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Graphic Designer



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STRONG SKILLS

Adobe Illustrator, Photoshop
InDesign, After Effects
UI/UX, Figma & XD
Graphic & Digital Design
Social Media Advertising
Copy Writing
WIX Platform
Microsoft Office

FAMILIAR SKILLS

Basic Coding
Autodesk 3ds Max
Print & Laser Cutting
Photography

INTERESTS

Gaming
Design
Cat Enthusiast
Craft Whiskey

REFERENCES

Francois Barnardo
Vega School - Campus Head
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Dr Tish Taylor
Vega School - Postgrad Lecturer
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Gary Sartor
Powerkote - Co-Director
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Lucelle Pillay
Red Brick - Freelance Client
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EDUCATION

Jan 2021 - Dec 2021 | Summa Cum Laude

IIE Vega School Johannesburg

Postgraduate Diploma in Brand Building

Jan 2018 - Dec 2020 | Summa Cum Laude

IIE Vega School Johannesburg

Bachelor of Arts in Graphic Design

Jan 2013 - Dec 2014 | Cum Laude

Learn 3D Randburg

Autodesk 3ds Max Professional Certification

Jan 2000 - Dec 2012 | Achieved with Distinctions

Trinityhouse Private School

IEB National Senior Certificate

EXPERIENCE

Jan 2021 - Present | Remote Work, South Africa

Gravity Sucks

Co-Founder & Creative Director

Managed and remotely worked on design projects from around the globe. Clients included Griffith Foods, Adcock Ingram, Samsung & LEGO.

Jan 2018 - Jan 2022 | Johannesburg, South Africa

Powerkote

Graphic Designer

Created marketing materials, conducted customer research, website design & social media campaigns.

Jan 2016 - Dec 2020 | Johannesburg, South Africa

StoreStash

Co-Founder & Graphic Designer

Developed an e-commerce platform and design business from ideation stage to running, conducted varied graphic design services and management.

RECOGNITION & AWARDS

Jan 2021 - May 2022 | Summa Cum Laude

IIE Vega Pencil Award Brand Building

Brand Building Award & Dean's List

Jan 2018 - Dec 2020 | Summa Cum Laude

IIE Vega Pencil Award Graphic Design

Graphic Design Award & Dean's List

Nov 2020 - Dec 2020 | 4 Campaigns Over 7 Categories

Loeries Finalist

Integrated Campaigns, Out of Home & Communications

June 2020 - Oct 2020 | 2 Campaigns Commended

Creative Conscience Commendation

Commendation & Shortlist

Nov 2019 - Feb 2020 | Afronauts Mobile Theme Design

Winner of the Samsung Design Jam

1st Place with Design Featuring on the Galaxy Store