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SUMMARY

Passionate and innovative Senior Graphic & Website Designer with over a decade of experience seeking a dynamic role in a creative, collaborative, and vibrant workplace. Known for pushing artistic boundaries, mentoring junior designers, and delivering top-notch creative solutions. Adept in creative concepting, layout, illustration, advanced photo manipulation, website design, and video production. Seeking to contribute to a design department that values excellence and fosters a positive, team-oriented environment to drive success for both company and clients.



SENIOR GRAPHIC & WEBSITE DESIGNER

EKZDESIGN | WHEATON, MD | AUGUST 2009-PRESENT

Spearhead the conceptualization and execution of high-quality graphic design, website design, and video production projects from inception to delivery.

GRAPHIC DESIGNER

CERTIFY GLOBAL | GAITHERSBURG, MD | APRIL 2021–SEPTEMBER 2021

Developed and executed the visual identity for CERTIFY Global and its brands, ensuring consistency across all touchpoints.

GRAPHIC DESIGN MANAGER

WORLD LEARNING INC. | WASHINGTON D.C. | SEPTEMBER 2018–MARCH 2020

Led a team of designers in maintaining brand standards and elevating the visual identity of World Learning.

MULTIMEDIA DESIGNER

NATIONAL RETAIL FEDERATION | WASHINGTON D.C. | AUGUST 2016-APRIL 2018

Conceptualized and designed print and online communication materials to support marketing initiatives..

VISUAL DESIGNER

COSTAR GROUP | WASHINGTON D.C. | JUNE 2014–MAY 2016

Created impactful print and web collateral to enhance brand presence and drive engagement.

SENIOR GRAPHIC DESIGNER

DON SCHAAF + FRIENDS (DS+F) | WASHINGTON, D.C. | FEBRUARY 2008-AUGUST 2009

Collaborated closely with clients to deliver design solutions across various industries, demonstrating adaptability and creativity.

ASSOCIATE ART DIRECTOR

ACCESS INTELLIGENCE, LLC | ROCKVILLE, MD | JUNE 2003–JANUARY 2008

Provided mentorship and direction to a team of graphic designers, fostering a culture of creativity and excellence.

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AWARDS

AMERICAN GRAPHIC DESIGN AWARD, GRAPHIC DESIGN USA, 2015 CloudShape, Logo Design; Bracewell & Giuliani LLP, Infographic

AMERICAN GRAPHIC DESIGN AWARD, GRAPHIC DESIGN USA, 2011

hu's shoes & hu's wear, Spring Sales Postcard

AMERICAN GRAPHIC DESIGN AWARD, GRAPHIC DESIGN USA, 2010

hu's shoes & hu's wear, Spring/Summer Postcard



WHAT I KNOW

Adobe CC (InDesign, Photoshop, Illustrator, Premier Pro, XD, After Effects); Figma, Printing Process Understanding: HTML, PowerPoint



THE REST

LANGUAGES

English; conversational Russian and Spanish

MARYLAND INSTITUTE COLLEGE OF ART

BFA, Visual Communications | Baltimore, MD



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I cannot speak highly enough of Dimitry. Dimitry is a pleasure to have in the office, he is a diligent worker, a team player, an excellent designer and he is never afraid to voice his opinion. He is always looking for a way to improve both process and project work and willing to put in extra time when deadlines are hard and must be met.

— Mike Procuk, Chief Experience Officer, CERTIFY Global

I witnessed firsthand Dimitry's ability to come into a chaotic team and use not only his design skills, but his managerial prowess to completely revamp and reorganize processes to streamline them for levels of efficiency I didn't think were possible. He is patient, flexible, open to collaboration, amenable to feedback, and a fantastic designer.

— Hunter Horton, Senior Marketing Coordinator, World Learning, Inc.

What continually impressed me about Dimitry was his speed, creativity and flexibility. He came to work engaged and ready to help, often assisting and mentoring vounger designers and freelancers. I would strongly recommend Dimitry for any future positions. They would be lucky to have such a creative and intelligent designer on their team.

— Catherine Pages, Director, Product Design and UX, Gannett (formerly at CoStar Group)

Dimitry is a creative problem solver and strategic thinker. His technical skills and a broad range of experience make him a valuable member to any team. He is also completely and utterly hilarious.

— Aaron Hansen, Creative Services Manager, American Institute of Physics (formerly at Don Schaaf + Friends)

Smart. Creative. Engaged. Intuitive.

— Bill Thorne, Sr. Vice President, Communications & Public Affairs, National Retail Federation