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#### **Education**

Bachelor of Science in Technology Bowling Green State University Bowling Green, Ohio Major: Visual Communication Technology

Associate of Applied Science Owens State Community College Perrysburg, Ohio Major: Commercial Art Technology

# Technical Proficiency

#### Adobe Creative Suite

Photoshop • Illustrator • InDesign

Dreamweaver
 Flash
 Bridge

#### Mac / Windows

QuarkXPress • Cinema 4D • Final Cut Pro

- Artios CAD WordPress HTML CSS
- PHP Magento PowerPoint Word
- Excel File Maker Trello

#### Other Skills

**Digital Photography • Vector Graphics** 

- Typography 2D Design Color Theory
- Graphics Fundamentals
  Digital Design
- Production and Printing Techniques
- Screening Printing Electronic Page Layout • Digital Imaging

#### **Portfolio**

www.katherinesouders.com

### **Experience**

#### **Graphic Designer - Ripple Junction**

(May 2017 - December 2021) 6183 Centre Park Dr, West Chester Township, Ohio 45069 www.ripplejunction.com Art Director: Victoria Zic, Vic@ripplejunction.net Supervisor: Justin McCormick Justin@ripplejunction.net

 Create unique designs and layouts for licensed pop culture merchandise from style guides including:

T-shirts, Hoodies & Sweats, Specialty, and Youth Apparel, Web Graphics, Buttons & Enamel Pins, Hats, Socks, Boxers, Bags & Totes, Lanyards, and Packaging.

- Work with supervisor and art director on presentations for retailers and perspective licensors.
- Work with sales reps on retailer and licenser requests.

#### Graphic Designer - The Image Group

(June 2014 - March 2016) 1255 Corporate Dr, Holland, Ohio 43528 www.theimagegroup.net.

Former Art Director: Amy Thomas, 419-215-6920

- Create designs and layouts for silk screens, embroidery and engravings for numerous products.
- Print film for silk screens for screen printing and prepare them for production.
- Work with sales reps to design, and produce products for clientele.
- Edit images of products, and use Magneto for e-commerce.
- Create illustrations for packaging and new products.

#### Graphic Design Intern - FJ Westcott

(August 2011 - December 2011)

1425 Holland Rd, Maumee, Ohio 43537 www.fjwestcott.com. Art Director: Ben Marckle, 419-705-3811

- Edit images and photographs for company catalogs and websites.
- Create illustrations for packaging and new products.
- Create page layouts for posters, flyers, dealer enlighteners, and packaging labels.
- Create icons for company websites and catalogs.
- Create composites for scenic backgrounds.
- Design logos and backdrops.
- Work with Art Director to develop and finalize graphic materials.
- •Responsible for selecting elements of design such as stock images, illustrations, vectors, textures, fonts, sizing, resolutions, colors.