

# Dan Mitchell

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## Objective

To obtain an internship in Graphic Design where I can further develop and apply my passion and talent for design in a creative workplace that strives towards constant innovation.

## Education

**2005** Ontario Secondary School Diploma, Orillia, ON.  
**2009** Graphic Design Advanced Diploma, Humber College, Etobicoke, ON.

## Employment

**2007 - Present** Freelance Graphic Designer for numerous clients.  
Able to further my understanding of working with clients, organizing budgets, and bettering my skills as a creative and designer. Designing various projects from book covers, to flash animations.

**2006 -2007** Grocery Clerk and Butcher, Brechin Foodland, Brechin, ON.  
Interacted with customers on a daily basis, customizing each experience through an understanding of customer diversity. Worked with many products, developing a vast knowledge of brands, packaging, and product placement.

**2005** Line Cook, Brewery Bay Restaurant, Orillia, Ontario.  
Developed a strong work ethic, working in a fast paced environment.

**2004 - 2005** Five star waiter at Fern Resort in Orillia, Ontario.  
Established close working relationships with customers, working to ensure an enjoyable stay at the resort. Honed skills in customer service, time management, teamwork, social presentation, Workplace Hazardous Materials Information Systems (WHMIS), and the ability to cater to large groups of people.

## Skills & Abilities

Strong capabilities to conceptualize and draw allows me to utilize design software as a tool rather than a computer application encouraging efficiency, time management, and a creative technique based on personal theories of design. Being an adequate speaker and presenter as well has also enabled me to unnervingly speak to larger audiences, as well as clearly and concisely communicate my ideas to directors or teams.

## Volunteer Experience

Currently volunteering at 2nd St. Public School in Etobicoke, Ontario as part of the Schazaam project. A great opportunity to utilize my passion for design, leadership and teamwork skills, as well as spark interest in today's youth. I spend my time working with the children, progressing their creativity, drawing, and adapting their outlooks on everyday life.

## Hobbies

Graphic Design, Aviation, Writing Music, Guitar, Painting/Drawing/Illustrating, Hockey, Boating, Swimming, and Skateboarding.

(References available upon request)

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