# James Larkin

**DIGITAL ARTIST** 

#### Sycamore, IL, 60178

Digital Image Specialist with extensive experience in the design, creation, and manipulation of images and illustrations. Skilled in digital illustration, photo restoration and retouching. Able to digitally replicate the styles of other artists. Can substantially enhance or repurpose any image. Excellent color correction skills. Seamless and believable photo compositing. Passionate about and proficient in producing excellent results that match the needs of any client.

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Experience

**Digital & Fine Artist** 

#### Larkin Graphics

Image and design work for various clients.

Image Specialist

#### Quarasan

Carried out the production, manipulation, and/or enhancement of illustrated and photographic images. Built and coded hundreds of interactive Flash files. Worked closely with the Design team, producing images, charts, graphs, page graphics, logos, borders, text holders, headers, and title art that enriched the aesthetic and efficacy of every page or screen.

**Production Artist** 

#### Questar Entertainment

Produced final files and mock-ups for the packaging, POP displays, and marketing of hundreds of video titles.

Sycamore, IL Oct 2012 - Present

Chicago, IL 1999 - 2012

Chicago, IL 1997 - 1998 Long Term Freelance

#### **Riverside Publishing Company**

Page Layout, Proofreading.

#### Artist

## Old Tucson Theme Park & Movie Studio

Mural painting, Illustrative signing.

1987 Finalist in The Artist Magazine's National Landscape Painting Competition.

Manager

### **Retail Management**

Retail Management: Hallmark; Bed, Bath & Beyond; Montgomery Ward

#### Education

Bachelor of Fine Arts

## School of the Art Institute of Chicago

Majored in Fine Art: Painting & Drawing.

1983-84 Completed one year course, Scientific Illustration, with Zbigniew Jastrzebski, (Scientific Illustrator, Field Museum of Natural History, Chicago.)

#### University of Illinois at Chicago

Majored in Communication Design, Industrial Design, and Spanish.

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Itasca, Illinois.

1999 - 1999

Tucson, IL 1986 - 1986

Tucson, AZ -- Chicago, IL 1986 - 1997

Chicago, IL 1982 - 1984

Chicago, IL 1977 - 1983

## Lane Technical High School

Chicago, IL 1973 - 1977

Majored in Commercial Art.

**Technical Skills** 

### Software Applications

Adobe Photoshop (Advanced Skills) Illustrator (intermediate Skills) InDesign (intermediate Skills) Blender 3D (Learning)

Portfolio

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See samples of Jim Larkin's art at www.krop.com/jimlarkin

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