

## Education

### BFA in Graphic Design | Cum Laude

Virginia Commonwealth University  
09/2013 - 12/2016  
Richmond, Virginia

### Visual Design Study

Santa Reparata International  
School of The Arts  
05/2015 - 06/2015  
Florence, Italy

## Skills/Software

Photoshop  
Illustrator  
InDesign  
Audition  
Premiere Pro  
Acrobat  
HTML/CSS  
Word / P-Point / Excel  
Typography  
Publication Design  
Brand Design  
Photography

## Awards & Achievements

### Water in a Broken Glass - (film)

- *Best Film*  
CineOdyssey Film Festival
- *Best Feature Film*  
Hollywood South Urban Film Festival
- *Best Baltimore Feature*  
Baltimore International Film Festival

## Work Experience

### Graphic Designer | 8/2021 - Current American Hospital Association Washington, DC

- Develops visual assets for various communications collateral
- Uses Adobe design software to create compelling concepts for a variety of outlets such as presentations, internal collateral, digital advertising, white papers, infographics, social media, and other digital or printed media
- Assists the Advocacy and Member Communications team with their initiatives using various design processes.

### Graphic Designer | 10/2020 - 08/2021 Penny Appeal USA Alexandria, VA

- Designs social media graphics for various platforms
- Works with the marketing team to target specific audiences while remaining consistent with our brand's style and voice
- Troubleshoots technical issues in graphic files for prepress, printing, web and onscreen viewing
- Works to develop materials that generate a return on investment

### Graphics Production Coordinator | 04/2019 - 04/2020 Design Foundry | MMA Events Hyattsville, MD

- Managed all printed graphics and materials for event production
- Managed multiple jobs simultaneously, set design project priorities, established on-going deadlines.
- Designed Visuals for large scale printed panels, logos, and set collateral
- Prepared files for print and/or cutting via router, etc.

### Stationery Designer | 09/2018 - 12/2018 June B. Sweet, LLC | Write For You Washington, D.C.

- Provided customers with one-on-one design consultations.
- Performed storefront operations such as handling cash, pricing items, etc.
- Designed marketing materials for print ads and social media.

### Creative Designer & Photographer | 05/2017 - 07/2018 firstSTREET: For Boomers & Beyond, Inc. Colonial Heights, VA

- Used photography and Photoshop to create lifestyle images for new catalog items.
- Managed plotter prints of Easy Climber Elevator footprints.
- Designed within company branding guidelines.

### Art Director | 06/2015 - 03/2018 Water in a Broken Glass (the film) Baltimore, MD

- Worked with director of photography to design main one-sheet poster.
- Created digital paintings to be used as physical props on camera.
- Crafted or otherwise acquired properties needed for filming.
- Designed promotional materials for post-production funding.