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Objective

To find a graphic arts or illustration job to continue learning how to use visuals to aid communication.

Education

Carnegie Mellon University '17
Bachelor of Humanities & Arts (BHA)
Art & Cognitive Neuroscience
GPA 3.94/4.0

Relevant Courses

Color
Imaging
Art & the Brain
Human Experience in Design
Computing for Creative Practice
Cognitive Psych. Research Methods
Cognitive Neuropsychology

Honors

Honor Society of Phi Kappa Phi
Dean's List each semester 2013-17
National Federation of Press Women
1st Place Graphics Award
Columbia Scholastic Press Association
1st Place Photo Illustration Award
Golden Circle Award for Illustration

Skills

Adobe Creative Suite
Wacom Tablet drawing
Illustrations
Drawing
Painting
Research

Experience

Researcher & Illustrator | Temple Sinai

Aug 2016 - Present | Pittsburgh, PA

Researched Autism and how symbols help communicate. Creating a symbol library for Temple Sinai to use at their Autism-friendly shabbats. Designing a banner and sticker-based prayer pamphlets to make the symbols interactive.

Graphic Artist Intern | Tobii Dynavox

May 2016 - Present | Pittsburgh, PA

Create communication symbols and childrens' book illustrations for users of Augmentative and Alternative Communication devices to use in place of verbal speech.

Art Coordinator | CMU Philharmonic

Spring 2015 - Present | Pittsburgh, PA

Organize art shows to precede concerts. Recruit artists, decide theme, advertise on campus and social media.

Illustrator & Animator | Stanford Medical School

Summer 2015 | Stanford, CA

Animated a 6-week whiteboard-style tutorial series for a Stanford Medical School study on sleep and wellbeing.

Research Assistant | Fusion.tech, Inc.

Summer 2015 | Stanford, CA

Helped plan research for a VR psychological treatment. Completed a literature review as preliminary research.

Marketing Merchandise Chair | Alpha Phi

Fall 2014 - 15 | Pittsburgh, PA

Designed and produced merchandise including sweatshirts, shirts, bags, socks, and scarves for the sorority chapter. Promoted a brand image for the sorority.

Art Director | Verde Magazine

Fall 2011 - 13 | Palo Alto, CA

Produced cover images and illustrations for news magazine. Designed merchandise for the staff to wear.

Researcher | Lucile Packard Children's Hospital

Fall 2011 - 13 | Palo Alto, CA

Designed clinical study on anxiety and surgery recovery.