

# ROGER ALLEN

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## experience

**MIO** [www.mioculture.com](http://www.mioculture.com)

### Senior Designer

June '08—  
June '09 At MIO I oversaw the every day operations of the company including managing interns and warehouse staff. I was the lead designer on 4 products that were brought to market under the MIO name as well as a large project for the retailer giant, Target.

**ex;it** [www.exploreexit.com](http://www.exploreexit.com)

### Designer

June '07—  
June '08 At ex;it, my main function was to develop and flesh out concepts for environmental graphic design systems. I managed everything from the look of the product, to the construction and installation of the finished system. I was able to keep the projects on budget while at the same time pushing the client's concepts of what is possible.

**Fresh Artists** [www.freshartists.org](http://www.freshartists.org)

### Cofounder / Design Director

march '07—  
present As a cofounder of Fresh Artists, my role in the organization is broad and reaches from creative problem solving in the operations of the organization to being the design director. I created the brand and image Fresh Artists shows to the world.

**Cloud Gehshan Associates** [www.cloudgehshan.com](http://www.cloudgehshan.com)

### Junior Designer

June '02—  
June '04 At Cloud Gehshan my main roll was as support designer. I handled all aspects of design development within larger projects. I was responsible for creating the final art and fleshing out the designs with copy and imagery. I was also responsible for creating fabrication documentation.

## education

### Pratt Institute

'00—'01 Studied Industrial Design

### Philadelphia University

'04—'06 Studied Industrial Design

## skills

**Computer** *Mac + PC platforms*

### Systems/Maintenance

Basic I.T. including networking, server setup and maintenance, as well as backup solutions.

### Adobe Creative Suite + 3D

Expert level knowledge of Illustrator, Photoshop, Indesign, and Acrobat. Working knowledge of Solidworks and Rhino.

### Web

Working knowledge of Dreamweaver, HTML, CSS, PHP including customizing and running Wordpress-based sites.

### Other

Expert knowledge of Microsoft Office, Apple iWork, iMovie and FileMaker.

### Design

*“I believe design should be both socially and environmentally responsible. It should be honest in it's purpose, source, and concept.”*

### Industrial Design

- Expert knowledge of all prototyping, both digital and analog processes
- Expert knowledge of design sketching and hand rendering
- Expert knowledge of current methods, materials and manufacturing techniques
- Expert knowledge of current design trends, both social and environmental

### Graphic Design

- Expert working knowledge of signage trends, techniques, guidelines and fabrication methods.
- Good working knowledge of typography and branding
- Working knowledge of user-experience design
- Good knowledge of printing techniques, both digital and analog