

Professional Summary:

While focusing on studio art over these past years, I have developed a close relationship with color and creation within a defined space, as it relates to design. Further, having experience as a graphic designer has provided me with proficient skills with Adobe Photoshop, Illustrator and InDesign. Those programs have helped me create layouts and collaborate with different styles to accommodate clients. I enjoy working with people to create visions they may not have seen for themselves. My experience and skills have shown that I am committed to this field of study and I am determined to grow and learn from a position such as this.

Education:

Michigan State University; East Lansing, MI **Dec. 2018**
Bachelor of Fine Arts Studio Art (Painting & Photography Concentration)
Minor in Arts & Cultural Management

#Hashtag Gallery; Toronto, ON Canada **June 2018- July 2018**
Study Abroad Program Participant
Summer Gallery Intern

- Curated gallery exhibitions for local artists of Toronto & international artists
- Promoted upcoming art shows & weekly gallery events
- Maintained updates on websites and social media
- Assisted with gallery sales & maintenance

Experience:

Townhouse Restaurant; Detroit, MI **Jan. 2019-Current**
Host

- Greeted, assisted and created the best experience for guests upon entering the restaurant
- Created reservations using Resy/Open Table for guests and set up parties ranging from 1-30+ people
- Coordinated & plotted the guests on the floor as it relates to the flow of the restaurant

Lansing Art Gallery; East Lansing, MI **Jan. 2018- April 2018**
Exhibitions Intern

- Participated in artwork intake, inventory, installation, promotions and gallery receptions
- Planned & designed activities for the Education Center's summer art programs

The Eli & Edythe Broad Art Museum; East Lansing, MI **Aug. 2016- Aug. 2018**
Art Camp Intern

- Lead groups of campers through arts-related camp activities each day including studio, gallery, & outdoor activities
- Gained experience in arts integration, studio teaching, & teaching with contemporary art, as well as classroom management and communication skills

Gallery Guide

- Observed art patrons throughout galleries while answering questions, directing visitors and protecting artwork
- Contributed to event set up/take down, cleaning & maintenance

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N2 Publishing; East Lansing, MI
Graphic Designer Intern

Oct. 2015- April 2016

- Created new and revised ads for Lansing's private magazines
 - The Lakes
 - The Hills
- Accommodated personal clients by orchestrating meetings to discuss layout & upcoming designs or changes to ads

Foot Locker; Southfield, MI
Sales Lead, Part Time Manager

Aug. 2013-Current

- Began as a Cashier, promoted to Sales Lead
- Delivered sales, customer experience, merchandising, visual, and operational expectations
- Ensured high levels of customer satisfaction by being knowledgeable on all products offered, and teaming up with co-workers to provide excellent sales service

Exhibitions

2018 Michigan State University Undergraduate Juried Exhibition

- "Best of Show" Winner

Certifications:

International Association of Venue Managers Trained Crowd Manager

- Various employees employed by a venue for daily measures or special events and are not limited to security, ushers, or other employees traditionally associated with crowd control

Skills:

Adobe Photoshop, Adobe Illustrator, Microsoft Excel, Studio Artist (mediums include Painting, Photography & Graphic Design)