James S. Donessoni

Senior Graphic Designer

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Professional Summary

A highly motivated, uniquely qualified, advanced level **Senior Graphic Designer** seeking to leverage my 15+ years of extensive experience, whose creative skills will increase product visibility and improve company image. Eager to join a dynamic, cohesive team where I can enhance the Company's key performance indicators, while continuing to grow personally and professionally. Organized, dedicated, passionate, responsive, enthusiastic, detail oriented, multi-tasking, adaptable, and exceptional ability to meet all deadlines.

Skills

- Team Leadership/Mentorship
- · Layout & Composition
- Typography
- Visual/Conceptual skills
- Preflight print-ready art files
- Logos & Visual Identity

- Video Editing & Effects
- Illustration Vector/Raster & Traditional
- Email Blasts & Social Media
- PowerPoint Presentation(s) design
- Package Design
- Web Design/Development

Technical Summary

- Design: Adobe Creative Suite, InDesign, Photoshop, Illustrator, Adobe After Effects, G-Suite tools, Microsoft Office Suite, Windows, MacOS.
- Web Design/Development: HTML, CSS, SEO, Bootstrap, Wordpress, Squarespace, Mailchimp.

Professional Experience

2016 - 2024

Senior Graphic Designer, Laborers' International Union N. America

- Created and delivered marketing materials, including events, signage, campaigns, publications, digital content, OOH, contributing to a 65% increase in member engagement and improved visibility across the organization and councils/funds.
- Created recruitment and educational materials that contributed to driving 45% growth in follower engagement across platforms.
- Designed the visual brand identity for the Feel the Care community outreach initiative, enhancing relationships and promoting empowerment.
- Redesigned and executed a thorough social media graphic strategy, leading to a **25% boost** in overall engagement.

2012 - 2016

Lead Designer | Creative Director, Global View Communications

- Rebranded 10+ DEI recruitment campaigns, achieving a 20% boost in talent acquisition and improving client retention.
- Directed/Mentored a team of 3 plus junior designers to complete **50+** projects per year, achieving a **98%** client satisfaction rate.
- Involved with the creation of presentations for meetings, and pitches communicating creative, and design concepts, to **20-40** clients.

Education & Professional Development

Dean College - Associates of Science Computer Information Systems **New Horizons** - Certification in Web Design & Development