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EDUCATION **CALIFORNIA POLYTECHNIC STATE UNIVERSITY**, San Luis Obispo, CA.
BFA, Art and Design; concentration in Graphic Design.
2008–2011.

UNIVERSITY OF TORONTO, Toronto, ON. Studies in Chemistry and Visual Arts.
2004–2007.

WORK EXPERIENCE **Verdin**, San Luis Obispo, CA
Designer, Nov 2011 – Current.
All design services, print and web, all formats. Advertising, editorial, etc.

DSD Creative Group, Grover Beach, CA
Freelance Designer, Jun–Sept 2011.
Short and long document layout; newsletters, brochures, web graphics and book.

San Luis Obispo Children's Museum, San Luis Obispo, CA
Freelance Designer, Jun–Sept 2011.
Signage, HTML website updates, flyers.

OTHER EXPERIENCE **LEGATO LESSONS** – Pheonix, AZ. June – Ongoing
website design and ongoing maintenance
FREELANCE

TERRA VERDE – San Luis Obispo, CA. November 2010
brochure design for environmental consulting firm
FREELANCE

GOODBEHAVIORTOOLS – Palo Alto, CA. June – September 2010
illustrations for Android applications, website design
INTERNSHIP

NODE – surfboard design, San Luis Obispo, CA. December 2009
logo design
FREELANCE

SKILLS/ABILITIES Adobe CS – Adobe Photoshop, InDesign and Illustrator
Web design – HTML5, CSS/Less
Project planning and time management
Bilingual (English and Russian) with a basic knowledge of French
Bookbinding and book design
Technical/scientific and creative writing

PROFESSIONAL AFFILIATION **AIGA** – member 2010–2012

INTERESTS I am an active person, and enjoy all the outdoor activities that SLO has to offer from hiking to surfing to rock-climbing. I practice yoga and meditation, and am learning massage and juggling. I also love good, whole food, sometimes dabble in the culinary arts, and am very interested in nutrition as a science and conscious eating as a lifestyle. Art of all kinds occupy my mind and being, but I am especially interested in Web Design and the influence of typography, symbol and higherarchy design on user experience.