



CIANNA NICKLIN

STUDENT GRAPHIC DESIGNER

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SKILLS + ABILITIES

Technical Skills + Industry Knowledge

- Demonstrated an understanding of core design principles, colour theory, typography, hierarchy and digital skills needed to communicate and creatively solve problems.
- Gained deep knowledge into best practices for complex art creation, document construction, production specifications, and delivery as it applies to current industry standards for print and screen.
- Able to incorporate the design process in conducting research, planning, and storyboarding to achieve final goals

Marketing Skills + Sales Experience

- Leveraging type, imagery, and public speaking skills to craft compelling presentation-based communications while engaging an audience.
- Producing a volume of quality products under time constraints, enhancing my ability to work well under pressure.
- Romanced and pitched a product promoting sales in a marketing setting

Communication + Team Skills

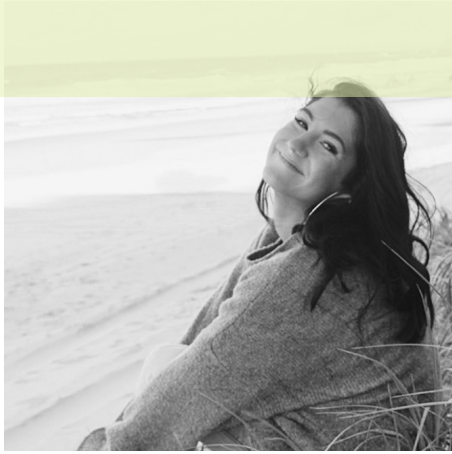
- Ability to communicate, articulate, think critically, and self-edit, for clarity, brevity, and engagement when working in a design team.
- Productively delivered and received constructive feedback in a team setting and used strong problem-solving skills to work out a solution
- Demonstrated expertise and interest in building working relationships, treating others with respect, listening actively and motivating collaborators

OBJECTIVE

To secure an internship with the Canucks Sports & Entertainment Summer Internship as a Junior Graphic Designer

HIGHLIGHTS

- RGD Student Member
- Consecutive Dean's List Achiever with full course load
- Proficient in Adobe Creative Suite, Illustrator, InDesign, Photoshop, XD and Lightroom, Microsoft Office Suite/ Outlook, Keynote, Procreate and ability to quickly learn complexities of new software applications
- Freelance Designer
- Freelance Photographer



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EDUCATION AND TRAINING

Vancouver Island University – 3rd Year Standing

- Bachelor of Design in Graphic Design
- Expected graduation 2023
- Dean's List
- Key courses completed:
 - UI/UX Design 1 + 2
 - Art Direction
 - Professional Practice
 - Typography 1, 2 + 3
 - Presentation Communications
 - Environmental Design
 - Packaging Studio

University of British Columbia – Graduated 2018

- Bachelor of Arts in Gender and Women Studies
- Honours List

WORK EXPERIENCE

Freelance Work

Nanaimo, BC

Brüd House

Nanaimo, BC

Blue Crush Concierge

Tofino, BC

Drip Coffee | Social

Nanaimo, BC

Three Sixty Restaurant & Bar

Labrador, QLD Australia

Riso Foods

Nanaimo, BC

Cactus Club Café

Kelowna, BC

2020-2022

Graphic Designer + Photographer

2021-2022

Barista

2020-2021

Cleaner

2019-2020

Barista

2019

Barista/Bartender

2018-2019

Server/Bartender

2015-2017

Hostess & Server

REFERENCES AVAILABLE UPON REQUEST

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