

Da'John Graves

Graphic Designer

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I am a Graphic Designer and Photographer, as well as a recent graduate from Bloomfield College. I've obtained a Bachelor of Arts while Majoring in Graphic Design with a Minor in Expanded Media. I have a lot of experience using the Adobe Softwares from Photoshop to After Effects, as well as some beginner knowledge in programs like Dreamweaver, Blender, Tinkercad, and HTML and Java web languages.

As far as experience, I've created advertisements for plays and different productions at my college including posters, flyers and banners. I was responsible for page designs in my high school year book and I've also worked in a small print shop creating stationary for Essex County Vocational Technical Schools. My last bit of experience was interning for Filmmaker David Gaynes as a concept artist.

Authorized to work in the US for any employer

Work Experience

Freelance Photographer

January 2018 to Present

Concept Artist

DG Filmworks - Remote

February 2021 to August 2021

I did an internship with Filmmaker David Gaynes, creating concept artwork for characters and locations for an animated documentary he's working on

Printer Operator

Essex County Vocational Technical Schools - Bloomfield, NJ

June 2016 to July 2016

Design and print stationary to be used by Essex Country Vocational Technical Schools

Education

Bachelor of Arts in Graphic Design

Bloomfield College - Bloomfield, NJ

August 2017 to May 2022

High school diploma

Essex County Technical Vocation Schools: Bloomfield Campus - Bloomfield, NJ

September 2013 to June 2017

Skills

- Graphic Design
- Adobe InDesign
- Adobe Illustrator (4 years)
- Typography
- Adobe Photoshop (9 years)
- Adobe Creative Suite
- Illustration
- Branding
- Layout Design
- Adobe After Effects
- User Experience (UX)
- Logo Design
- Adobe Acrobat
- Photography
- Adobe Premiere
- Video Editing
- Adobe Dreamweaver
- Digital Design
- Filming
- HTML5
- User Interface (UI)
- Photo manipulation
- Adobe XD
- Hand tools
- English
- Web Design
- Search Engine Optimization (SEO)
- Video Production
- Adobe Lightroom (4 years)
- Google Docs
- Google Suite
- Visual design

Languages

- English - Expert

Links

<http://linkedin.com/in/da-john-g-3094a1111>

<https://dajohngraves.myportfolio.com/>

<https://www.behance.net/gdajohn0a3a>

Awards

Cum Laude

May 2022

Graduated from Bloomfield College Cum Laude with a 3.5 GPA

Chi Alpa Sigma

May 2022

Graduated with High Honors as a Student Athlete

National Society of Leadership and Success

December 2021

Assessments

Graphic design — Highly Proficient

May 2022

Using graphic design techniques and producing visual media to communicate concepts

Full results: [Highly Proficient](#)

Customer focus & orientation — Proficient

May 2022

Responding to customer situations with sensitivity

Full results: [Proficient](#)

Attention to detail — Proficient

May 2022

Identifying differences in materials, following instructions, and detecting details among distracting information

Full results: [Proficient](#)

Indeed Assessments provides skills tests that are not indicative of a license or certification, or continued development in any professional field.

Groups

The National Society of Leadership and Success

November 2021 to Present

The NSLS is an organization that provides a life-changing leadership program that helps students achieve personal growth, career success, and empowers them to have a positive impact in their communities.

National College Athlete Honor Society - Chi Alpha Sigma

May 2022 to Present

Chi Alpha Sigma is a nonprofit organization established to recognize college student-athletes who excel both on and off the field of competition. Our honor society is the first and only academic fraternity that specifically recognizes four-year collegiate student-athletes for their athletic and academic successes.