



OBJECTIVE:

To obtain a position using visual media to communicate stories and ideas.

SUMMARY:

A motivated worker that enjoys a challenge and is content working individually or in groups. Is comfortable using both traditional and digital media and is always willing to learn something new. Graduate of the Savannah College of Art and Design.

SOFTWARE:

Photoshop, Illustrator, InDesign, Premiere, Flash, After Effects, Maya, ToonBoom Harmony, Microsoft Office Suite, GNU Image Manipulator, Audacity, Flipbook

EDUCATION:

GRAPHIC DESIGN

MISSOURI WESTERN STATE UNIVERSITY // ST. JOSEPH, MO // 2016 - 2017

Additional Graphic Design courses at MWSU, including courses in Film, Photography, Painting, and Typography.

BACHELOR OF FINE ARTS - ANIMATION

SAVANNAH COLLEGE OF ART & DESIGN // SAVANNAH, GA // GRAD. 2014

Including courses in: Character Design, Life Drawing, Color Theory, 3D Modeling, Art History, Design, and Storyboarding.

WORK EXPERIENCE:

WALSWORTH PUBLISHING

BROOKFIELD, MO // GRAPHIC DESIGNER // 2017 - PRESENT

- Works independently or meets with client to design custom yearbook covers and endsheets from sketch to final print.
- Creates custom designs for accompanying applications (hot foil, embossing, lasercuts, etc.) to company specifications.
- Travels to meet with clients in person at company-hosted workshops when necessary, or virtually via a conference application.
- Handles multiple projects at once with set deadlines for approx. 160-180 different clients per year.

AMERISOURCE BERGEN

KANSAS CITY, MO // DISTRIBUTION CENTER ASSOCIATE // 2016

- Worked independently to a strict speed standard, filling machines with product amounts as they fill orders during the shift.
- Accurately and quickly figured numbers of items being filled in order to maintain inventory accuracy.

GORDMANS INC.

ST. JOSEPH, MO // SALES ASSOCIATE // 2014 - 2016

- Worked independently or in teams, interacting with guests or working outside of store hours.
- Processed new merchandise, marked down sale items, assisted guests, set up displays, or operated a POS system in a fast paced, changing environment.

C & H GOLF BALL

ST. JOSEPH, MO // FREELANCE ILLUSTRATION // 2012

- Designed mascot character for golf store products and labels.
- Worked with company officials to customize design for different printing situations.

OTHER PROJECTS:

STORYBOARD ARTIST // Disillusioned (Student Film) // 2014

DIRECTOR, CHARACTER DESIGN, STORBOARDS, ANIMATION // The Mage's Rabbit (Student Film) // 2013 -14

CONCEPT ARTIST // 5000 Fathoms (Student Film) // 2013

PORTFOLIO SITE:

<http://www.laurenkellam.com>