



Paul Gonstal

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Education

Northern Illinois University
Bachelors in Fine Arts Visual Communication
August 2014–May 2017

Illinois Central College
Associates in Arts
May 2012–May 2014

Professional Affiliations

Phi Theta Kappa Honor Society
Sigma Kappa Delta Honor Society
President's List, Illinois Central College
Dean's List, Illinois Central College
AIGA

Technical Skills

Photography
Digital SLR
Alternative processes
Studio lighting

Additional Interests

Videography
Adobe Premiere
Final Cut Pro

Employment

Apple Woodfield, Product Specialist April 2015–present

Assist customers with discovering new devices and solutions to enrich their lives through technology. Educate people, teaching them new ways to interact with their devices. Work to maintain critical visual standards that are paramount to the brand.

Northern Illinois University Media Services, Student Designer August 2014–April 2015

Prepared graphic designs for print. Planned by studying the information and materials. Illustrated the concept by designing rough layout of art and copy focusing on arrangement, size, type and style, and related aesthetic concepts.

Illinois Central College, Lab Assistant August 2013–May 2014

Assisted the graphic design and multi-media faculty with the day-to-day operations of the department. Provided assistance to students within the classroom setting. Worked as a team on various design projects within the college. Provided photographic services for the college.

Kress Corporation, Brimfield, IL, Global Parts Sales Associate July 2001–May 2012

Began employment as a production welder. Promoted in 2006 to the parts sales department.

Provided assistance to customers with technical product support and part sales. Created price quotes and purchase proposals to customers. Internally processed customer orders. Worked with the production department to maintain production schedules and delivery dates for customer orders.