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EDUCATION

EMPLOYMENT

University of Southern California

Los Angeles, CA / Graduating May 2016 B.A. in Fine Arts, emphasis in Graphic Design Minor in Communication Design Cumulative GPA: 3.86

VOLUNTEERING

USC Troy Camp

Los Angeles, CA / May 2011-Present

Director of Camper Recruitment

Organizing 40+ counselors and 19 local schools to recruit students for our one-week summer camp. (2013-2014)

Graphic Designer

Creating promotional materials (e.g. digital banners, shirts, invitations) for membership and special events.

Re-branding Project

I initiated and led a project to rethink Troy Camp's communication systems and visual identity.

InterVarsity Trojan Christian Fellowship

Los Angeles, CA / Feb. 2013-Present

Graphic Designer

Creating designs to promote teaching series.

EXHIBITIONS

California African American Museum

Los Angeles, CA / Spring-Summer 2015

"Shared Otherness"

Invited by former design instructors, I created a conceptual sculpture piece about the school-to-prison pipeline for a show about social injustice in L.A.

72andSunny

Los Angeles, CA / Summer 2015

Graphic Design Intern

Concepted and designed digital paid media produced for Skylanders Superchargers, Call of Duty Black Ops 3, and Destiny. Designed in-store print materials for Fresh & Easy.

USC Korean Studies Institute

Los Angeles, CA / Aug. 2013-Present

Graphic Designer

Creating digital & print promotional materials for lecture, film festivals, and special events put on by the Institute.

Natural History Museum of Los Angeles County

Los Angeles, CA / Sept. 2012-May 2013

Office Assistant

Digitally & physically archiving related press releases and documents from previous fiscal years; organizational tasks.

Johns Hopkins Univ. Center for Talented Youth

LMU, Los Angeles, CA / Summers 2013 & 2014

Residential Assistant

Acclimating students to camp culture, planning and executing activities such as Harry Potter Trivia and Beyoncé Appreciation.

Freelance - Brand Consultation

Identity work for various new companies.

Spop, After Eleven Productions, Brand New Theatre, Cardinal Gardens Apartments, Abilifind, Unum, Mureality.

SKILLS

Photoshop, Illustrator, InDesign Hand-lettering & Typography, Presentation design, Static & Interactive digital banners, Traditional illustration, Windowsill gardening.