

# Wes Knippers



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## Objective

I seek a position in a company where I can use my experience in the field of digital media for the benefit of the organization. Whether it be my extensive computer knowledge, my artistic abilities, or my network broadcasting background, I'm looking for the opportunity to "WOW" you!

## Skills

- Expert level of experience with computers (*PC and Mac*) and their hardware
- Team experience, customer service, communication skills, detail oriented problem solver
- Videography, photography, digital media, and network broadcasting

## Software programs

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|-----------------|--------------|---------------|---------------------|
| • Photoshop     | • Combustion | • Excel       | • Mocha             |
| • Illustrator   | • 3ds Max    | • Word        | • XP, Vista, OSX    |
| • After Effects | • Pro Tools  | • Power Point | • Harris Automation |
| • Final Cut Pro | • Soundbooth | • Cam Studio  | • Channel Box       |

## Education

The Art Institute of Phoenix  
Bachelor of Arts: Visual Effects and Motion Graphics

Phoenix, AZ  
Alumni June '09

## Work History

### Outdoor Channel

Master Control Operator

Temecula, CA  
January '10 - Present

- Monitor Christie wall which includes Outdoor Channel programming.
- Perform emergency signal recovery procedures.
- Operate the station Automation system and associated subsystems.
- Operate Station backup and disaster recovery systems.
- Operate graphics system.
- Ingest programming as directed by Master Control Manager.
- Purge data from Harris and Leitch as directed by Manager.
- Report discrepancies and outages as outlined in the procedures handbook.
- Loading, Recording, Routing decks or signal for Editors, Conference room users.
- Assist head-ends with troubleshooting of Outdoor Channel signal issues.



### Wes VFX

Freelance

Murrieta, CA  
April '09 - Present

- Graphic Design, Compositing, Green Screen, Image Manipulation, 3D Modeling
- Create company logos, graphics, and design elements.
- Report to clients with updates, deadlines, concepts, and revisions.

### Pierce Promotions Marketing

Wellness Ambassador

Surprise, AZ  
October '08 - March '09

- Greet customers and properly educate them on product services
- Conference calls, daily reports to regional manager, weekly training, and spreadsheet documentation, kiosk construction

\* References available upon request.