

## experience

AD CAMPAIGNS BRANDING & GUIDELINES DIGITAL MARKETING DIRECT MAIL COLLATERAL SYSTEMS MAGAZINE/BOOK DESIGN OOH SIGNAGE WEBSITE DESIGN ILLUSTRATION PHOTOSHOOT DIRECTION VIDEOSHOOT DIRECTION DESIGN FOR ANIMATION PHOTO EDITING PRE-PRESS & PRESS CHECKS

## soft skills

FEARLESSLY CREATIVE DETAIL MAVEN TEAM PLAYER CLIENT-FRIENDLY SENSE OF HUMOR PRIORITIES IN ORDER THOUGHTFUL LEADERSHIP WRITING & EDITING SKILLS

# hard skills

INDESIGN CC PHOTOSHOP CC ILLUSTRATOR CC ACROBAT PRO MICROSOFT OFFICE SOME SKETCH SOME DREAMWEAVER

# things i'm into

COOKING CREATIVE WRITING ART & LIT SOCIALIZING POP-UP BOOKS SERIAL COMMAS

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## gigs

#### Associate Creative Director / Senior Art Director

Compass Healthcare Marketing ~ Lafayette, CA ~ 2013-present

Art direction, design, and leadership in a nimble environment with long-term client relationships. Managing many projects (creative & scheduling) and a team of designers. Close client contact. Ad campaigns, photo and video shoot art direction, collateral systems, re/branding and guidelines, websites, digital and broadcast, signage, swag, and you name it. Clients include Community Memorial Healthcare, Eisenhower Health, El Camino Hospital, Marin Health.

### Senior Art Director

White Space Healthcare Marketing ~ Seattle, WA ~ 2007-2013

Art direction, illustration, and design, both print and digital. Team leader on large collateral system redesigns, ad campaigns and photoshoots. Wide range of other projects includes identity, digital marketing, direct mail, brand guidelines, annual reports, and OOH. Clients primarily hospitals and medical device corporations, such as Baxter, AMP Orthopedics, Genelex, and El Camino Hospital. HAA award winner.

#### Senior Art Director

Compass Marketing ~ Lafayette CA ~ 2003-2007

Art direction and design for ad campaigns, high-end direct mail, collateral, identity, and web design. Primarily in resort, real estate, and healthcare industries. Clients included Exclusive Resorts, Bighorn Golf, McGuire Properties, Preserve at Botany Bay, El Camino Health. Addy award winner.

## Art Director

Avant Publishing Group ~ Lafayette CA ~ 1998–2003

Art direction and design for award-winning single-sponsor magazines, plus various web and print work. Client-facing and leadership role. Tech and healthcare clients included Hewlett-Packard, Compaq, Oxford Health Plans, and Siebel Systems.

#### Assistant Art Director / Art Director

Duncan Channon ~ San Rafael CA ~ 1992–1998

Identity, DM, web, print ads, and OOH, for mostly hi-tech clients including Maxis Games, Creative Arts, Pacific Bell, and Global Village. Took projects from concept through printing, including photoshoots, pre-press, and press checks. Consistently earned substantial bonuses and promotions.

# schooling

B.A. degree in artCal State University East Bay18-month design programSan Jose State University

Various art and design classes Udemy, General Assembly, Skillshare, Laney College, California College of Art, Diablo Valley College, The Crucible

