Graphic & Digital Designer

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Education Virginia Commonwealth University, School of the Arts (VCUarts)

2016–2020 / Richmond, Virginia

Bachelor of Fine Arts in Graphic Design

Academic Experience

Applied Curatorial Practices

November 2019-December 2019 / Richmond, Virginia

Exhibition & Publication Designer

Designed exhibition vinyl, programming flyer, and exhibition catalogue.

Curator

Curated a group exhibition of Philadelphia artists with six other undergraduate VCUarts students who were nominated to participate by their respective departments.

"Splitting the Kinetic Screen: Generative and Narrative Possibilities for Teaching."

(INTER)PLAY, MODE: Motion Design Education Summit. May 2019—June 2019 / Massey University, Wellington, New Zealand.

Video from Course: Visual Narrative Spring 2019. Works presented, screened, and published.

Freelance Experience

United Faith Christian Ministry

August 2016-October 2020 / Stafford, Virginia

Freelance Designer

Produced event graphics, newsletters, and advertisements

Richmond Urban Ministry Institute

January 2018-May 2018 / Stafford, Virginia

Freelance Designer

Produced resume templates

Skills

Software: Illustrator, Photoshop, InDesign, Sketch, Premiere Pro,

Final Cut Pro

Programming: Html, CSS, Javascript

Misc: Laser cutting, Bookbinding, Vinyl Application, Silkscreen Interests: Creative coding, Curatorial practice, Archival practice,

Exhibition design

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Awards

Black History in the Making Award

Department of African American Studies at VCU Awarded February, 2019

University Student Scholar

Awarded August, 2018

VCUarts Dean's List

Awarded 2017, 2018, & 2019

Exhibitions & Fairs

"When the Whirlwind Begins" Exhibition

November 2019—December 2019 / The Anderson Gallery Richmond, Virginia

"Sight, Site, Cite" Publishing Fair

March 2019 | Graphic Design Center

Richmond, Virginia

"As, Not For: Dethroning Our Absolutes" Response Exhibition

February 2019 / The Anderson Gallery Richmond, Virginia

"Cmnd+C Cmnd+V: An Excelstencil Crisis" Exhibition

October 2018 / Graphic Design Center

Richmond, Virginia

Annual Student Juried Show

Fall 2018 / The Anderson Gallery Richmond, Virginia

Open Night

Fall 2017, 2018, 2019 / Department of Graphic Design Richmond, Virginia

Preview Weekend Showcase

Fall 2017 | Department of Graphic Design

Richmond, Virginia