

# Randy Yang

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## Objective

To obtain an intermediate-level industrial design position with a strong, forward thinking, and progressive company where I can fully utilize my knowledge and experience of the design process to improve upon the company's portfolio.

## Work Experience

August 2007 - Present

### **Freelance Industrial Designer - Squint Innovation & Branding, Toronto.**

Under the direction of Brett Belcher, I was involved in various design and branding projects that ranged from web design to consumer products.

June 2006 - Present

### **Industrial Designer - The MIBRO Group, Toronto.**

Involved in the design of products from conception to production. Re-designed MIBRO's main aesthetic towards private label branding and improved overall quality of designed products while reducing the environmental footprint. Liaised with production team as well as oversea manufacturers to troubleshoot problems during the production process.

August 2004 - November 2004

### **Design Engineer (Internship) - Supreme Plastics Manufacturing Co., LTD. DongGuan, China**

Responsible for the engineering of kitchen products from concept to production ready CAD. Involved in pricing products and materials for clients. Re-engineered products in CAD for manufacturing and costing purposes.

January 2004 - April 2004

### **Graphics Liaison - Carleton University School of Industrial Design 26th graduation exhibition 2004.**

Participated in the organizing of the graphic design team's schedule, disseminating work load amongst team members, and making sure that deadlines were met. Also actively involved in designing promotional materials such as posters, invitations, and T-shirts for the exhibition

June 2002 - August 2002

**Design assistant - Ambra Ceramics manufacturing company in Zhong Shan, China.** Responsible for contacting and advising design team with updates and information on current projects on a day to day basis.

## Education

April 2006

**Bachelor of Industrial Design, Carleton University, Ottawa.**

Graduated with Honors.

September 1999 - April 2001.

**Studied B.A Honors in Art History/Architecture, Carleton University, Ottawa.**

Later transferred to School of Industrial Design in September 2001

## Awards

April 2006

**George A. Lynn Memorial Scholarship for excellence in the design of medical equipment.**

Designed a respiratory device for people who have Obstructive Sleep Apnea (OSA) and are undergoing treatment. As the product is used daily in domestic environments, the design's main focus is to direct the product away as a medical device and incorporate the device as an everyday consumer product. This allows for a higher rate of acceptance and improves compliance of the treatment.

## Skill Set

### Software expertise

- Illustrator, Photoshop, InDesign, Dreamweaver
- Solidworks, Pro Engineer, Rhino, Maxwell Render
- Word, Excel, Power Point, FastTrack Schedule

### Material knowledge

- Dealing with plastics, plastic manufacturing, and plastic part design on a daily basis.
- Experienced in sheet metal, metal forming, and designing for metal parts.
- Knowledgeable in ceramic materials and ceramic part design.

### Marketing and Business experience

Working closely with marketing and sales at Mibro, I have developed sensibilities in understanding the importance of a product's values, positioning, and pricing. This has helped me manage the business aspect of projects to a higher precision and has allowed me to work more closely with senior management in discussing current and new product strategies.

References available upon request.

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