

Education

Art Institute of Atlanta-Decatur, 2012
Bachelors of Fine Arts in Graphic Design.
Graduated with Honors, 3.8 GPA

Emory University, 2008
Bachelors of Arts in Psychology and Sociology.
3.68 GPA

Experience

Senior Graphic Designer, RR Donnelley at The Home Depot, 2017–Present
Spearheaded large seasonal projects from concept through final release and production as part of the in-house visual merchandising team. Trained and oversaw a team of designers and production artists while working directly with the client to create innovative designs, delegating tasks and providing quality control. Noteworthy conceptual projects included Halloween 2022 and 2020, Holiday 2018, transitional Manhattan windows 2019, and numerous Spring projects.

Graphic Designer, RR Donnelley at The Home Depot, 2015–2017
Created and produced signage as part of the in-house visual merchandising team, primarily inbay, as well as promotional and corporate signage. Led the conceptual design on several large seasonal projects. Collaborated with the client, design and production teams to ensure timely and accurate project completion.

Designer/Production Artist, RR Donnelley at The Home Depot, July 2012–2014
Led the production team for large seasonal projects by training new temporary team members, assigning tasks, and ensuring technical accuracy and consistency across over 1,000 pieces of POP. Responsible for creating templates, building files and releasing final artwork to print.

Freelance Graphic Designer, Innoplast Solutions, June 2012–March 2016
Designed, built and maintained several websites for scientific conferences, as well as designing accompanying posters.

Peer Tutor, Art Institute of Atlanta-Decatur, July 2011–March 2012
Tutored students in Adobe Suite programs, primarily Dreamweaver (HTML and CSS), Illustrator, Photoshop, and InDesign.

Visual Artist, Free Your Mind Design, March 2007–April 2009
Created customized ink-on-canvas designs for clothing accessories

Assistant to Administrative Coordinator, Goizueta Business School at Emory University, September 2007–May 2008
Compiled timesheets for more than 100 employees. Processed and filed application paperwork. Oversaw office while administrative coordinator was out of the office.

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International Volunteer, Volunteers for Peace in Muzet, Belgium, July 2007
Worked in a team to improve functionality and appearance of historical site. Overcame language and cultural barriers to foster cultural exchange.

Assistant in Acquisitions/Serials Department, Woodruff Library at Emory University, October 2006–May 2007
Processed incoming books and serials, including foreign language titles, and catalogued newspapers into library database.

Stage Manager, Costume, Set Design, Starving Artist Productions/Ad Hoc Productions at Emory University, September 2004–October 2006
Collaborated with director to enhance performance. Conceptualized and created sets and costumes. Oversaw technical aspects of production, scheduling and rehearsals. Recruited and instructed members of technical crew. Multi-tasked in stressful environment.

Software Skills

- Adobe InDesign
- Adobe Illustrator
- Adobe Photoshop
- Adobe Dreamweaver
- Microsoft Office

Awards & Honors

Exhibition: STARS Student Show, Art Institute of Atlanta-Decatur, 2012
1 piece displayed

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5 pieces displayed
1st place in 3-D Design

Exhibition: STARS Student Show, Art Institute of Atlanta-Decatur, 2010
4 pieces displayed

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