
Freelance print projects & logo design are the mainstay of Stacy Benner Communications. I knew long before I ever formatted my first PDF ... the wide world of web development needs a "Best Practices" designer! From pasteup artist to typesetter to digital imaging technician to graphic designer to desktop publisher ... to certified web content developer!

**PROFESSIONAL GRAPHIC DESIGN • PHOTOGRAPHY • LOGOS • MEMORABILIA
DESKTOP PUBLISHING SPECIALIST • WEB CONTENT DEVELOPMENT • CUSTOM FORMS**

Stacy Benner Communications was established in June of 1995 as a creative design outlet. Freelance projects require increasingly more web content. Logo design does not distinguish between print and web. Every business benefits from professional presentation! Developing design solutions for both print and web is how I originally got caught in the web! My traditional background has helped to prepare me with countless software conversions and technology shifts ... from exacto knives to flash drives ... I've mastered most and muddled through enmasse. Now; I'm learning to speak scripting languages! To meet this challenge, in 2012, I obtained Chemeketa's Computer Information Systems *Web Developer certification!*

4/2007 - 4/2009

Yes Graphics Printing Company

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JOB TITLE: In-House Graphic Designer / Print Production Artist

I hit the ground running in this family-owned, traditional print shop; primarily utilizing Adobe CS4 on a networked iMac graphics workstation. I designed a multitude of print projects: business cards, brochures, flyers, newsletters, forms, posters, catalogs, books, signs, CD covers, calendars, direct mailing pieces, door hangers, rubber stamps, *and more!* Output for offset press (RIPIT), Canon digital pre-press, to vendor specification, and/or for web content. My lay-off came just one week shy of two years on the job.

7/1996 - 12/2001

Qwest Dex - Your Directory Expert

Tigard, OR & Salem, OR offices
Judy Smith / Connie Fickel

*Salem office closed 12/01
1 of 125 artists laid-off. Eventually,
thousands of jobs were lost*

JOB TITLE: Western Region Operations Graphic Artist

Hired for my strong digital background as Dex was poised for the regionwide process change from pasteup to digital art production and prepress (*digitizing roomfuls of art*) ... amidst the simultaneous regionwide roll-out of a proprietary ad layout program (*I beta-tested, too*) ... **no file was left untouched!** We consistently took the lead in process changes ... direct-to-plate book manufacturing ... paperless routing ... **Incredible, really!**
