

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

Studied at McGill University through the school's international program.

GPA: 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.

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 / Designer + Podcast Host

September 2020 - PRESENT, Boston, MA

Design collateral to promote Scout's events and opportunities.

Work with both print and digital signage. Write, host, and edit Scout's Podcast, *By Design*.

Project Lead

January 2020 - May 2020, Boston, MA

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

KIND Snacks / Design Co-Op

July 2019 - December 2019, New York, NY

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

Tastemakers Magazine / Art Director

August 2020-PRESENT

Critique and lead a team of designers. Put the magazine together and prepare it for print.

Spread Designer

January 2018 - April 2020, Boston, MA

Created illustrative spreads for a student music magazine. Worked closely with art directors in regular meetings and critique.

WRBB Radio / Graphic Designer

September 2018 - April 2019, Boston, MA

Designed numerous DJ logos and graphics. Worked as the station's staff videographer, filming and editing promotional content.