



**EMILIE POTJE** graphic designer

## **VALUES**



Collaboration





Passion



Curiosity

# GOALS

I am a recent BFA graduate in graphic design with a minor in digital marketing. My studies have led me to earn a multitude of skills in not only design content creation but also with application in marketing and analytics. I am here and I am ready to apply these skills to your team.

## LET'S CONNECT!

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## **EDUCATION**

#### APPALACHIAN STATE UNIVERSITY

Boone, NC

BFA Graphic Design, May 2023 Minor: Digital Marketing AIGA club member (2021-2023)

#### **LORENZO DE MEDICI**

Florence, Italy

August-December 2022: For a semester-long study abroad experience, I explored art and design from an international lens.

## **EXHIBITIONS**

# MARY A SCHMECKER TURTLE SHELL SCHOLARSHIP AWARD

05/2019

Awarded to students who excelled in both academics and artistic skill.

# SELECTIONS FROM THE SECOND FLOOR EXHIBITION

03/2022

500-page book "Better Your.." was exhibited. Created exhibition branding and take aways in a collaborative setting.

#### **OSR RESEARCH GRANT**

02/2023

Granted by Appalachian State University in order to further research and explore textile and graphic arts.

#### **REDEFINE DESIGN EXHIBITION**

03/2023, 05/2023

Featured "Nocturtles", an experimental apparel and branding design that was inspired by dreams.

#### PORTRAIT SHOW EXHIBITION

4/2023

"Self Portrait in a Pandemic" was shown as a depiction of how Covid effected mental state during lock down.

#### T.R.U.XHIBITION

05/2023

"Nocturtles" made a second appearance in this mobile gallery.

## **CERTIFICATIONS**

Stukent Mimic Social Google Analytics

Direct Effect: Activation

Certified

Direct Effect: Applied
Marketing Mail Certified
Direct Effect: Direct Mail
Fundamentals Certified
Direct Effect: Mail Creation

Certified

**HubSpot Academy:** Social

Media Marketing

**HubSpot Academy:** Inbound **HubSpot Academy:** Inbound

Marketing

# **SKILLS**

Social Media Content &
Management
Brand Identity
Logo Design
Marketing Communications
Illustration
Screenprinting
Retail & Spacial Design
Merchandising

## **SOFTWARE**

Photoshop
Illustrator
InDesign
Audition
Premiere
Acrobat
Lightroom
Bridge
After Effects
G Suite by Google
Cloud
Figma
Microsoft Office

# **EXPERIENCE**

#### FREELANCE GRAPHIC DESIGNER

11/2019- PRESENT

Specializing in brand identity and UX/ UI design. Clientele includes Southview Farms, Appalachian Mountaineer Movement, and Wings of Hope to name a few.

#### FRONT END SALES ASSOCIATE- RIVERCROSS MADE IN USA

08/2020-07/2023

In addition to my role as a cashier, I also maintained the store inventory and visual appeal. I worked to create beautiful displays to highlight the merchandise.

#### **INTERNSHIP- RIDGE MARKETING**

05/2022-08/2022

I worked very closely with Ridge Marketing to learn a marketing team's process and responsibilities. We worked together on a variety of projects ranging from in-house Figma web prototyping to client requested email campaigns, animations and resourcing.