



Megan Diddie

Visual Communicator

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Portfolio

<https://mdiddie.github.io/diddie-design/>

About

Artist with a keen eye for detail and storytelling. Reliable and effective interactions, focused on delivering assets on deadline.

Selected Experience

2012-present

Freelance Design, Illustration, Video Editing

- create, produce, and edit animation and motion graphics using Adobe After Effects, Illustrator, and Photoshop
- generate handdrawn and digital illustrations
- design graphics for web and print using Indesign, Illustrator, and Visual Code Studio

2018-present

Moth, Retail Ecommerce

- create video and photography content for Instagram and Shopify using Photoshop and After Effects
- design and brainstorm concepts for Mailchimp weekly e-mail campaigns

2018

Marwen, Teaching Artist

- taught After Effects, Photoshop, and drawing to middle school students

2015-2018

Riverside Graphics, Print Production Artist

- operated Konica Minolta printers and various pre-press equipment
- managed paper inventory and ordered paper for daily production needs

Skills

- After Effects
- Illustrator
- Indesign
- Photoshop
- Premiere
- Storyboards
- HTML/CSS
- Javascript
- Figure drawing
- Watercolor
- Animation
- Video Editing
- Visual Code Studio

Education

2019 - Current

HTML/CSS, and Javascript courses for designers at SuperHi Academy

2015

Master of Fine Arts in Studio Art, University of Illinois at Urbana-Champaign

2011

Post Baccalaureate Certificate in Painting and Drawing, School of the Art Institute of Chicago

2008

Bachelor of Fine Arts in Painting and Art History, Santa Clara University

Awards

DCASE Chicago Grant Recipient

(Department of Cultural Affairs and Special Events), 2019

Completed video piece exploring Chicago's public bathhouses and parks

Student ACE Award

(arts, culture, and education), 2014

Outstanding achievement as studio manager for Fresh Press, highlighting community paper-making workshops