# BEN ENGEN

#### **ABOUT**

Hello! My name is Ben Engen. I am currently a junior at the University of Minnesota studying advertising. Other than a student, I am a Generalist with a range of skills and a passion for brand development and creative advertising. I'm motivated ready to get to work. Let's grab coffee!

#### **SKILLS**

Adobe Illustrator Adobe Photoshop

Adobe Premiere Pro Graphic Design

Video Production Microsoft Office

Adobe After Effects Music Production

Google Analytics r

Adobe XD html/css

#### **STRENGTHS**

Creative Thinker Communicator

Reliable Leader

Listener Problem Solver
Curiousity Critical Thinker

## **EDUCATION**

GPA: 3.87 5 Time Deans List Scholar

2018 - present

## **Bachelors Degree**

University of Minnesota

BA - Strategic Communication with Advertising Focus Minor - InterdiciplInary Design

2014 - 2018

## High School Diploma

Edina High School

### **EXPERIENCE**

January 2020 - Present

# Backpack

Graphic Designer

At Backpack, the University of Minnesota's student-run advertising agency, I create visual content for communication campaigns, events for the University, and external clients. I work in a team to bring creative briefs to life, developing creative ad content, brand guidelines, and other visual projects.

July 2019 - September 2019

## Modern Climate

Creative and Client Engagement Intern

As an intern at Modern Climate, a branding and advertising agency, my tasks ranged from new business research and prospecting, to creation of mailable one-pagers and in-house branded content.

June 2018 - August 2019

# Elliott Design and Build

Project Manager

At Elliott Design and Build, a landscaping company, I managed a small team and labored on various landscaping and hardscaping projects: retaining walls, patios, decks, yard care.

June 2017 - August 2017

## **FilmNorth**

Student Teaching Intern

I was a summer intern at FilmNorth, a non-profit independent filmmaking organization, teaching hands-on youth filmmaking classes for students.

## REFERENCES

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