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Design

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GARY HALPIN - GRAPHIC DESIGNER

I have been working as a designer for a few years while pursuing my Bachelors online at SNHU. I am always looking to work on new creative outlets that will best use my skills while continuing to learn and develop.

EDUCATION

Southern New Hampshire University

Jan 2016 - April 2021

Bachelors

Media Arts w/conc. in Web Design

Courses include: Graphics and Layout in Print Media, Digital Graphic Design for the Web, Advanced Digital Imaging and Digital Publishing.

Dublin Institute of Technology

Sept 1999 - May 2001

Certificate

Design Presentation

Courses include: Graphic Design, Photography, Model Making, Illustration and Packaging Design.

WORK EXPERIENCE

Compass Health Brands

Feb 2019 - Present

Jr. Graphic Designer

My position as Jr. Graphic Designer is to support the Sr. Graphic Designer and Marketing Manager in creating packaging and sales material designs. I have taken part in some rebranding designs for some new retail products.

SpeedPro Imaging

Feb 2016 - Feb 2019

Print Production Manager/Graphic Designer

My role as Print Production Manager/Graphic Designer was to produce a variety of wide format print products with high quality and efficiency. I was in charge of two wide format printers and oversaw a team of two production assistants. I occasionally did installations of vehicle wraps and decals for walls and windows. Seeing designs that I have created out on the road and across Boston is very rewarding.

WB Mason

May 2013 - Dec 2016

Print Representative

In this position I learned to create Web2Print templates using FusionPro software, and to create mail merges. I used Adobe Illustrator to design and prep many artwork files for a variety of print and promo items. Some of my other duties were to quote and spec print orders, and processing customer billing and vendor invoices.

Staples Copy and Print Store

Feb 2009 - May 2013

Production Specialist

I was in charge of print production and inventory management. This job helped me develop communication skills, from working directly with customers at the point of sale, to communication via email. I was able to use my skills in adobe creative suite in file preparation and pre-press work and gained a thorough knowledge of digital print.

Freelance Design

May 2009 - Present

Graphic Designer

As a freelance Graphic Designer I have had the opportunity to work on many varying projects including Branding and Logo design, Illustration, Booklets, Brochures, Invitations, Photo manipulation and Web design. I have done work for many different clients including Non-profit organizations, Art galleries, TV & Film production companies and Small businesses.

SKILL SET

Illustrator

Photoshop

InDesign

Dreamweaver

HTML/CSS

JavaScript