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Education

AUGUST 2021 – MAY 2025

Huntington University, Huntington, IN – *Bachelor of Science*

Received a bachelor's degree in graphic design and minors in fine art and youth ministry.
Cumulative GPA: 3.83/4.0; Dean's List all semesters

Experience

MAY 2025 – PRESENT

Design Collaborative, Fort Wayne, IN – *Graphic Design Intern*

- Updated existing social media templates to attract more viewers and stay up to date with current trends, making both still and video templates for the marketing team to utilize.
- Met weekly with the Business Development and Marketing team to strategize how to better promote the DC brand.
- Shadowed the Senior Environmental Graphic Designer, and attended "Lunch and Learns" to understand more about the architecture industry.

AUGUST 2022 – MAY 2025

Huntington University, Huntington, IN – *Sojourner*

- Led and planned weekly "Floor Fellowships" on my dorm floor during the school semester, with an average attendance of 10-15 girls.
- Organized monthly events for the whole campus, in community with the other Sojourners in my dorm-building team.
- Mentored the girls on my floor through one-on-one conversations.

MAY 2024 – SEPTEMBER 2024

Next Level Education (NLE), Encino, CA – *Graphic Design Intern*

- Engaged with leadership and other content creators in a remote work environment.
- Designed digital flyers, pamphlets, and email campaigns for in-person and remote events at NLE.
- Developed printed promotional material for the NLE office, including business cards, brochures, and pricing sheets.
- Wrote compelling and informative copies for flyers, newsletters, pamphlets, and more.

AUGUST 2023 – APRIL 2024

Activity x Experience (AXE) Media, Huntington, IN – *Graphic Designer*

- Designed posters for events on the Huntington University campus to be used on the official @huntingtonaxe Instagram.
- Created weekly “what’s happening” Instagram post covers using Adobe Photoshop and Illustrator.
- Collaborated with a team of designers to create graphics for large on-campus events.

MAY 2023 – AUGUST 2023

United Brethren Global (UBG), Huntington, IN – *Graphic Design Intern*

- Created graphic content for the United Brethren in Christ 2023 US National Conference, including posters, magazines, marketing handouts, and tabletop displays.
- Refreshed content and designed cards and slides used for promotion and communication based on an updated marketing strategy.
- Photographed the UBG team, including individual headshots and group photos.

Skills

Adobe Creative Suite, Figma, Problem Solving, Resilience, Organization, Active listening, and Collaboration.

Awards & Honnors

Gold Addy Award

American Advertising Awards Fort Wayne
February 2024 and April 2025

3rd Place Overall

The 32nd Annual Huntington University Juried Student Art Exhibition
April 2022, March 2024, and March 2025

Kappi Pi International Honorary Art Society

Huntington University Department of Art & Design’s Zeta Alpha Pi Chapter
August 2023 – May 2025

Art & Design Performance Award

Huntington University Art & Design Department
August 2021 – May 2025

Silver Addy Awards

American Advertising Awards Fort Wayne
February 2024