



TRISTEN KAA

Graphic Designer

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SUMMARY

Experienced Graphic Designer with 20 years in the industry, adept at developing and executing innovative visual design concepts. Possesses strong technical expertise and a creative mindset, bringing valuable contributions to creative teams. Proven ability to collaborate effectively across functions, ensuring projects are delivered on time, within budget, and with high-quality results.

SKILLS

| PROFESSIONAL

Team Building
Problem Solving
Decision Making
Conflict Resolution
Client Relations

| TECHNICAL

Adobe Illustrator CS
Adobe Photoshop CS
Adobe InDesign
Wordpress/ Elementor
Microsoft Powerpoint
Procreate Pro

EDUCATION

| BACHELOR IN ART 2D

BYU Hawaii, Laie, HI
Graduation 2006

- Principles Of Graphic Design
- Color Theory

GRAPHIC DESIGN EXPERIENCE

CONTRACT GRAPHIC / BRAND DESIGNER

SERENITY SALT LLC, Star. ID | 06/10/2024- Present.

- Prepare files for printing, setting up bleeds, trim marks and color profiles.
- Rebrand and arrange elements and redesign graphics and images.
- Help Assist web designer with recreation of website
- Crop and edit photos in Adobe Photoshop

CONTRACT GRAPHICS / WEB DESIGNER

IDAHO LAW GROUP, Nampa. ID | 03/15/2023- 06/10/2024

- Follow design principles and branding of companies..
- Prepare files for printing, setting up bleeds, trim marks and color profiles.
- Rebrand and arrange elements and redesign graphics and images.
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GRAPHIC DESIGNER

ECHALE SALSA, Beaverton, OR | 01/15/2023- 05/15/2023

- Design new menu brochure for company
- Create new website for company
- Follow Managers request on color and visual appearance
- Prepare files for new business cards with bleeds and trim marks.

GRAPHIC ART/ DESIGNER

TK Designz, USA, ID Feb 2010 - Present

- Design Mascot logos , Collateral design work
- Create Wordpress website for customers
- Freelance sketch designs for customers
- Co-ordinate with management for approval

AWARDS & ACHIEVEMENTS

| AWARD NAME

USA Touch Rugby Gold Medalist

| ACHIEVEMENT(S)

NCAA Basketball new logo for basketball floor

INTERESTS

WeightLifting

Touch Rugby

Pickleball

Mountain Biking

Tennis

REFERENCES

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PRODUCTION ARTIST EXPERIENCE

Production Artist/Screen Printing

Blue Gecko Graphics, Texas | Dec 2013 - Nov 2017

- New concepts in adobe illustrator and prepare design files for production printers.
- Follow the company's style mock ups and color scheme patterns.
- Manage and organize company's files system online and
- Make sure film is separated into pantone colors for screens

Production Artist/Screen Printing

Ellison Advertising, Gresham | Jan 2013 - Dec 2013

- New concepts in adobe illustrator and prepare design files for production printers.
- Follow the company's style mock ups and color scheme patterns.
- Manage and organize company's files system online and
- Make sure film is separated into pantone colors for screens

Production Artist

Screen Magic, Tualatin | Jan 2012 - Dec 2012

- Assist and willing to learn from Design Lead color separations and styles.
- Learnt color separations and vector art in 3 months
- Stay organized and willing to learn more about production making sure the right design is proofread before printing.

Production Artist

Mytprint, Tualatin | Jan 2011 - May 2011

- Assist in new printers/and keep an eye for detail
- Help managers organize files in the clouds and better production systems.
- Make sure all print files are correct and ready for reorders..

Production Graphic Design / Print

GISI Marketing, Tualatin | April 2010 - Dec 2010

- Help Manage color OKI printers and test printer each morning for color testing
- Make sure designs are filed in storage files online properly
- Manage files in the Cloud and make sure trim marks are correct for production.

Assistant Production Artist

Brigham Young University, Hawaii | May - Oct 2006

- Help Graphic Designer Lead with graphic design for Flyers Posters for advertisement of the University.
- Organize files for print setup with bleeds and trims for production printers.
- Make sure all spelling and proofreading is looked over in production or by another person.