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Education

Lasell University, Newton MA -

Bachelor of Arts in Graphic Design

Minor: Business

September 2019 - May 2023

Lasell Senior Practicum:

Self directed project under the supervision of a Professor of Graphic Design

- Conceptualized branding project
- Market research
- Created brand guidelines
- Designed and produced deliverables

Contributor to Tarnished Magazine

- Researched and interviewed a person of interest
- Designed and authored two spreads for the publication

Honors

Dean's list 2019-2023

Graduated summa cum laude

James Kava

Graphic Designer

Designer first and foremost with knowledge in marketing and business. Expertise in a broad range of areas of graphic design, including branding, typography and information visualization.

Skills

Adobe Photoshop

Adobe Illustrator

Adobe InDesign

After Effects

HTML

CSS

Experience

Communications Intern

WATCH CDC

September 2022- December 2022, Waltham MA

- Designed info-graphics for consumption by clients with Adobe suite
- Created iconography and vector illustrations for use on the web in adobe illustrator
- Made flyers for promotion of events and services as well as signage using Adobe and Canva

Graphic Design and Social Media Intern

Penrose Realty

June 2022 - September 2022, Boston MA

- Designed graphics for social media with Adobe and managed social media accounts with Hootsuite
- Researched real estate markets to create informational materials
- Updated business materials to include new branding
- Added custom html to implement specific features on Squarespace website

Employee

Green Homes Carpet Cleaning

2016-2023

- Recorded invoices and updated customer information on QuickBooks for tax purposes
- Provided home service to customers