

Roman Distefano

Designer

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Education

Northeastern University / Boston, MA

Expected: April 2022

BFA in Graphic Design

Minor in Computer Science

McGill University / Montreal, CA

August 2017 - December 2017

Spent my first semester studying at McGill University through the school's international program and finished with a GPA of 3.5.

Masterman School / Philadelphia, PA

September 2013 - June 2017

Masterman is a Blue Ribbon of Excellence school ranked first in the School District of Philadelphia.

Weighted GPA: 3.97

Coursework

2D, 3D, 4D & 5D Fundamentals of Art

Design Process and Context Systems

Graphic Design 1 & 2

Typography 1

Interaction Design 1

Fundamentals of Computer Science 1 & 2

Programming Basics

Skills

Adobe Photoshop

Adobe Illustrator

Adobe InDesign

Adobe Premiere & Final Cut Pro

Procreate

Sketch

Microsoft Office

Basic HTML/CSS

Web Design

Photography

Experience

Scout Studio / Project Lead

January 2020 - May 2020, Boston, MA

Lead a team of designer and developers in creating a brand and marketing website for a literacy non-profit venture. Conduct weekly internal and client meetings to discuss brand voice, audience, and design decisions.

Designer

January 2019 - May 2019, Boston, MA

Worked with Northeastern's student-led design firm to create user experiences and interfaces. Served as a researcher on the IDEA team, the campus venture accelerator, producing new client resources and branding. Used an agile framework.

KIND Snacks / Design Co-Op

July 2019 - December 2019, New York, NY

Collaborate on a team of designers in creating visual ads, in-store demos, and updating the KIND Snacks website.

Tastemakers Magazine / Spread Designer

January 2018 - PRESENT, Boston, MA

Create illustrative spreads for student music magazine. Work closely with art directors in regular meetings and critique.

WRBB Radio / Graphic Designer

September 2018 - PRESENT, Boston, MA

Design numerous DJ logos and graphics. Work as the station's staff videographer, filming and editing promotional content. Currently working on creating a visual brand for the station and a multimedia promotional campaign.

WHYY / Senior Project

May 2017 - June 2017, Philadelphia, PA

Worked with WHYY's digital media student program to create a short documentary film, developing audio and visual editing skills.

Trained in using professional DSLR cameras and microphone equipment.