

# SARAH BARKER

## CONTACT

## **EXPERIENCE**



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## **SKILLS**

**BRANDING** 

PRINT PRODUCTION

**GRAPHIC DESIGN** 

**PRINT DESIGN** 

**ADOBE INDESIGN** 

ADOBE PHOTOSHOP

ADOBE ILLUSTRATOR

ADOBE XD

**WEB DESIGN** 

**FAST LEARNER** 

ORGANIZED

SOCIAL MEDIA

MULTITASKING IN A FAST PACE ENVIRONMENT

# **EDUCATION**

#### BACHELOR OF ARTS ADVERTISING

MICHIGAN STATE UNIVERSITY 2011 - 2015

#### **ASSOCIATE DIGITAL ARTIST**

COMMONWEALTH//MCCANN • JUL 2018 - MAY 2020 • DETROIT, MI

- Created digital mechanical files for a variety of print-based mediums, using the Adobe Creative Suite, from an approved creative layout, while adhering to production specifications, client brand guidelines, proper typography and design principles.
- Maintained the highest degree of creative integrity, design and production quality while meeting tight deadlines.
- · Worked in collaboration with the Creative, Project Management and Account teams.

### **GRAPHIC DESIGNER**

AMERISURE • MAR 2018 - MAY 2018 • FARMINGTON HILLS, MI

- · Designed web banners and social media graphics.
- Updated internal branding materials as needed.
- · Provided graphic design support for lead designer.

#### DIGITAL DESIGN STRATEGIST

COATES COMMUNICATION • DEC 2016 - DEC 2017 • WARREN, MI

- Brainstormed and strategized from concept to completion to design brand-consistent materials.
- Created new design templates for marketing the services for clients.
- · Redesigned and designed new logos.

#### **CONTENT COORDINATOR**

SS DIGITAL MEDIA • AUG 2017 - JAN 2018 • TROY, MI

- Developed original content for blogs for a diverse client range.
- Responsible for the creation and scheduling of monthly social media calendars for a variety of clients.
- Continued to help with the creation of social media graphics and display ads when needed.
- Wrote copy for a variety of our client's accounts that met brand standards.
- Managed social media daily for each of our clients pages.
- Assisted with the training of interns each semester.

#### CREATIVE INTERN

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- · Collaborated with accounts and creative team to design display and social ads and for various clients.
- Created custom graphic design materials for the web and print while maintaining brand consistency.
- Helped design and build new landing pages using Wordpress from concept to completion.

## POINT OF SALE PRODUCTION DESIGNER

IMPERIAL BEVERAGE • JAN 2016 - MAR 2017 • KALAMAZOO, MI

- · Produced custom POS items for use in the marketplace at locations across the state of Michigan.
- Prepared daily reports and used the "Lost Sales Report" to create Point of Sale items.
- Oversaw point of sale inventory as well as packaging of inventory for delivery.
- Exceeded my weekly production goal per hour on a regular basis.