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EDUCATION

California State University, Monterey Bay, Seaside, CA May 2024
Bachelor of Science in Communication Design, concentration in Visual Design

West Valley College May 2022
Associate of Arts in UX and App Design
Associate of Arts in Liberal Arts and Humanities
Certificate of Achievement in Graphic Design

SKILLS

Video and Motion Graphics: Adobe After Effects, Adobe Premiere Pro, Cinema4D, FrameWrx
Graphic and UX Design: Adobe Photoshop, Illustrator, InDesign, XD, Lightroom, Figma, Canva
Software: Microsoft Office, Google Suite, Mailchimp
Coding Languages: HTML5, CSS, JavaScript

WORK EXPERIENCE

Daktronics Jan 2025 - Present
Motion Designer and FrameWrx Project Manager San Jose, CA (Remote)

- Delivered editable motion templates in FrameWrx for businesses and community centers, optimized for visibility and driver safety on roadside displays
- Enhanced live sporting event experiences for colleges and high schools by customizing Adobe After Effects templates with team branding across varied formats (16:9, ribbon, vertical)
- Managed full production pipeline for FrameWrx template projects — coordinating with in-house and freelance artists, ensuring editability, and performing final quality assurance
- Solved complex resizing and brand compliance challenges for sports catalog content while maintaining visual integrity

Associated Students of CSU Monterey Bay July 2023 - May 2024
Digital Content Specialist Seaside, CA

- Created print and digital marketing materials for school events and announcements, including the AS Elections marketing campaign which resulted in a record number of participants (15 total candidates)
- Designed and produced event signage and provided on-site event support
- Coordinated with AS elected officers and the media production department to broadcast messages and inform the student body about AS proceedings and initiatives

West Valley College Jan 2022 - May 2022
Lab Assistant Saratoga, CA

- Co-produced the Spring 2021 WVC Virtual Fashion Show, which included conducting photoshoots, shooting runway footage, editing interviews, and compiling footage into a final video
- Produced a promotional video for the Cilker School of Art and Design program to be featured online and at campus events

PROJECTS

California State University, Monterey Bay Jan 2024 - Apr 2024
ESports Lounge Interior Wallpaper Seaside, CA

- Designed all graphic assets for all 4 walls of the ESports lounge located in the Otter Student Union
- Easily implemented client feedback by using linked files within Adobe Illustrator and Photoshop to maintain a nondestructive workflow
- Collaborated with print vendors to ensure quality and accuracy of printed materials