SEIFU DAGNACHEW

Visual Designer/Production Designer

Production designer with strong skills in the creation, production and delivery of a range of products, from responsive sites and emails to banners and micro-sites; experience in working closely with Art Directors, UX designers, Developers and copy writers.

TECHNICAL SKILLS

- Advanced skills in Adobe Creative Cloud applications -- Photoshop, Illustrator, InDesign,
 FrameMaker, Acrobat, and experience in working with Premiere, AfterEffects and Animate;
- Experience in web content management & prototyping tools Figma, Sketch, Adobe XD, Wordpress, Elementor, Adobe Experience Cloud, Salesforce Marketing Cloud, Adobe Workfront, Sketch, Litmus, Poppulo and Widen.

PROFESSIONAL EXPERIENCE

RBC Wealth Management , Minneapolis, MN

2021 - To date

Graphic Designer

• Supported marketing teams with design and production of print and digital Ads, brochures, promotional and event collaterals, forms, emails and social media ads.

Freelance, Eden Prairie MN

2019 - 2021

Graphic Designer / Production Design

• Supported marketing team with design, production, distribution and archiving of campaign initiatives including infographics, landing pages, white-papers, technical documents, social media graphics and illustrations.

Dell Inc, Eden Prairie MN

2014 - 2018

Lead Graphic Designer

- Developed original creative solutions for marketing campaigns, while maintaining creative, technical and brand standards.
- Created digital campaign assets like site banners, websites, social media ads and emails using Adobe Creative Cloud applications and prototyping and wireframing applications.
- Created, updated and managed digital assets in Adobe Experience Manager and served as the got-to person for designers, AMs and PMs on AEM issues and digital asset requirements.

Web Production Artist

- Retouched new digital product and lifestyle photography.
- Oversaw and managed the collection, uploading and handover of all digital assets using Adobe Experience Manager.

- Reformatted images for consistency adhering to brand specific guidelines to achieve optimal customer experience.
- Developed and problem solved image solutions both technically and creatively in displaying products online with optimal customer experience in mind.
- Collaborated with Creative Directors to create mockups of image solutions for presentation and approval.
- Created detailed photo-compositions with graphic backgrounds, offering creative solutions in a collaborative environment.

Merrill Brink International, St. Paul,

2012 - 2014

Production Artist

Produced highly stylized documents and output to clients for print and SEC-filed versions (SGML, HTML and ASCII). Designed and edited long documents, technical manuals, fliers and presentations.

PROFESSIONAL DEVELOPMENT

University of Minnesota Coding Boot Camp - Javascript Full Stack Web Development: HTML5, CSS3, Javascript, JQuery, Bootstrap, Firebase, NodeJs, MySQL, MongoDB, Express, & ReactJs.

Certificate of completion on The Web Developer Bootcamp on Udemy.

HTML, CSS, and Javascript for Web Developers, by Johns Hopkins University on Coursera.

Lynda.com – Completed Web Design Track; Multitude of courses in Adobe Creative Cloud applications, Adobe Experience Manager, HTML5, CSS, WordPress, Sketch, AxureRP, CSS Frameworks, responsive design, Javascript and Jquery.

Treehouse.com -- Completed the Web Design and WordPress Development tracks.

Bachelor of science, Biology, Addis Ababa University