CAITLIN STARR

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PROFILE

Visual Communications Design Graduate seeking a full-time position under the Multimedia Design umbrella based on refined skills and continued leadership experience in current role. I am accustomed to fast-paced environments, possess a dedicated work ethic to meet deadlines, can prove to be reliable and trusted by previous employers, and adapt quickly to new concepts or ideas. I am confident in my creative and social abilities to work with a team, ensuring communication and passion are leading motivators for success. I strive to always be learning new techniques by tinkering with past projects or following the current trends of design via social media spaces and observing commercial advertisements.

EDUCATION

Ramapo College of New Jersey, Mahwah, NJ

School of Contemporary Arts - Bachelor of Arts in Visual Communication Design

Extra Curricular: Internship at Goodnight Games LLC. (June 2023), Independent Study (2) for VR Game Development Relevant Skills: Public Speaking, Graphic Design, Game Design, Web Design (HTML/CSS), UX/UI Design, Packaging Design, 3D Modeling/Animation, Photography and Retouching.

Software Proficiency: Adobe Suite, Affinity Suite, Blender, Cinema 4D, Canva

WORK EXPERIENCE

Goodnight Games LLC., Remote, NY-NJ Area, June 2023 - Current

Intern Artist

- Provide 3D models assigned from Lead Designers/Developers in a timely manner, and remain in contact on progress or clarification. Utilize similar software (Blender or Cinema 4D) to ensure consistent importing and exporting of assets.
- Assist in creation of game UI in Unreal Engine 4 Widget Blueprints by utilizing techniques in Adobe Photoshop and Illustrator to create necessary art icons, VFX textures, and other additions.
- Improve on 3D Art and 2D graphic skills while developing current projects for the company through superiors' guidance and feedback on works in progress.

Starbucks, Ridgewood, NJ, Feb 2022 - Current

Shift Supervisor/Barista

- Manage inventory ordering, organizing, and anticipating customer demand on a daily basis, ensuing audits are completed twice a week for quality assurance
- Handle money orders, daily deposits, and till management for opening, midday, and closing shifts.
- Adapt accordingly to unpredictable events or volume of customer demand with a level-headed approach.
- Run daily operations with confidence and attentiveness to responsibilities by delegating scheduled breaks, assigning to working positions, accomplishing mandatory Shift tasks, and ensuring low wait times for 350-450 customers.
- Coach employees on proper procedures, mending behavioral or operational inconsistencies, ensuring standards are met, and promote company values.
- Produce beverages and food items that align with Starbucks' standards, tender transactions, input accurate orders, and serve to each customer with ease and confidence.

Old Bridge High School, Creative Design Department, Old Bridge, NJ, September 2016 - May 2019 Student Photographer/Editor

- Assisted the Creative Design team of students in photographing the school's football team for edited deliverables in the school newspaper and Senior Celebration dinner. Revolving team of 4-8 students.
- Attended 2 Old Bridge Chamber of Commerce Business Leader of the Year Banquets (2017 and 2018) as a 2-person team following the event organizer's cues and requests for photos.
- Commissioned on occasion to edit personal projects for fellow teachers and school events and deliver graphic design requests for the school newspaper team.
- Photographed and edited for annual holiday photoshoots, on-campus award ceremonies and other events, and off-campus trips to art museums.

Retail Experience:

- Front End Associate Homegoods, TJX Companies Inc. August 2017 May 2019
- <u>Tech Specialist</u> Target Co. June 2020 September 2020
- Front End Associate/Cash Office Advisor Best Buy Co. November 2020 January 2022