STEPH OSWALD

Graphic & Web Designer with a strong focus on User Interaction

Education

B.S. Interactive Multi-Media Design

Franklin University

Expected to graduate Spring 2025

B.S.V.C. Interactive Multi-Media Design

Ohio University

2016-2019

Awards & Professional Recognition

Rising Star Award

NEO Regional Library System

Finalist

Relevant Experience

Design & Operations Manager | Sunday Creek Horizons

November 2022 - Present, Remote work based in Columbus, OH

- Fulfilled a central role in mitigating internal conflict in the company, both regarding personal issues among staff as well as addressing current and anticipating future conflicts regarding the growth and development of the company as a whole.
- Received training in Human Resources and acted as a liaison between staff and leadership, facilitating communication and mediating internal disputes while providing insight for resolution.
- Cultivated strong relationships with new and prospective clients to drive business growth.
- Efficiently adapted to new projects, delivering high-quality, accessible solutions within tight deadlines.
- Spearheaded the development and implementation of company-wide branding quidelines, ensuring consistency across all platforms.
- Designed and developed wireframes, prototypes, and websites for internal and external projects, tailored to client needs.

Graphic & Publication Specialist | Rocky River Public Library

May 2019 - November 2022, Rocky River, Ohio

- Work alongside the Visual Communications Manager to develop and implement brand guidelines across print and digital media.
- Direct library initiatives to establish streamlined processes and protocols, ensuring consistent adherence to brand guidelines across all library operations.
- Aggregate information across 8 departments in a timely manner to create a 24-page publication 3 times a year.
- Proficiently adapt to emergent project demands while maintaining a strict adherence to deadlines, ensuring timely and high-quality deliverables.
- Complete a yearly grammar and proofreading course along with other continuing education courses.
- Develop innovative solutions tailored to meet evolving organizational requirements that adapt to changing needs.
- Capture and edit photography of live events and programs.
- Manage video editing and created social media posting protocols in response to the COVID-19 pandemic.

Graphic Design Intern | Community Food Initiatives

November 2016 - August 2018, Athens, Ohio

- Create packaging design for local seeds that solved preexisting issue that effectively addressed longstanding challenges while optimizing future package design processes.
- Develop infographics for community to learn seed saving equipment.