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# **EDUCATION**

Copy Writers' Workshop June 2016

National Seminars Training, Portland, OR

Social Media Conference May 2011

SkillPath Seminars, Portland, OR

How to Design Attention-Grabbing Brochures August 2000

SkillPath Seminars, Portland, OR

Master's in Technical and Professional Writing June 1988

Northeastern University, Boston, MA

B.S. in Mathematics, minor in Computer Science June 1985

Pacific Lutheran University, Tacoma, WA

### TECHNICAL EXPERIENCE

Operating Systems: UNIX, Windows (7 and 8), MVS, VMS, CMS

**Software Tools & Languages**: SharePoint; FrameMaker (structured and unstructured); RoboHelp; Adobe Acrobat; HomeSite; HTML Help Workshop; DreamWeaver; Word; Excel; PowerPoint; Publisher, Visio; SmartDraw; screen capture tools, JavaScript, HTML, CSS, C, C++, SQL, SAS, Pascal

Other Skills: ISO 9000, web design and maintenance, search engine optimization (SEO), document conversion

## PROFESSIONAL EXPERIENCE

**Freelance Technical Writer**, July 1993 - present. Write many types of documentation – manuals, white papers, case studies, training materials, customer presentations, and more; provide online help, indexing, and editing services; develop and maintain Web sites. Requires a firm sense of discipline and time management. Provides a wide range of topics and experience. As a telecommuter, I am familiar with the Internet, Web pages, file transmission, and other online technologies. Client list includes Virtual Mechanics, Idea Integration, Passware, Intel, Mentor Graphics, and Tektronix.

**Technical Writer**, SAS Institute Inc., Aug. 1988 - July 1993. Designed, wrote, and managed a variety of software manuals in a team-oriented environment. Indexed manuals and managed other department projects such as user feedback and technical review training. Worked on development and maintenance of large online documentation projects. Served as a resource for less-experienced writers.

### PROFESSIONAL ACHIEVEMENTS AND ACTIVITIES

- Publications Coordinator for 1998 and 2001-2005 Western Users of SAS Software Conferences
- Numerous awards for books and articles in publications and journalism competitions
- Pacific Lutheran University Outstanding Youth Alumni Achievement award 1991

References, List of Publications, and Professional Writing Portfolio available upon request.