

EDUCATION

Northern Illinois University

B.F.A. in Visual Communication (i.e. Graphic Design)

CERTIFICATION

Certified Scrum Master

Scrum Alliance

SKILLS

Art Direction

Brand Design & Development

Communications

Email Marketing

File Organization

HTML Editing

Layout & Typography

Print Design & Pre-Press

Project Management

Social Media Design

Video Editing

Visual Hierarchy

Web and Landing Page Design



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DESIGN EXPERIENCE

Alma Lasers | Senior Art Director

- · Provided art direction internally and externally as a Creative Lead
- · Contributed as a hands-on, collaborative Senior Designer on the Creative Team
- Designed a new product brand identity including development of: brand guidelines, patient-facing marketing collateral, and B2C social media artwork for Instagram account
- Systematically redesigned Alma's existing product marketing collateral by creating new, elevated Indesign templates with thoughtful print enhancements
- · Met weekly with print vendors to oversee print production timelines
- · Managed projects from concept to completion using Wrike project management software
- Audited existing project management process and provided improvements to workflow efficiencies for the greater Marketing Organization
- · Implemented a new design file organization structure for the Creative Team
- · Assisted Creative Director in performing design reviews
- · Provided feedback and direction to junior designers

Affinitiv | Art Director, B2B Corporate Marketing Team

- Self-initiated a corporate rebranding, in collaboration with Corporate Marketing and Executive Leadership Team, expanding the brand guide from 6 to 23 pages
- Redesigned product marketing templates including sales slicks, email, PowerPoint master decks, social media, and product iconography
- Built a master component library in Figma and managed the Adobe CC Library housing marketing brand assets
- · Designed go-to-market creative for new Affinitiv product launch
- Strategized with Marketing Team to increase clicks, open rates, and conversion rates through redesigned email, social media, and landing pages
- Collaborated with Executive Team as the Lead Designer for RFP Presentations
- Partnered with UX Designers on the Product Team to ensure Affinitiv's application UI was compliant with brand guidelines
- · Directly managed design work of one Freelance Designer

Affinitiv | B2B Corporate Visual/Web Designer

- Promoted as the sole B2B Marketing Designer in newly established Corporate Marketing Department reporting to the CMO
- Designed campaign creative to increase brand awareness and conversions including email, paid social, display advertising and landing pages
- Art directed and designed the booth graphics for the 2022 Affinitiv booth for the annual National Automotive Dealers Association trade-show
- Designed creative for all pre-show marketing efforts including email, social ads, display advertising, and landing pages

JULY 2021 - MAY 2022

2022 - MARCH 2023

MAY

MARCH 2023 - CURRENT



SOFTWARE

•••••	Adobe Acrobat 2023
••••	Adobe After Effects 2023
•••••	Adobe Illustrator 2023
•••••	Adobe InDesign 2023
•••••	Adobe Photoshop 2023
••••	Canva
••••	Confluence
••••	Figma
••••	HubSpot
•••••	Jira
•••••	Microsoft PowerPoint 2023
•••••	Microsoft SharePoint 2023
•••••	Microsoft Word 2023
••••	Wrike



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4UG 2017 - JULY 2021

2013 - JULY 2017

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2013 - DEC 2013

Affinitiv | Senior Graphic Designer

- · Promoted to Sr. Designer following to lead B2B Corporate Marketing design
- · Sole Designer for large-scale trade show booth graphics and pre-show marketing efforts
- Designed updated, branded templates for product marketing including: sales slicks, brochures, emails and PowerPoint presentations
- Designed an interactive point of sale tool for the field Sales Team
- · Provided art direction and training to 5 Junior Designers
- Designed B2C creative for automotive clients according to brand standards including: email campaigns, print, social, and display advertisements

Dealer Product Services | Graphic Designer

- · Provided design support for both internal departments and external automotive clients
- · Planned, designed, and deployed B2B lead generation emails for the DPS brand
- Designed original creative templates (email, bi-fold, tri-folds, postcards and letters) to be utilized for DPS' Rider Connect Program (trigger-based lifecycle marketing)
- Designed and deployed print and email campaigns for various automotive brands (at both the dealership and national level)
- Worked with the Offshore Development Team to integrate print and web, creative templates with variable data into internal CMS system
- · Designed original print and email templates for automotive event marketing

Dealer Product Services | Digital Marketing Consultant

- Managed email marketing accounts for 40+ automotive car dealerships
- · Worked directly with dealership clients to create their custom email advertising plans
- · Designed and deployed email campaigns
- · Provided campaign reporting
- · Designed iconography for DPS online application

REFERENCES

Available upon request