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Education

Bachelor's degree in Digital Media and Design

Dakota Wesleyan University: Mitchell, SD GPA: 3.9

■ Anticipated Dec. 2025

- Power to Design Scholarship
- Appeared on Deans List

Associates of Arts Distinction Degree

Southeast Community College: Beatrice, NE GPA: 3.8

- Graduated December 2022
- Graduated with honors
- Part of Phi Theta Kappa Honor Society

Skills

TECHNICAL:

Creative Collaboration Open-minded Time-management Detail-oriented

PROFESSIONAL:

Adobe Photoshop Adobe Illustrator Adobe Dreamweaver Figma Social Media Marketing

Honors

- 2023-2024 Scholar Athlete
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- All-Conference Honors 2024-2025
- 2x Academic All-American at Southeast Community College

Objective ?

As a designer, I am focused on blending creativity with technology to craft engaging visual stories. I enjoy exploring new tools and techniques to push the boundaries of design while keeping elements meaningful and relatable. Each project invites viewers to connect and interact, reflecting my belief that design should promote conversation and spark emotion. This is a journey I am excited to share, as it demonstrates my love for constructing memorable experiences.

Experience

SOCIAL MEDIA MARKETING INTERN

Q Jewelry and Gifts Mitchell, SD September 2025 - Present

- Capture and edit product photography for social media, highlighting new arrivals, in-store displays, and seasonal collections
- Write engaging captions that reflect the brands voice and encourage interaction across platforms
- Brainstorm creative ideas to showcase products and strengthen the stores brand identity

CAREGIVER

Nebraska League of Human Dignity

April 2022 - Present

- Supply care and support to individuals with developmental disabilities, to ensure their safety and wellbeing
- Assist the client with daily tasks such as hygiene, eating, and administering medication
- Create a safe and enjoyable environment for a client by, being inclusive and encouraging their participation in activities

DECORATOR

World's Only Corn Palace Mitchell, SD October 2024 - January 2025

- Worked closely with a team of decorators to acheive cohesive and visually pleasing murals
- Cut and prepared corn to ensure materials were accesible to all decorators
- Used and operated lifts, nail guns, and saws, in turn creating well crafted art pieces

LIFEGUARD

Mahoney State Park Ashland, NE May 2022 - July 2024

- Monitor pool area to ensure the safety of all patrons by preventing accidents and implementing safety rules
- Respond quickly and efficiently to emergencies, provide first aid, and administer CPR if needed
- Participate in weekly training to obtain knowledge and enhance prior lifeguard and first aid skills