James Morales

Summary

I am an Industrial Designer, Photographer, fellow human being working to change the world one innovation at a time, committed to excellence and the fair treatment of all....

Experience

Founder & Creative Director

2010-Currently . INC1979 . Los Angeles, CA

- Creative Firm
- Design- Automotive, Transportation, Product, Ergonomics, Interaction, Entertainment, Branding
- Photography- Commercial, Product, Fashion, Advertising, Documentary, Photojournalism, Portrait, Landscape, Conceptual, Events
- Web Development & Design
- Published photographic work:
 - THE SOURCE Metro Los Angeles
 - o PORTFOLIO INC1979

Published web work:

- Elevated Surfcraft
- o Murrieta Ranch
- o INC 1979
- o Tatyana Zozulya

June Mountain Terrain Park.

2019-2020 . Mammoth Resorts . June Lake, CA

- o Mountain Opening and Closing, Terrain Park features upkeep and testing.
- June Mountain

Bear Mountain Terrain Park.

2016-2017 . Mammoth Resorts . Big Bear, CA

- o Mountain Opening and Closing, Terrain Park features upkeep and testing.
- Bear Mountain

Professional Snowboard team member.

2006-2009 . Aegix Performance Apparel . Los Angeles, CA

- Assisted in marketing and brand exposure recognition, while competing in various snowboard events.
- Aegix

Lead Faultline Terrain Crew.

2006-2007. Mt. High. Wrightwood, CA

- o Tested terrain features, while helping ski patrol monitor and patrol the mountain for safety
- o Managed and deployed the crew for grooming and upkeep of terrain features

Head of Snowboard Department.

2005-2006 . Val Surf . Valley Village, CA

- Worked directly with Product representatives
- o Extensive product knowledge, Burton, Ride, Never Summer, K2, Rome, Gnu, LibTech, Grenade, Sessions, Thirtytwo, Oakley
- Experience in the tuning shop, waxing snowboards and minor repair work

Education

2011 . Art Center College of Design . Pasadena, CA

- o Industrial Design . Transportation . Product
- o Recipient of the Ford Motor Company Scholarship for Transportation Design

1999-2011 . Pasadena City College . Pasadena, CA

- o Industrial Design . Transportation . Product . Photography
- o Member of the Cross Country / Track & field / Swim and Water Polo teams
- o Course study included extensive training in Product Design, Transportation Design, Figure Drawing, 2D/3D Design, Web Development and Design, Photography - traditional Silver & Digital
- Won first place in Campus Elements Category in College Seen Photography Contest 2011

2007-2008. Academy of Art University. San Francisco, CA

- Industrial Design Major
- o Course study included extensive classes in Design, Computer aided Design, Color theory, Business applications, Photography, Model making, Computer aided drafting, and traditional drafting techniques

1994-1998 . Glendale High School . Glendale, CA

- o Completed my 4 year Spanish AP courses to have it waived in college
- o Mentored by Disney Animation
- Disney Imagineering
- Captain of Cross Country and Track Teams
- o Started the 1st ever Surf club, member of Art club, and ASB
- Made CIF State Finals for the Mile, and ran a 4:20ish minute mile.
- Recipient of the Glendale Art Association College Scholarship
- Graduated and received diploma

Skill Sets

Fluent in English & Spanish Languages, type 69+ wpm

ANALOG MEDIA: Traditional Pencil Animation, Photography, Pencil, Pen, Pastel, Charcoal, Marker, Paint, Qick Sketch, Rendering, Form Development, Ideation, Analog Lab Photography Developing Process, Industrial Design Concept Process

DIGITAL MEDIA: Digital Animation, Adobe Design Suit - Photoshop, Illustrator, Fireworks, InDesign, Flash, Lightroom, DreamWeaver, Maya, Cinema 4D, AutoCAD, Sketchbook Pro, Microsoft Office Suit, HTML 5, CSS3, Wordpress, Web Development, Web Design, Social Media Managing, User Interaction Design

Interests

I enjoy snowboarding, surfing, running, swimming, skateboarding, cycling.

Web

- incl979
- Tumblr
- Facebook
- Instagram • LinkedIn
- Resume.pdf