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graphic designer

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EDUCATION

BRIGHAM YOUNG UNIVERSITY-IDAHO

graphic design with ux/ui emphasis

SEPTEMBER 2022 - PRESENT

I am currently in my fifth semester as a Junior studying Graphic Design, with an emphasis in User Experience and User Interface (UX/UI). As of right now, I have a GPA of 3.98.

CITRUS VALLEY HIGH SCHOOL

AUGUST 2018 - JUNE 2022

I graduated in the Top Fifty of my class consisting of over 500 students. During High School I was a co-founder and the Secretary of the American Childhood Cancer Organization (ACCO), the Editor-In-Chief in Yearbook, a participant in many community service opportunities, and more.

SKILLS

Adobe InDesign Adobe Illustrator Adobe Photoshop Microsoft Suite

PROFILE

As a current college student, I work hard to accomplish my educational goals and am eager to accomplish my professional goals as well. At present, I have a 3.98 GPA as a student in Graphic Design. Once I complete my college career, I hope to begin a professional one in the Graphic Design field with an emphasis in User Experience and User Interface. My portfolio was accepted this past semester, so I am actively preparing to enter my emphasis classes in the upcoming semester.

EXPERIENCE

EDITOR-IN-CHIEF | Citrus Valley High School Yearbook

JULY 2020 - JUNE 2022

As Editor-In-Chief I was responsible for curating thematic elements, designs, spread, and more to create a working Yearbook that applied to all different types and groups of people attending our school. I worked with my Administrator and directly with our Yearbook company YB2 to photo correct images (change lighting, and cut out backgrounds) in Photoshop, design the cover and spreads in InDesign, and ensure that our team was running smoothly. I helped edit and refine spreads made by my team, took photos for sports and various other activities, and gathered quotes and interviews needed.

RELEVANT COURSEWORK

ART 235: GRAPHIC DESIGN

FALL SEMESTER 2023

In this course, we worked on several design projects. One such project was compiling student's written works into a publication called the Outlet, where we as Graphic Design students were able to design each spread to fit each written work. Through the class, I was able to further my design, leadership, communication, and teamwork skills.

ART 230: TYPOGRAPHY

SPRING SEMESTER 2023

In this course, I was able to further my typography skills exponentially. Through the help of my professor, I was able to learn different design principles that helped me to understand visual hierarchy, color in type, the importance on focusing on type instead of solely an image based design, etc.