



# Sam I Are

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I am interested in making the internet a more usable and visually appealing place one line of code at a time. I also like stepping into the real world to design ways for people to interact with design. Since mid-2009 I've managed SamIAre.net, my personal blog/portfolio website.

## EDUCATION:

**BFA Graphic Design, Winthrop University 2010**  
Rock Hill, SC

## DESIGN WORK HISTORY:

### Freelancer, Sam I Are

Location: Rock Hill, SC  
Dates: September 2008–Present  
Duties: Web design and development

### Lab Instructor, Winthrop University

Location: Rock Hill, SC  
Dates: January 2010–Present  
Duties: Design Photoshop lessons and assignments, lecture

### Design Intern, T-Metrics Inc.

Location: Charlotte, NC  
Website: <http://www.tmetrics.com/>  
Dates: September 2007–December 2008  
Duties: Website maintenance, trade-show banner design, product diagram illustrations

## SKILLS:

### Adobe's Creative Design Suite:

Illustrator, InDesign, Photoshop, Dreamweaver, Flash

### Microsoft Office:

Word, Excel

### Web technologies:

HTML, CSS, PHP, Javascript, jQuery, WordPress, Blogger

## AREAS OF EXPERTISE:

Web design  
Blog design  
Package design  
Cross-media interaction design

## HONORS

Work featured in Design Observer ([www.designobserver.com](http://www.designobserver.com))