

EDUCATION

Kutztown University of Pennsylvania

Bachelor of Fine Arts in Communication Design | May 2021

Concentration in Advertising and Graphic Design

GPA: 3.7

ACADEMIC ACHIEVEMENT AND INVOLVEMENT

Board of Governors Scholar | Fall 2017 - May 2021

- Involved in an academically driven community that practices successful career development
 - Attended meetings and social events to interact with community members

Dean's List

Fall 2017, Spring 2018, Spring 2020, Fall 2020, Spring 2021

Kutztown University AIGA Club Member | Fall 2018 - Spring 2021

- · Attended club meetings and participated in social events
 - Involved in club program where upperclassmen are paired with underclassmen to provide mentorship

Mumedi International "To Death With A Smile" Poster Competition | Fall 2019

- Named finalist for both poster entries to be displayed in the Mumedi Museum in Mexico City
 - Out of 5,000 international entries, 300 finalists were named

SKILLS

Highly Skilled

Adobe Photoshop Adobe Illustrator Adobe InDesign Social Media Marketing

Skilled
Photography
Typography
UI/UX Design
Web Design
Copywriting
Adobe After Effects

Soft Skills

Organization Detail Oriented Quick Problem Solver Team Leadership

DESIGN EXPERIENCE

Junior Graphic Designer

Concort Communications | Shaefferstown, PA | Aug. 2021 - Present

- Gained experience executing interactive design work such as PDFs and web design
- Responsible for constructing client website through AEM software and coding, as well as maintaining attentive communication with clients
- · Manage social media platforms for design agency and clients, create calendars organizing marketing post ideas, and schedule content posts
- Utilize Illustrator and InDesign to create illustrations using client's branding style guidelines

Creative Intern | Oct. 2020 - Nov. 2020

Freelance Design | Nov. 2020 - Jan. 2021

Ignite2x Marketing Agency | Allentown, PA

- Designed marketing posts, website banners, and illustrative content for clients through Photoshop, Illustrator, and InDesign
- Created original illustration and typography using client products for promotional purposes
- Utilized photography skills and perform high detail adjustments in Photoshop
- Accomplished fluent communication and teamwork through daily meetings with Creative Team
- Responsible for completing numerous monthly calendar marketing plans for clients

IDEA Studio Equipment Monitor

Kutztown University of PA | Kutztown, PA | Sept. 2019 - Oct. 2020

- Monitored equipment such as letterpress, laser cutter, 3D printing, silkscreen, and risograph
- · Produced student projects using equipment in studio
- · Responsible for keeping area organized, clean, and safe for all to use

WORK EXPERIENCE

Nanny

Palmyra, PA | Aug. 2013 - Dec. 2020

- · Cared for 8-year-old boy and twin 5-year-old boys
- · Organized and followed schedules for full day
- Used multi-tasking skills to keep kids entertained and complete home tasks

VOLUNTEER EXPERIENCE

Kutztown University AIGA Chapter Social Event | Oct. 2019

- · Planned and organized selected AIGA club event
- · Completed purchases for items needed to set up event
- · Decorated space for event using props and purchased decorations
- Scheduled games and entertainment to encourage a sociable environment among peers





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