

Amy Koumis

PROFILE

- Strong background in computers and web/graphic design with 10+ years experience
- 6+ years experience with traditional publishing, editing, and the Colorado writer's community
- Well-versed in journalistic and academic writing styles and formats
- Heavily involved with the arts with 10+ years experience in various artistic mediums
- Knowledge of most Adobe design software, Mac OSX and Windows/Microsoft Office
- Complete working knowledge of HTML/CSS/Javascript as well as other programming languages (Max, Scratch, openFrameworks)

EXPERIENCE

- Designed professional website for Bond Literary Agency at bondliteraryagency.com, including email client configuration
- Copyeditor for DU Clarion
- Designed first personal website at age 15 from scratch
- Created graphics for DU Clarion
- Assisted instructor in wheel throwing in children's art program at Bemis School of Art (2003)
- Raised puppies for Guide Dogs for the Blind (2005- 2006)
- 2007 Pikes Peak Writer's Paul Gillette contest winner, 2nd place, Young Adult Fiction category
- 2009 Pikes Peak Writer's American Icon winner, Best Voice
- Published interview in Wild Ink: How to Write Fiction for Young Adults (2008 Victoria Hanley)
- Completed three full-length young adult novels and assorted short stories and articles
- Attended the annual Pikes Peak Writer's Conference six consecutive years
- Volunteered at the 2009 Pikes Peak Writer's Conference bookstore

EDUCATION

UCCS sophomore with a 3.9 GPA (English major, Art History minor)

DU Junior with a 3.9 GPA (EDP major, Computer Science minor)

Graduated magna cum laude (May 2009) from Colorado Springs Early Colleges
3.8 GPA and 43 college credits

WORK HISTORY

WEB TECH SPECIALIST UTS Help Desk, Denver CO	February 2012-present
COPYEDITOR/GRAPHIC DESIGNER DU Clarion, Denver CO	August 2011-present
INTERN Bond Literary Agency, Denver CO	August 2011- present
INTERN Gallery Two-Ten, Colorado Springs CO	May 2009- August 2009
WASH ATTENDANT AND SALES REPRESENTATIVE Wag N' Wash Healthy Pet Center, Colorado Springs CO	November 2007– April 2008