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ADVOCATE

ART DIRECTOR

AUTHOR

CODER

CONSENSUS-BUILDER

DESIGNER

I'm a multi-disciplinary designer and coder with a voracious appetite for knowledge. I want to solve problems — big and small — and use my skills to create a more equitable world.

EXPERIENCE

CIVIS ANALYTICS

2021-Present

Senior Digital Marketing Web Lead

I am responsible for maintaining and feature development for the digital marketing properties at Civis. In my role, I supervise the Senior Graphic Design position and manage relationships with external vendors and contractors. I'm working to create sustainable workflows and documentation for succession planning within my vertical with an eye towards future expansion.

THE TREVOR PROJECT

2017-2021

Senior Designer & Web Lead

I managed the digital properties and was responsible for all of the graphic design projects for the organization. I facilitated the work of partner organizations, volunteers, and third-party vendors to ensure brand consistency and managed the email workflow for all external communications. As a member of the marketing team, I coordinated with the staff across the organization to develop graphics suited for each audience and platform.

AMERICAN UNIVERSITY LIBRARY

2003-2017

Design & Marketing Coordinator

After working as support staff for two years at AU, I successfully lobbied to create a position for myself as the library's graphic designer. Later, I was able to create a case for adding the responsibility of marketing coordination to my purview. I was responsible for creating a cohesive visual identity, providing the library with a prominent presence on campus, and addressing the day-to-day design needs of the organization. As the sole designer, I had the ability to take on many additional responsibilities, such as print buying, photography, copy writing, editing, web design & development, and running an in-house print shop. Additionally, I managed and mentored design assistants and chaired the cross-departmental marketing team.

FEARLESS FUTURE

2005-Present

Co-Owner/Art Director

A two-person shop, my business partner and I started Fearless Future to work exclusively with nonprofits and to continue working together after she relocated to Arizona. We both have full-time jobs, but see our partnership as a way to make meaningful change in the nonprofit sector.

EDUCATION

AMERICAN UNIVERSITY

2012

Bachelor of Arts, Graphic Design

AWARDS

- 2020 American Inhouse Design Award, Graphic Design USA
- 2019 American Inhouse Design Award, Graphic Design USA
- 2018 Silver Award, Landing Page for Marketing, W³ Awards
 - American Inhouse Design Award, Graphic Design USA
- **2017** Silver Award, Non-profit Website, W³ Awards
 - American Web Design Award,
 Graphic Design USA
- **2016** American Graphic Design Award, *Graphic Design USA*
- **2015** Gold Award, Annual Report category, Davey Awards
 - American Inhouse Design Award,
 Graphic Design USA

- 2014 Silver Awards, Science & Annual Report categories, Davey Awards
- 2013 Silver Award, Self-Promotion Mobile Site, W³ Awards
 - Website Merit Award, Art Directors
 Club of Metropolitan Washington
- **2012** Sappi Ideas that Matter Grant Recipient
- **2011** Two designs featured in: *Corporate Brochure Designs* Tokyo: PIE Books
 - In HOWse Design Award, HOW Magazine
- **2010** Award of Excellence,

 Communicator Awards
 - American Inhouse Design Award,
 Graphic Design USA
- **2008** Creativity + Commerce Business Graphics Award, *Print Magazine*



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LIFE-LONG LEARNER

LEADER

MANAGER

MARKETER

MENTOR

SYSTEMS-THINKER

SKILLS

CMS

CodeIgniter
Convio
Drupal
Netlify
WordPress

CRM

Constant Contact
Luminate
MailChimp
Salesforce
Zoho

CROSS-DISCIPLINE

3D Design Multi-channel Campaigns Project Management Video Editing Writing/Editing

FULL STACK

Git
HTML/CSS/JS
MySQL
PHP
RESTful APIs

INTERPERSONAL

Consensus Building
Design Thinking
Empathy
Mentorship
Systems Thinking

SOFTWARE

Adobe Creative Cloud Figma Microsoft Office Suite Sketch Sublime Text