

Colt McManis

Graphic Designer

Dynamic and innovative graphic designer with a passion for creating compelling visual narratives. Skilled in leveraging design expertise to elevate brand identities and drive engagement. Adept at collaborating with cross functional teams to deliver impactful results and solutions. Eager to leverage a diverse skill set and a proven track record of skillful achievement to contribute to a forward thinking organization.

Work Experience

Curry Printing HHI Inc./FASTSIGNS (June 2024–Present)

– Graphic Designer/Print Production

Crafts captivating designs across a diverse range of print media while collaborating with clients to grasp their design objectives and requirements, offering guidance to ensure their vision is realized in the final product.

Works in a deadline-driven environment while executing quality checks to ensure all printed materials perfectly adhere to high standards of quality and are error free.

St. Louis Surge GWBA Basketball (May 2023–August 2023)

– Graphic Design Intern

Spearheaded the creation of captivating graphics for both digital and print mediums, ensuring consistent brand representation across various media platforms.

Demonstrated an acute understanding of brand identity guidelines, resulting in visually cohesive marketing materials.

Strengthened valuable teamwork skills through collaborative efforts with diverse departments.

Ohio University Football (February 2023–May 2024)

– Graphic Designer

Contributed to the development of dynamic social media graphics for a prominent Division 1 FBS program, maintaining brand integrity and driving fan engagement.

Executed design projects with precision and creativity, incorporating feedback to refine deliverables and exceed expectations.

Sherwin Williams (April 2021–March 2024)

– Retail Color Consultant

Provided expert color consultations to customers, leveraging comprehensive knowledge of color theory to meet customer preferences and enhance living spaces.

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Education

BFA, Graphic Design
Ohio University CoFA
Athens, Ohio

Minor, Marketing
Ohio University CoB
Athens, Ohio

Skills

Adobe InDesign
Adobe Photoshop
Adobe Illustrator
Adobe After Effects
Adobe Bridge
Adobe Camera Raw
Visual Studio Code (html, css, and js)
Photography
Problem solving
Communication
Collaboration

Languages

English – Native
Spanish – Learning



Exhibitions

Junk Drawer 2024

Pro Sports Almanac: NFL Edition

Digital Prints

Who Gets to Decide? 2023

London Ramparts

Mixed Media

39th annual Foothills Art Festival 2021

Untitled I, Untitled II

Digital Photograph(s)

Awards & Scholarships

39th annual Foothills Art Festival 2021

3rd Place Amateur 2D (Untitled I)

Ohio University Dean's List

Fall 2020–Spring 2024

Ohio Promise Award Scholarship

2020–2024

Ohio Distinction Scholarship

2020–2024

Ohio Success Scholarship

2020–2024

Ohio Together Scholarship

2020–2024

Scottish Rite Scholarship

2021, 2022, 2023

Professional Memberships

Member

AIGA (American Institute of Graphic Arts)

Member

APA (American Planning Association)

References

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