# Kevin Hoelscher

#### **EDUCATION**

Master of Architecture

#### **University of Oregon**

Furniture Design Studio

# Danmarks Designskole, (København)

B. B. A. Marketing and Entrepreneurship

### **Baylor University**

#### **PROFESSIONAL EXPERIENCE**

2005 to present

#### Founder and Director, Thumbtack Studios

[branding and design consultancy]

- Translating broader brand differentiation strategies into logo/identity design and an accompanying style guide
- Creating comprehensive graphic asset packages, including many forms
  of digital and printed pieces (websites, mobile apps, reports, banners,
  brochures, signage, decals, business cards, letterhead, swag)
- Managing complex web projects, including visual design, interactivity, features/functionality, content management, strategic messaging

2009 to present

## Co-Founder and Principal Designer, AgPRO Book-IT

[subscription-based service using custom web application]

- Managing new user outreach and relationships with existing user base for online reservation system targeted at agritourism industry
- Built from scratch in 2009, AgPRO Book-IT was used to create \$3.5 million in reservations (2019)

2001 to 2007

#### Co-Founder and Managing Director, Mount Aukum Winery

[award-winning winery built in 2001 from the ground up; sold to a private investor in 2007]

- Directed all financial functions, including accounting, budgeting, capitalization, and planning for multi-million dollar start-up
- Created company's strategic marketing plan and provided oversight and management of all tactical marketing efforts

1997 to 2001

# Equities Valuations Analyst and Mortgage Banking Relationship Manager

Performed financial analysis and client relationship management; awarded for performing in the top ten percent of the company (1998)

#### **OTHER EXPERIENCE**

2012-2018: Leadership Public Schools (Richmond) and Berkeley High School, Internship Mentor

2007-2011: The Crucible, Teacher

Taught various classes in adult and youth art enrichment programs, including furniture design, woodworking, design+build, and rocket cars

2006: CEO Women, Volunteer Entrepreneurship Coach

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#### **RECENT CLIENTS**

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