

# Sarah E. Sturgeon

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## EDUCATION

### ***Ashland University, Ashland, Oh.***

2003-2008

Major: Commercial Art with a concentration in Interactive Media Design

Degree: Bachelors of Science

GPA: 3.4

### ***Art Institute of Pittsburgh, Pittsburgh, Pa.***

2006-2007

Major: Interactive Media Design

GPA: 3.8

## WORK EXPERIENCE

### ***Freelance Web Designer/Graphic Designer***

July 2009 - present

I am currently working independently as a web and graphic designer on a variety of projects. Clients include advertisements for OfficeDiscountClub.com; Quest Fore Inc., where work included creating a series of Flash advertisements for Heinz/Sysco Foodservices; and My Community Index, where I am creating web advertisements and performing other design services for a project in development.

### ***Internet Support, Alcoa Inc., Pittsburgh, Pa.***

April 2008 - April 2009

Worked in a group to maintain the Alcoa worldwide website. Applied various web coding and software skills to perform various updates requested by users. These included changes to graphics, content, page layout, and functionality of the site. Skills implemented include HTML, CSS, Adobe Photoshop, Adobe Flash, Microsoft Visual Studio, Interwoven TeamSite, and Homesite 5.

### ***Web Graphics Editor, The Cedar Store, Gibsonia, Pa.***

March 2008

Worked under temporary contract to update web graphics. Used Adobe Photoshop to edit graphics for gazebo creation site.

### ***Web Content Editor, Chromalox Precision Heat and Control, Pittsburgh, Pa.***

February 2008

Updated web catalog under temporary contract. Transferred paper catalog information into an online database.

### ***Intern, Tailored Marketing Inc., Pittsburgh, Pa.***

January - February 2008

Created web advertisements for Coldwell Banker using Adobe Flash CS3, and embedded them into HTML pages for use on the company website.

## PROGRAMMING LANGUAGE EXPERIENCE

•XHTML, CSS, Javascript, Actionscript 3, PHP, ASP, SQL

## SOFTWARE EXPERIENCE

- Adobe Photoshop CS3, CS4
- Adobe Illustrator CS3
- Adobe Flash CS3, CS4
- Adobe Dreamweaver CS3
- Adobe InDesign CS3
- Adobe Acrobat 8
- Macromedia Director MX
- Microsoft Word
- Microsoft Excel
- Microsoft Powerpoint
- Microsoft Visual Studio
- Homesite 5
- Interwoven TeamSite
- Wordpress

## VOLUNTEER WORK

### ***Grassroots.org***

January 2010 - present

I am currently working as a volunteer web designer, taking on projects for non-profit organizations in need of affordable web design services.

## WEB AND INTERACTIVE PROJECTS

### ***Mountain Home Food Basket***

Wordpress site create for Mountain Home Food Basket, a non-profit charity which provides food assistance for those in need.

URL: <http://www.mountainhomefoodbasket.org>

### ***Alcoa Solutions***

A periodic interactive newsletter for Alcoa.com. Implemented in Flash.

URL: [http://www.alcoa.com/global/en/news/alcoa\\_solutions/alcoa\\_newsletter\\_overview.asp](http://www.alcoa.com/global/en/news/alcoa_solutions/alcoa_newsletter_overview.asp)

### ***Alcoa Time Machine***

Timeline illustrating the history of Alcoa. Implemented in Flash.

URL: [http://www.alcoa.com/global/en/about\\_alcoa/time\\_machine/time\\_machine.asp](http://www.alcoa.com/global/en/about_alcoa/time_machine/time_machine.asp)

### ***Alcoa Aluminum Beverage Truck Bodies***

Site for Alcoa beverage truck bodies.

URL: <http://www.alcoa.com/aats/awtp/en/home.asp>

### ***Flash Art Portfolio***

Flash site created to display my mixed media artwork, built with Actionscript 3.

URL: <http://www.sarahsturgeon.com/art>

### ***David L. Sturgeon***

HTML site for architect David Sturgeon.

URL: <http://www.dlsturgeonarchitect.com>