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EDUCATION

University of Cincinnati Class of 2021

College of Design, Architecture, Art, and Planning (DAAP)

B.S. Communication Design | GPA 3.85

Participated in the Professional Practice Program, alternating semesters of study with work experience in the field of design.

ACTIVITIES + ACHIEVEMENTS

Chi Omega *Director of Marketing* 2016 - 2021

Delta Sigma Pi *Apparel Chair* 2017 - 2018

Design in Mind 2016 - 2018

Cincinnatus University Scholar

2016 - 2021

Dean's List 2016 - 2021

*references available upon request

WORK

Mertz Design Studio Graphic Designer

July 2021 - Present | Blue Ash, Ohio

Responsible for designing packaging, developing brands, e-commerce creation, social media management of multiple brands at any given time. Successfully meeting deadlines, managing clients, and presenting work.

Procter & Gamble Design Intern

September - December 2020 | Boston, Massachusetts Worked with brands such as Gillette, Venus, Joy, and more while managing working remotely on the Gooming Team. Explored hundreds of packaging updates and new concepts designed to target a new generation of consumers.

Kao USA Graphic Design Intern

May 2019 - May 2020 | Cincinnati, Ohio

Worked on global brands such as Jergens, Bioré, John Frieda, and more. Collaborated daily with designers on packaging designs, brand development, digital content creation, and corporate projects.

Zaptivity Graphic Design Co-op

September - December 2019 | Cincinnati, Ohio Assisted senior designers on projects for clients such as product packaging, trade shows, and web material. Designed early-stage brand concepts for company merge (now named "Arnold.")

Cincinnati Bengals Marketing Photographer

2018 Regular Season | Cincinnati, Ohio

Responsible for capturing, editing, and organizing game day photos of fans interacting with sponsored material where I utilized quick thinking, attention to detail, and composition skills.

SKILLS

Adobe Creative Suite | Microsoft Office Suite | Google Workspace | Maya Animation Software | InVision Studio | Keynote | Miro | Social Media | Photography | Digital Illustration