4. On-the-job training

I. Pattern Making

Center for extended education, Seoul National University of Science & Technology

Dec. 2018 – Sep. 2018 (10months)

- ① Draping for specialist (3months course)
- ② Grading pattern manually (1month course)
- ③ Apparel pattern design for specialist (6months course)

II. 3D Virtual Fitting Software

- ① CLO 3D fashion design software (1month course) at CLO Virtual Fashion LLC. HQ
- ② V-stitcher 3D apparel design software from BROWZWEAR (1day course) at StyleCAD Korea HQ
- ③ Opti-tex CAD (1week course) at Opti-tex Korea HQ

Skills

- ◆ Handling 3D CAD programs; CLO, V-stitcher and Opti-tex skillfully
 - ◆ Editing photos using Adobe image software -Photoshop and Illustrator skillfully
 - ◆ Making women's apparel pattern manually
 - ◆ Sewing woven garments using sewing machines
 - ◆ Understanding production technical packages highly and detecting differences between proceeded samples in line
 - ◆ Discriminating the physical properties of textiles with handfeel accurately
 - ◆ Arranging technical specifications for designing clothes and bags
 - ◆ Being familiar with the eco-friendly design keywords such as up-cycling, sustainable design and resource circulation
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