

MAX LAIR

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SUMMARY

Senior graphic design student seeking a career where I can use creative problem solving and my substantial knowledge of design principles to make the world a better place. Additional skills include:

Platform and Tool Versatility
Design Process Competence
Front-End Development

Communication Skills
Organizational Planning
Client Satisfaction

Self-Established Goals
Time Management
Clean and Packaged Work

EDUCATION

Cedarville University

BF Visual Communication Design;
GPA: 3.75
August 2020 - June 2022

Liberty University

BFA Graphic Design;
GPA: 4.00
August 2022 - Present

Anticipated Completion: June 2022:

Honors: Dean's List (Fall 2020; Spring 2021; Fall 2021; Spring 2022;); Faculty Excellence Scholarship; One Campus Leadership Scholarship; Pastor's Recommendation Scholarship; 3.75 High School GPA.

Relevant Coursework: Advanced Graphic Design; Advanced Typography; Three-Dimensional Design; Two-Dimensional Design; History and Influences of Design; Portfolio, Semester Internship; Art History; Foundations of Drawing/Illustration; Applied Design & Tool Configuration; Web Design & Development; Printing/Printmaking; Motion Graphics; Videography.

RELEVANT EXPERIENCE

LifeQuest Studios | *Graphic Designer*

Miamisburg, OH | March/2021–Present

- Applied knowledge of good design principles to client work.
- Personally oversaw design of projects (concerning user interface or complex graphics).
- Worked often alongside several other designers to overcome a challenging project.
- Designed and developed the company website and design portfolio.
- Became proficient with the printing and advertising equipment (i.e vinyl cutter and planner printer).

Freelance Experience | *Illustrator & Graphic Designer*

August/2019–Present

- Worked with ZCI to create printable advertisements and t-shirt designs.
- Offered services to multiple churches and provided information design and branding.
- Created illustrations and logos for Universities, like Cedarville University.

Center for Teaching and Learning | *Illustrator & Graphic Designer*

Cedarville, OH | August/2020–June/2021

- Composed various medical illustrations for a published textbook, while working alongside professors.
- Worked in after effects and other video processing software.
- Filmed lectures and informational videos on industry standard equipment.

OTHER EXPERIENCE

Orion Coffee and Tea | *Barista*

Cedarville, OH | August/2020–June/2021

- Developed foundational skills in dealing with customer service, and the needs of the consumer.

TimKat Cleaning Services | *Senior Cleaner*

OH | April/2017–March/2020

- Conducted janitorial services for a variety of companies and buildings.
- Awarded the title of Senior Cleaner for outstanding work.

ACTIVITIES

Certified in Adobe Creative Cloud Applications (Adobe Photoshop CC; Adobe Illustrator CC; Adobe InDesign CC); Illustrations in Published Textbook; Designed several mobile applications from concept to completion; One-on-one youth discipleship and service; Multiple mission trips.

