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Education

1989 **University of Michigan—Ann Arbor** Ann Arbor, MI
Bachelor of Arts, Concentration: Creative Writing

Experience

- 1988–Present **Full Moon Enterprises** Beloit, WI
Freelance Writer/Editor/Game Designer/Consultant
- Consulted with and completed published work for Hasbro, Wizards of the Coast, Playmates Toys, WizKids, Decipher, Wizard Press, Games Workshop, WildStorm Productions, Image Comics, AEG, TSR, and White Wolf, among others, including several award-winning products. See curriculum vitae for details.
 - Produced trading card games, roleplaying games, short stories, novels, toy lines, miniatures games, comics, magazine articles, and board games, among others.
- 2002–2004 **Human Head Studios** Madison, WI
Director — Adventure Games Division
- Launched adventure games division for successful computer game developer.
 - Managed the sourcing and production of all games in the division simultaneously.
- 1996–1999 **Pinnacle Entertainment Group** Blacksburg, VA
President/Co-founder
- Founded a publisher that became a top-five roleplaying-game company in less than two years.
 - Developed several award-winning products, including *Deadlands: The Weird West*.
 - Managed Pinnacle's home office and oversaw the coordination, budgeting, sourcing, and production of several concurrent projects being worked on by a number of freelancers and in-house staff.
 - Responsible for training and managing production staff.
- 1993–1995 **Iron Crown Enterprises** Charlottesville, VA
Game Editor/Designer
- Line editor, developer, and writer for *Silent Death* boardgame line.
 - Writer for *Middle-earth Roleplaying* line.
- 1989–1990 **Games Workshop Design Studio** Nottingham, England
Game Editor, Developer, Designer, and Copywriter
- Editor and designer for *Space Hulk* and *Blood Bowl* game lines.
 - Ad designer and copy writer.
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Skills Writing, editing, game design, consulting, world creation, budgeting, management, leadership, graphic design, and publishing. Proficient with Microsoft Word, InDesign, Pagemaker, QuarkXPress, Freehand, Filemaker Pro, and Photoshop.

Interests Games, comic books, novels, traveling, computer games, sports, computers, acting, film, music, reading, and writing.

References Available upon request