

Justin Alves

Born in Rhode Island I moved to Portland, ME to pursue an education and career in Design and illustration. I have been working as a freelance Illustrator and Designer since 2006.

Brooches, Toast, Weeble Wobbles, Beards, Bow Ties, Lists, Social Media, Bette Davis, Dancing, and Princely things are all part of my interests.

Education:

Maine College of Art, 2004 to 2007

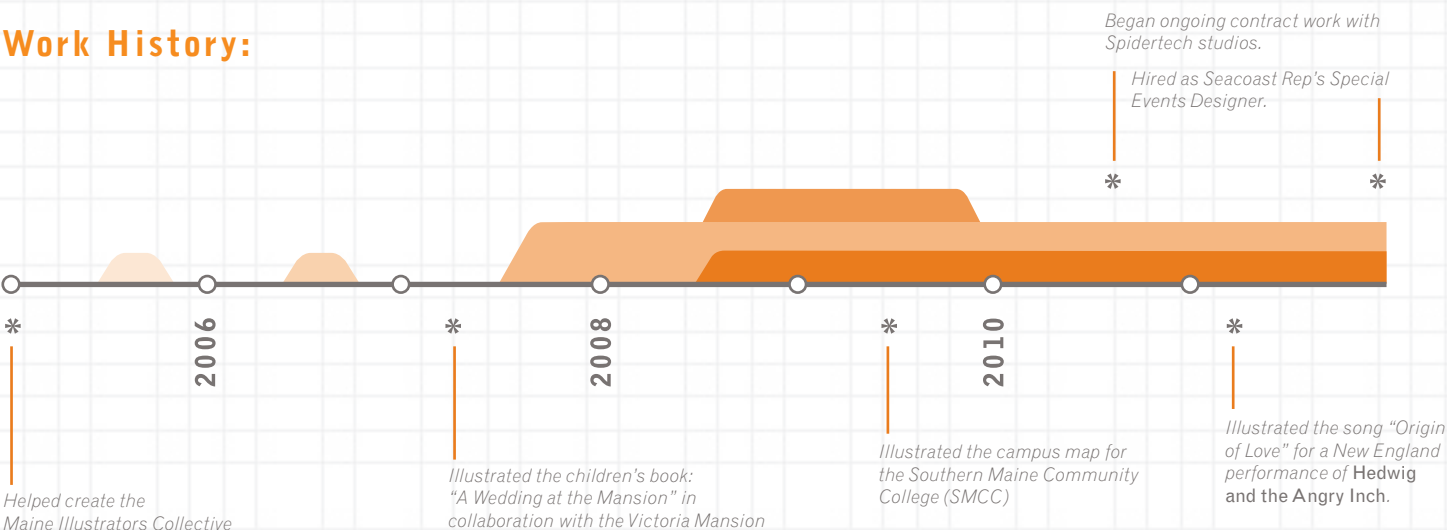
BFA in Illustration

Minor in Drawing

Technical Skills:

Indesign CS5
Illustrator CS5
Photoshop CS5
Dreamweaver
FinalCut Pro
Pinnacle
iMovie
Maya
After Effects
Office
Excel

Work History:



Alpha One, Maine's Center for Independent Living · ME

Spring 2008 - Present
Senior Designer

- Worked in the Communications Department as the Senior Designer.
- Created promotional materials and also handled Alpha Ones social media and branding for multiple programs

Freelance Designer and Illustrator

2007 - Present

- Social media branding, web design, logo design, concept/production art, children's book illustration, numerous print media

NASHBOX (formerly Snap Studios) · Portland · ME

Spring 2008 - 2010
Contract Illustrator and Designer

- Worked as a concept/production artist for numerous projects including children's books and character design

Children's Museum of Maine · Portland · ME

Summer 2006
Intern

- Re-illustrated the children's book "If the Dinosaurs Came Back" rewritten by children

One Magazine · ME

Summer 2005
Design Intern

- Assisted with the Magazine's layout, designing ads and spot illustrations throughout the magazine.

References:

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