BRIDGET WILLIAMS

DESIGNER, FRONTEND DEVELOPER, ILLUSTRATOR + BRAND STRATEGIST

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TECHNICAL SKILLS

Adobe Illustrator Adobe InDesign Adobe Photoshop Adobe Acrobat After Effects Adobe XD Figma Microsoft 365 Square Space Canva Google Suite HTML/CSS/JS/React PowerPoint

PRO SKILLS

Project Management Design Thinking Branding Illustration Typography Color Theory Wire Framing Photo Editina Animation Asset Organization **Time Management** Collaborating Communication Presenting Learning new systems Incorporating Feedback **Brand Strategy**

EDUCATION

Portland Community College AAS: Graphic Design

> Michigan Tech University BFA: Fine Art

HELLO

Senior graphic designer with 7+ years of experience using the Adobe Creative Suite, managing brands and creating beautiful, effective design solutions for print and digital marketing across multi-media platforms. Let's connect on LinkedIn: www.linkedin.com/in/bridget-williams-a0384982

WORK EXPERIENCE

Gibbs Smith | Senior Designer | May 2021–Present

- Create engaging and well-organized layouts and templates for printed and digital educational materials, including presentations.
- Collaborate with cross-functional teams to ensure consistent branding across multi-media projects and products that elevate our brand messaging.
- Compose text, imagery, and photography to communicate concepts that inspire, inform, and engage target audiences.
- Lead a team of designers to ensure that project deadlines are met, brand guidelines are consistently elevated and files are organized.
- Mentor junior designers.

BCI Media | Lead Designer + Brand Strategist | March 2020–May 2021

- Creative Concept Development: Designed and delivered print publications, social media graphics, pitch decks, event branding, and other multi-media assets that satisfied client needs and exceeded expectations.
- Produced social media templates, print and digital ads, and branded landing pages based on current trends and impactful iterative design.
- Increased content engagement by 30% by partnering effectively with marketing managers and stakeholders to plan and execute campaigns and rebrands.
- Brand Strategy and Competitive Landscape Analysis: analyzed customer needs, marketing opportunities, and working contexts, then synthesized research insights to inform design decisions and create visualizations that effectively targeted key findings.

RP Creative | Designer + Content Specialist | Oct. 2018–March 2020

- Imagined and developed beautiful branding including logos, typography and color pallets based on deep understanding of client briefs.
- Competitive Landscape Analysis: leveraged and evolved brand standards to reflect dynamic changes in messaging, offerings, and events.
- Developed innovative design for products and packaging, marketing, emails campaigns and social media based on relevant design trends.
- Created wire-frames, flow diagrams, mock-ups, and high-fidelity prototypes to communicate future user interface and experience and reduce user pain points by 25%.
- Effectively communicated with outside partners to ensure high quality asset transfer and successful project resolution.
- Illustration: conceptualized characters and environments.
- Packaging Design: designed and created mock ups for consumer packaging.