



EXPERIENCE

A PASS EDUCATIONAL GROUP, LLC Farmington Hills, MI

Director of Art Development (2012 - 2014)

- Senior management position, lead a team of contracted illustrators and designers
- Communicated new ideas and business strategies to clients and fellow project managers
- Provided in-house educational assessment content and supplementary material for both print and web
- Designed work in vector graphics, occasionally hand-drawn media

EN GARDE! DETROIT Detroit, MI

Creative Director and Head Epee Coach (2011 - 2012)

- Designed a creative campaign to promote En Garde! Detroit's many services to the youth of Detroit
- Researched, promoted, and created a market for fencing for all ages in the Detroit area
- Assisted in development of a comprehensive fencing program and the establishment of the first fencing club in Detroit

EMBROIDME Wyandotte, MI

Design and Production Manager (2011)

- Clients: Gabriel Richard H.S., University of Detroit Mercy, Wayne State University, local Downriver and Detroit Businesses
- Designed work in digital media, rendered in embroidery or screen print
- Produced custom embroidered, garment, and silk screened clothing and merchandise
- Inspired creative thinking while supporting local businesses throughout the Metro Detroit area

FREELANCE, Detroit, MI

Graphic Designer, Illustrator (2007 - Present)

- UDM TITAN ATHLETICS - Print and Web Advertising Design
- WHERE TO FIND CARE, LLC - Branding and Graphic/Web Design
- UDM VARSITY NEWS - Comic Strip Illustrator
- SCRAPBOOKS MEGA MEET, LLC - Graphic/T-Shirt Design
- RING OF FIRE ENTERTAINMENT - Advertising and Promotional Graphic Design

EDUCATION

UNIVERSITY OF DETROIT MERCY

Bachelor of Arts in Digital Media Studies

Graduated Summa Cum Laude - May 2011

Minor - Philosophy

Relevant Coursework - Graphic Design, Print/Typography, Illustration, Advertising, Branding, Identity, Film

ABILITIES AND ACCOMPLISHMENTS

SPECIALTY

Renaissance Man. Hand Drawn Design and Illustration. Being Awesome.

SOFTWARE PROFICIENCIES

6+ years experience - Photoshop, Illustrator, InDesign, Power Point, Excel

2+ years experience - Premiere, Final Cut Pro, Dreamweaver, CorelDRAW, Tajima Embroidery

NOTEWORTHY ACHIEVEMENTS

- Eagle Scout Award
- Alpha Phi Omega Member and Recipient of the 2011 Chapter Distinguished Service Key
- NCAA Division I Varsity Fencer (2009-2011) - 10th Place NCAA Regional Qualifier for Epee
- 2nd Place 2011 Michigan Collegiate Press Association Award for Best Original Cartoon - Six & 'Nois
- Published in UDM art publication: [sic] (2011)
- UDM Presidential Ambassador (2007-2011)
- UDM Writing Center Consultant (2009-2011)
- Basic Understanding of French and Italian
- Pokémon Master and Jedi Knight