# RACHEL G WEEKS | GRAPHIC DESIGNER

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### **EDUCATION**

Drake University Bachelor of Arts | Graphic Design

Des Moines, Iowa Bachelor of Arts in Journalism and Mass Communications | Magazines

Graduated May of 2014

### PROFESSIONAL EXPERIENCE

September 2017 Brand Design Manager at dfine Branding, Denver. Created print and digital designs January 2019 for dozens of brands including Deloitte and LG. Maintained in-house social media.

May 2014 Web Editor at Meredith Corporation, Des Moines. Wrote, edited, and designed August 2017 web content for online publications like More, Parents, and Divine Caroline.

September 2013 Design Apprentice at Meredith Corporation, Des Moines. Designed Traditional Home May 2014

magazine spreads and web downloads. Assisted art director on photo shoots.

May 2013 Communications Intern at POPAI, Chicago, Designed, edited, and wrote promotional

August 2013 materials including an email newsletter, infographics, and brochures.

May 2012 Design Intern at Meredith Corporation, Des Moines. Designed trend presentations, May 2013 brochures, and various promotional materials for the brand licensing department.

## ADDITIONAL EXPERIENCE

February 2014 Editor-in-Chief of Think Mag and think-mag.com, a student-produced digital May 2014 publication. Established and maintained the Think brand. Managed a staff of 19.

January 2013 Art Director for the Drake Relays edition of campus newspaper, The Times-Delphic.

May 2013 Worked alongside Editor-in-Chief to style, design, and produce the paper.

August 2010 Freelance Designer and Journalist. Written and designed for Fitness magazine, May 2014 Urban Plains magazine, Think magazine, Drake Mag, and The Times-Delphic.

### **ACTIVITIES**

Vice President of Programming, Director of New Members November 2011

November 2013 Delta Gamma Fraternity

May 2011 Campus Communications Coordinator May 2012 Residence Hall Association, Drake University

### SKILLS

Proficient on both Adobe Creative Suite HTML / CSS Social Media Management Mac and Windows Microsoft Office Wordpress HootSuite Certified

### **HONORS**

AEJMC | First-place Individual Outstanding Residence Hall Leader, Received as a student at Drake University Startup Magazine Project Dean's List, Order of Omega, Cum Laude