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I'm a textile and surface pattern designer with a creative, intelligent and professional approach. From initial inspiration to final presentation, I specialize in creating artwork to your specifications, both through hand-painting and the use of Photoshop and Illustrator, that is original and marketable.

DESIGN SKILLS

Croquis	Colorways
Designs in repeat	Weighed-in color combinations
Engineered designs	Precise color matching
Coordinates	Color trend research
Contemporary and classic designs	Range of painting styles and techniques
Knits and weaves	Mediums: Gouache, watercolor, dyes, oil pastels

TEXTILE SPECIALTIES

Yarns and fibers	Fabric identification and characteristics
Printing effects	Aesthetic and functional finishes

TARGET MARKETS

Fabrics	Packaging	Wallpaper	Carpeting and rugs
Dinnerware	Tabletop	Gift wrap	

COMPUTER SKILLS

Adobe Illustrator and Photoshop CS3
Product development and photo draping

PROFESSIONAL SKILLS

Clear communicator	Ability to prioritize and meet deadlines
Reliable, organized	Good team worker and co-creator

EDUCATION

2006 - Present California School of Professional Fabric Design, Berkeley, Calif.

References and portfolio of designs available on request.