## MICHAEL RIPLEY - DESIGNER - TALENTEDMR.CA

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#### SELECTED EXPERIENCE - BOOK COVER AND LAYOUT DESIGN

**CLIENT** - DANCE COLLECTION DANSE (2006)

- **Title:** Coleman Lemieux & Compagnie, Reconstructing/La reprise de Fifteen Heterosexual Duets by/de James Kudelka
- Inside: A collection of essays, journal entries and photos related to CL&C's reconstruction of Canadian choreographer James Kudelka's seminal work. In English and French, the centre of the book contains a gallery of pictures by photographer Michael Slobodian.
- Specs: Softcover, 11 in. x 8.5 in., 184 pp., 90 photographs, ISBN: 0-929003-66-7

**CLIENT** - DANCE COLLECTION DANSE (2007)

- Title: The Man Next Door Dances: The Art of Peter Bingham
- Inside: A retrospective on the career of Vancouver choreographer and contact improvisation pioneer, Peter Bingham. Written by Kaija Pepper.
- Specs: Softcover, 7 in. x 9.5 in., 224 pages, Index, 75 illustrations and photographs, ISBN 978-0-929003-63-4

**CLIENT** - DANCE COLLECTION DANSE (2008)

- Title: Unfold: A Portrait of Peggy Baker
- Inside: A look back at the career of dancer, choreographer, mentor and educator Peggy Baker. Written by Carol Anderson.
- Specs: Softcover, 7 in. x 9.5 in., 224 pages, 120 illustrations and photographs, ISBN 978-0-929003-64-1

## GENERAL PRINT DESIGN

I have designed everything just about every form of print project imaginable - from simple business cards and handbills to newsletters and banners. Visit talentedmr.ca for samples of my work. Having worked with an archive for a number of years I have also become a skilled at restoring and retouching photographs.

## SELECTED EXPERIENCE - WEB DESIGN

## **CLIENT** - DANCE COLLECTION DANSE (2003 TO PRESENT)

- **Details:** DCD is an archive of Canadian theatrical dance history and publisher of Canadian dance books. The Web site is a warm, informal blend of DCD's Webbased dance history initiatives and a detailed introduction to its publications and archival collection.
- Specs: Responsive design; The Royal Winnipeg Ballet's Alumni Association page; DCD's archival collection, Education initiatives; DCD magazine download; OsCommerce driven web store; Google search integration; Library listings; Numerous web exhibitions; Various forms used for mailing list and special orders - include "ReCaptcha" security functionality. DCD.CA

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## APPLICATIONS, OPERATING SYSTEM AND HARDWARE USED

- **Print:** Adobe InDesign CC, Adobe Photoshop CC (very skilled in the art of photo restoration and retouching), Adobe Illustrator CC, Adobe Acrobat 9 Pro
- Web: Softpress Freeway Pro 7.x, Adobe Photoshop CC, Adobe Illustrator CC, Macromedia/Adobe Flash MX CC (Animation only - limited experience with ActionScript), Web Yep 2.0 (Content Management System), BBEdit, Komodo Edit, QuickTime Pro, Amadeus (audio editing and conversion), iDVD, Fetch and Cyberduck (FTP). I am also familiar with the advertising mechanisms that underpin Facebook/Instagram and Twitter. Working experience with Buffer and Hootsuite social media management programs.
- Other: Microsoft Office Suite, Apple iCloud and it's various applications, Dropbox, ffmpegX 0.0.9, Handbrake and MPEG Streamclip (video codec conversion), Apple iDVD, Final Draft (Screenwriting), Working knowledge of the Google workspace including experience with Google Analytics, Google for Business, Adwords etc. 5 years experience with SUMAC databases.

I have basic knowledge of HTML and XHTML principals though most of my web design is done using Softpress's Freeway Pro. I also have experience with OsCommerce (the leading Open Source online shop e-commerce solution, PayPal, limited CSS development and PHP coding.

**Tools:** Apple iMac Intel Core i5 Duo 3.2 GHz, Mac OS 10.11.6, Canon MG8120, High Speed Internet connection via Rogers

## **REFERENCES AND CLIENT TESTIMONIALS**

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For client testimonials and a more complete list of my work visit: https://www.talentedmr.com

## EDUCATION

- Graduate of George Brown Theatre School Toronto (1993 Theatre Arts Diploma)
- Two years (1988 1990) toward an Honours Bachelor Degree in Drama from University of Alberta. Specializing in play analysis, history and criticism.