



## EDUCATION

### UNIVERSITY COLLEGE CORK, IRELAND

Master of Art, September 2012-October 2013  
Major: Global Ethics-Philosophy & Sociology

### ACADEMY OF ART UNIVERSITY, CA

Master of Fine Arts, 2011-Year Sabbatical  
Major: Graphic Design

### UNIVERSITY OF WISCONSIN-STOUT, WI

Bachelor of Fine Arts, May 2010  
Major: Graphic Design  
Minor: Sociology

## MEET MELISSA!

Somewhat of a world traveler (by way of airplane ticket standards), rock climber and graphic designer, this native Wisconsinite relocated to the bountiful land of the West Coast in pursuit of her career. Along the way Melissa spent a year broadening her education in Ireland earning a Masters in Global Ethics. This lively lady's emphasis lies in typography as well as contemplating the complexities within the ethical dimensions of globalisation. Her love of design and philosophy has enabled Melissa to develop a variety of skills needed to succeed in a degree of fields.

## WORK EXPERIENCE

### APPIGE

03/13-05/13  
Graphic Designer, App Designer: Adobe Suite CS5.5

### AAU

09/11-07/12  
Receptionist and Designer, Graphic: Adobe Suite CS5.5 Other: Organization, Communication, Packaging

### STONE CREEK COFFEE

08/10-06/11  
Barista: knowledge of whole bean line-up & various brew systems, knowledge of regions & roasting. Created various espresso & non espresso beverages.

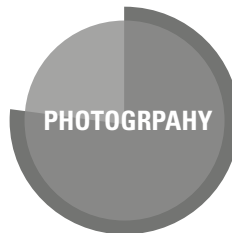
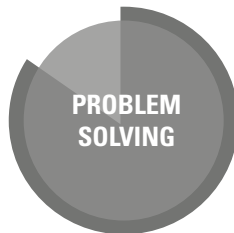
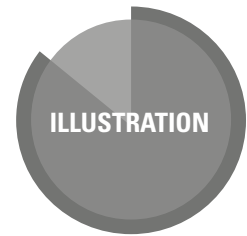
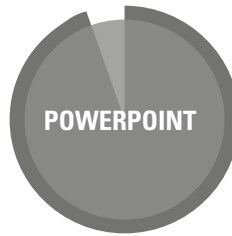
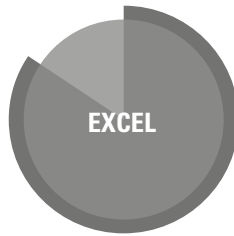
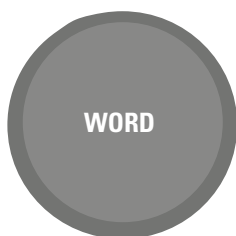
### JME

08/10-03/11  
Production Artist Intern, Graphic: Adobe Suite CS3 Other: Photographer

### MILWAUKEE COUNTRY CLUB

11/08-09/08  
Waitress, Bartender & Valet: Extensive knowledge of wine & spirit pairings, waitress skills & event planning & set up

## SOFTWARE & OTHER SKILLS



## SAY HELLO!

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## ORGS. & AWARDS

### ORGS.

Academic Honors Society, 2006-2010  
AIGA, 2006-2012  
Graphic Design Association, 2006-2010

### AWARDS

University of Wisconsin-Stout Chancellors Recipient, 2006-2010  
University College Cork, 1st Class Honors, 2012-2013