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experience

marketing manager	FONTAINEBLEAU DEVELOPMENT, MIAMI, FLORIDA June 2018 - Present work as in-house residential marketing manager for Turnberry Ocean Club Residences and new developments by Jeffrey Soffer. Created: various printed marketing collateral, worked directly with w/ rendering companies architects & interior designer in the creation of the marketing renderings. Managed PR w/ strategies & press releases in LATAM & US. Purchase ads directly from: WSJ, Forbes, Conde Nast Titles etc. Proposed marketing budgets. Oversee photoshoots lifestyle & architectural: selection of photographer, models, shot list, stylist, props, & wardrobe. Developed & provide marketing assets for the in-house sales team (branded & unbranded) outside brokers. Managed signage vendors, social media & programmer to update digital assets.
senior designer	ROAR MEDIA, MIAMI, FLORIDA July 2017- June 2018 Lead designer for Blanca Real Estate, developed various collateral materials as well as brand guidelines for the brand. Developed digital assets and inforgraphs for the Parkinson Foundation. Created the Bass Museum Events page design as well as the sign located in Miami International Airport. Rebranded Global Healthcare Advisors as well as the styleguide of the brand.
senior designer	THE WORKSHOP COLLECTIVE, MIAMI, FLORIDA August 2016 - July 2017 Lead designer for the Turnberry Isle Resort account, refresh existing collateral and designed the new membership collateral. Developed the new logo for the brunch series at CORSAIR kitchen & bar. The 52 by CORSAIR. Worked alongside the creative director in the development of âme Spa & Wellness Collective. Designer for the W Miami, created logo for the Whisper Cocktail Lounge. Direct client interaction.
art director	CONWAY & PARTNERS, MIAMI, FLORIDA May 2014 - May 2016 Lead various teams and designed marketing materials for real estate projects in Miami, Houston & New York. Developed brochures, floor plans, photoshoot direction, story boarding and marketing materials for L'Atelier, The Collection Residences, Turnberry Ocean Club, The Mandarin Oriental Boca Raton, City- West in Houston and Flushing Commons in NYC. Worked alongside a creative director & exclusive sales teams (One Sotheby's and Douglas Elliman) to aid in their sales strategies. Direct client interaction and presented materials during weekly marketing meetings.

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education

KANSAS CITY ART INSTITUTE, MISSOURI Bachelors of Fine Arts: Graphic Design & Art History

DESIGN & ARCHITECTURE SENIOR HIGH, FLORIDA High School Diploma, Graduated top 10% class

proficiency

SOFTWARE	Adobe Photoshop, Ilustrator, Indesign, iMovie, Ibooks Author, Keynote, Powerpoint
ANALOG	Collage, Book Binding, Drawing, Sketching, Icon Design, Illustration
LANGUAGES	Spanish & English

achievements & awards

ARTIST	BFA EXHIBITION, KANSAS CITY, MISSOURI 2012: Study of Swamps
PARTICIPANT	KEN BARBER WORKSHOP, MISSOURI 2012: Hand lettering workshop
AWARD	AIGA (RE) DESIGN AWARDS, CALIFORNIA 2011: Second Place: Helping Hands
AWARDS	A7 KANSAS CITY AIGA AWARDS, MISSOURI 2011: The Bad Plus Poster & CNA Caregiver's Guide, Winners
PARTICIPANT	КАТНҮ МССОҮ WORKSHOP, MISSOURI 2010: Understanding Subcultures & Design Research
N O M I N E E	SILVER KNIGHT, FLORIDA 2008: Art Nominee, Design & Architecture Senior High
AWARD	SCHOLASTIC SILVER KEY, FLORIDA 2008: Miami Art Museum, Silver Key Winner