# Carol Matthews-Nicoli

Efficient, organized and insightful designer with strong collaborative skills, specializing in social/digital media and brand marketing.

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# Pratt Institute Jcation

#### Brooklyn, New York | Graduated 2009

BFA: Communications Design

Concentration: Graphic Design and Advertising

# Dale Carnegie Training

New York, New York | March 2010 Dale Carnegie Course: Sales and Human Relations

Dale Carnegie Human Relations Award: three times

- Pratt Circle: Graduated with Honors 2009 President's list at Pratt 2006 – 2009
- Dean's list at Pratt 2005 Awarded Merit Based Scholarship 2005 - 2009
- Adobe CS5 Suite

Expert in: Photoshop. InDesign. Illustrator. Knowledge of: Flash. Dreamweaver. HTML/CSS WordPress Microsoft Suite

- Atmosphere Proximity BBDO | Interactive Art Director experience
  - New York, New York | May 2011 Present
  - :: Concepting and design of digital media experiences through to production for corporate and leisure clients including Citi Bank, Marriott, Qualcomm, and Visa.
  - :: Developed fantastic working relationships with fellow art directors, copywriters and production artists, contributing to overall joyous productivity.

# Camp Dreamcatcher | Art Director

## Brooklyn, New York | Aug 2009, 2010, 2011

- :: Worked with partner art director to conceive and execute animation/film projects while volunteering at a camp for children affected by HIV.
- :: Organized and empowered group of inner-city teens by teaching them the basics of film/animation for their senior art project.

#### Scholastic | Designer

#### New York, New York | March 2011 – May 2011

- :: Produced graphics for Scholastic's current e-commerce and educational websites.
- :: Contributed to building out elements of upcoming redesign.

#### Mammoth Advertising | Designer

#### Brooklyn, New York | May 2010 – Feb 2011

- :: Creative production on digital media campaigns for entertainment and publishing clients, including Showtime, NBC Universal, IFC Films, Sony Home Entertainment, HarperCollins, and The Weinstein Company.
- :: Designed and maintained web presence for the above clients, including Flash banners, websites, email newsletters, games, and Facebook tabs.

### Strut NYC and BrooklynArtProject | Social Media Consultant / Designer Brooklyn, New York | May 08 – Present

- :: Worked closely with Creative Director on brand development and implementation across print (posters, identity, brochures) and digital media (websites, enewsletters).
- :: Managed social media network and web presence of BrooklynArtProject.com, using Twitter, Facebook, StumbleUpon, Digg, SocialOomph, WordPress, et al.

#### Peabody & Co | Production Assistant

#### New York, New York | Nov 2010 - Present

:: Assisted the production crew for commercial video shoot by anticipating the needs of the director, and coordinating props.

#### thinkStory.biz | Designer

#### Los Angeles, California | Sept 08 – Jan 09

:: Worked closely with owner to develop a complete brand identity including logo, business card, promotional materials and website.

## Egg Design | Production Designer / Intern

#### Waltham, Massachusetts | June 06 – July 06

- :: Assisted partners with graphic art production work, the quality of which quickly lead to more complex creative jobs.
- :: Contributed to company efficiency by organizing/managing their web projects.