

Joshua Benton Wood

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EMPLOYMENT

- ORGANIZED LIVING**, Columbus, Ohio June 2004 to April 2005
Creative Designer
Facilitated final stages of new home office set-up. Organized and Guided local store laboratory. Created Visual and Marketing library of magazines and vendor catalogs. Conceptualized, designed, and sourced flat surface fixture package to all stores. Designed and created Holiday 2004 in-store visual experience and prop package. Strengthened color branding concept with store departmental colors, lifestyle vignettes, employee uniforms, and cohesive prop package. Broadened Organized Living's international relationship with product and prop vendors.
- BATH & BODY WORKS**, Columbus, Ohio January 2003 to February 2004
Assistant Visual Communication Coordinator
Created Visual Guide for store set-up. Photographed and documented all floor-set activities including fixture set-up and photo styling on location in the store. Extensive documentation and photo editing to create a comprehensive and engaging document for a 1,600 Store Chain.
- BATH & BODY WORKS**, Columbus, Ohio April 2002 to January 2003
New and Large Store Creative Coordinator
Planned and merchandised new stores. Developed store guidelines to facilitate opening and running new, high profile, and new concept stores. Created prop and fixture package to drive sales and complement the store experience consistent with the
- BATH & BODY WORKS**, Columbus, Ohio October 2000 to April 2002
Consultant
Created and developed store themes during floor-set. Assisted in prop sourcing and purchasing. Work on special projects and store openings. Redecorated New York Office as well as off-site Brand Meeting House.
- GARDEN DESIGN**, Columbus, Ohio February 2000 to November 2000
Installer/Designer
Installed and maintained formal English Estate Garden. Designed and built walls, walks, and terraces, as well as selected and maintained plant material. Year round attention to color and detail as garden was continually manicured for luncheons and formal evening receptions.
- POTTERY BARN**, Columbus, Ohio November 1998 to February 2000
Design Studio Coordinator
Responsible for departmental Home Furnishings and Furniture business. Implemented monthly and seasonal floor design. Education and development of new employees. Responsible for promotion of sales through merchandise layout.
- JOSHUA WOOD ART & ANTIQUES**, St. Louis, Missouri, Columbus, Ohio September 1996 to Present
Owner
Displays in local gallery as well as national shows. Joshua Wood Art & Antiques offers restoration and refurbishment in addition to a rare item search, appraisals, and an interior design service.
- FAMOUS BARR DEPARTMENT STORES**, St. Louis, Missouri March 1995 to September 1996