Wayne Ward Creative Director Senior Designer

Work Experience

2016-Now

Creative Director

Live Nation Entertainment · Chicago, IL

Manage Venue Nation's Amphitheatre Creative Team which creates digital assets, logo/brand designs, site mock-ups, on-site signage, print ads, giveaways/collateral, video presentations, pitch decks, & Canva templates for more than 60 venues across North America.

Skills: Logo Design, Print Design, Photography, Presentations

2015-16

Creative Director

Sportslock Fantasy Gaming · Chicago, IL

2014-15

Senior Designer

Live Nation Entertainment · Chicago, IL

Designed digital assets, logo/brand designs, site mock-ups, onsite signage, print ads, giveaways/collateral, video presentations, PDF & PowerPoint presentations and pitch decks, templates, microsites. Expertise in Adobe Creative Suite CC, Final Cut Pro X, Lightroom. Displayed a wide range of experience in working with traditional art, digital media, photography, and video and more.

Skills: Logo Design, Print Design, Presentations, Web Design

2002-13

Creative Director

CBS Radio · Chicago, IL

Designed digital assets, logo/brand designs, site mock-ups, onsite signage, print ads, giveaways/collateral, video presentations, PowerPoint presentations, templates, microsites, and handled all professional photography requests. Expertise in Adobe Creative Suite CC, Final Cut Pro X, Lightroom and more while managing others and supervising production of all integrated print/web design, visual layouts in a wide variety of styles, usage of purposeful sales/ marketing design strategies, and a wide range of experience in working with traditional art, digital media, photography, and video.

Skills: Concepts, Logo Design, Print Design, Web Design, Photography, Video Production, Presentations, Social Marketing Development

1992+

Owner / Creative Director

Ward 1 Design · Chicago, IL

Extensive design work for music clients ranging from Kanye West, Rihanna, John Legend, Ludacris, Black Eyed Peas, Def Jam Records and more.

Brand Development and Design for companies including, Coca-Cola, Comcast, Nike Basketball, Illinois Lottery, RCA Records, CBS Radio

Skills: Logo Design, Print Design, Photography, Video Production

Information

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Skills

Software

Adobe Illustrator CC	••••
Adobe Photoshop CC	••••
Adobe InDesign CC	••••
Lightroom	••••
Final Cut X	••••
Sketch 3	••••
Microsoft Office	••••
HTML	••••
CSS	••••

Personal Skills

Organization	••••
Communication	••••
Strategic Planning	••••
Team Player	••••
Commitment	

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Awards & Accomplishments

2012

 11 Years of Excellence Award for exceptional work, leadership, and commitment.

CBS Radio Corporation

1991

Awarded all new Apple computers for high school graphics department from Adobe Inc, for excellence in software abilities.

Adobe Inc.

Education

1988-91

High School

Batavia High School

Studies: Graphic Design, Printing, Photography

About Me

25+ years of design experience, and expert proficiencies in photography, video, print design, brand identity and more, I am looking to advance my talents and abilities in an environment that allows creative freedom and expression at the highest level and quality.

Hobbies include concerts, sporting events and collecting over 400 Air Jordans.







References

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