
Industry Environment Experience

March 2009 – March 2010

Albert Chloe

Salt Lake City, Utah

Leather Handbags Technical Designer and Production Follower

Designed and oversaw from concept to creation of first prototypes made in Florence, Italy

Advised and oversaw the planning and creation of existing designs with Italian factories

Assist in International leather and accessories fairs in Bologna and Milan, Italy

Continuous communication with Italian factories and suppliers for the production of the collection

Sourcing of luxury retailers in the New York City area for vending collaboration

Jan. 2008 – March 2009

ZUFI ALEXANDER

London, UK

Florence, Italy

Leather Handbags and Accessories Technical Designer

Designed and oversaw from concept to creation of first prototypes for all four seasons of the companies first line and bi-annual seasons of the fusion line

Assistant and technical designer of head designer for projects in collaboration with Giuseppe Zanotti Designs, Isetan Designs and Morabito Designs

Assisted in every national leather fair for research in current and upcoming trends

Translation of materials for administration English to Italian and vice-versa

Sept. 2005 – Mar. 2008

PIEROTUCCI srl

Florence, Italy

Leather Handbags and Accessories Designer

Commercial Directors Assistant Business Developer

Designed and oversaw from concept to creation all three collections owned and registered by the company

Assisted in every national leather fair for research and sales

Handled all international accounts for retail and distribution

Translation of materials for administration and the company retail website from English to Italian and vice-versa

Overseas vendor for all three collections

Sales Rep for company boutiques

Certification & Education

NYS Textile Production and Fabrication (Clothing Trades) 7-12 – Professional Certificate

2012 – 2014

New York Institute of Technology

New York City, New York

Masters of Science

Instructional Technology with Distinction

2000 - 2005

Fashion Institute of Technology at Polimoda

Florence, Italy & NYC

Bachelors of Fine Arts, Fashion Design

Magna Cum Laude

1993 - 1998

City College of New York

New York City, New York

Education Credits Obtained via SVA program

Languages

Spanish Fluent (Mother Tongue)

English Fluent (Second Mother Tongue)

Italian Spoken and Read Fluently, Written Well