

Jessie Kaye Poole

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Skills

Flat and Fashion Sketching	Photoshop, Illustrator & InDesign
Specification Packages / Specing	Word, Excel & PowerPoint
Patternmaking - flat & draped	Web Development
Color Theory & Application	Pattern Grading (by hand & computer)
Creative Organization & Problem Solving	Professional Garment Alterations & Fitting
Fluent in Spanish & Proficient in French	Confident Decision Making
Textile Design	Quick Books

Professional Experience

Eddie Bauer | Bellevue, WA 2010-Present | Assistant Designer, women's separates

- Design and fit compelling product consistent with brand image
- Accurately spec and measure designs for sample production
- Develop trims to enhance seasonal concepts
- Communicate with overseas vendors to approve fits, sundries, lab dips, and strike offs

Actual Pain | Seattle, WA 2009-2010 | Freelance Designer, specialty men's sportswear

- Provide accurate patternmaking and pattern grading
- Assist in new product development
- Meet strict industry dead lines

A Mano | Seattle, WA 2007-Present | Sales Associate, high-end shoe boutique

- Establish and maintain important client relationships for consistent sales
- Generate and reconcile monthly sales reports
- Manage, update, and improve internal organization and inventory systems

UNIS | New York, NY 2009 | Design & Production Intern, men's sportswear

- Provided trend research and product development for new line design
- Sourced fabrics, trims, and findings
- Assisted in fittings, monitored manufacturing, and inspected top of production garments
- Effectively communicated production decisions, change orders and deadlines with manufacturing factories, pattern makers and marker printers
- Prepared tech packs and finding bundles for factory distribution

Nest Diaper Bags | Seattle, WA 2009 | Freelance Designer, high-end leather accessories

- Created effective visual components (hand and technical sketches) for use in marketing materials
- ### **2009 | Production Intern**
- Developed and maintained organizational systems for wholesale inventory
 - Sourced and ordered marketing materials to improve sample sale attendance

Village Maternity | Seattle, WA 2003-2007 | Lingerie & Children's Buyer, high-end specialty boutique

- Purchased apparel in accordance with trends and budget
- Sourced new lines and products to improve buyer interest and increase sales
- Developed and analyzed sales records
- Entered, managed, and organized purchase orders and received inventory

2003-2007 | Merchandising & Window Display Manager

- Designed and implemented high-impact, seasonal displays throughout the store

Education

Seattle Central Community College | Seattle, WA 2010
AAS in Apparel Design, Dean's List

New York Fashion Academy | Seattle, WA 2007
Patternmaking (Flat and Draped)

Cornish College of the Arts | Seattle, WA 2005
BFA in painting, sculpture and video art, Magna Cum Laude

Awards

WAVE Scholarship, Seattle Central Community College, 2009
Presidents Scholarship, Cornish College of the Arts, 2005
Emily Hall Merit Award, Cornish College of the Arts, 2005