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Awards

Best in Show Award 2021
Plymouth Center of the Arts, MA

Best in Show Award 2020
Plymouth Center of the Arts, MA

First Place Award 2019
Plymouth Center of the Arts, MA

First Place Award 2019
South Shore Art Center, MA

Education

Pennsylvania State University
Class of 2027
Bachelor of Design in Graphic Design

Skills

Adobe Creative Suite (Photoshop, Illustrator, InDesign)

Brand and visual identity

Illustration

Strong verbal and written communication

Active listening

Team Collaboration

Time Management

References

Sally McCarthy
Creative Director · Propagate
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Emily Burns
Assistant Professor, Graphic Design
Pennsylvania State University
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Work Experience

Graphic Design Intern
Propagate (formerly Shields SGF) · Plymouth, MA
May 2025 – July 2025

- Contributed to social media campaigns by providing design concepts, creative insights, and fresh ideas.
- Practiced and developed proficiency in Adobe InDesign to strengthen layout and design skills.
- Gained firsthand experience in how a design and marketing firm operates by attending client and internal production meetings.
- Produced on-site photographs to enhance upcoming client marketing and social media campaigns.
- Added and managed website content through a Content Management System (CMS).

Public Speaking Teaching Assistant
Pennsylvania State University
May 2025 – Present (Remote May – Aug, In-Person Aug – Present)

- Conducted office hours to support students' speech preparation and skill development.
- Provided guidance and strategies to improve public speaking performance.
- Maintained detailed records of student presentations to assist with course management.
- Responded to student emails and messages to provide guidance and support.

Student Food Service Worker
Redifer Dining Commons · University Park, PA
September 2024 – Present

- Prepared and served food efficiently while maintaining quality and safety standards.
- Delivered excellent customer service, responding to requests and resolving issues promptly.
- Collaborated with team members to maintain smooth operations during high-volume meal periods.

Grocery Clerk
Stop and Shop · Norwell, MA
April 2023 – July 2025

- Operated registers and assisted customers to ensure accurate transactions and positive service experiences.
- Updated and replaced store signage and sale tags to maintain accurate pricing and organized displays.
- Prepared and organized online orders for efficient and timely customer pickup.