# KATLYN BROUWER

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# EDUCATION

IOWA STATE UNIVERSITY

Bachelor of Fine Arts Concentration in Graphic Design Minor in Advertising

#### **DESIGN/ART DIRECTION**

Illustrator Photoshop InDesign Premiere Pro After Effects Audition XD Editorial Design Photo Editing/Retouching Video Editing Prop Shopping Microsoft Programs

SKILLS

Screen Printing Digital Photography Videography Illustration Sketching Hand Typography Social Media Management Meltwater Hootsuite HTML and CSS

#### AWARDS

ADAI STUDENT AWARD OF EXCELLENCE IN IDENTITY SYSTEMS APRIL 2017

> ISU DEAN'S LIST FALL 2014-MAY 2017

ISU HONORABLE DISPLAY WORK FALL 2014-MAY 2017

ISU ACADEMIC RECOGNITION AWARD AUGUST 2014-MAY 2017

> ISU ROME AND INTERNATIONAL STUDY SCHOLARSHIP SUMMER 2015

#### **DESIGN/WORK EXPERIENCE**

### IOWA DEPARTMENT OF TRANSPORTATION

VISUAL STORYTELLER | MAY 2019-PRESENT

Creating recruitment videos, editing traffic/drone footage, animation videos, photographing important projects/events, branding campaigns, creating/managing social media posts, designing various icons for web/posters, and strategically planning campaigns

#### GREY DOG MEDIA

ASSOCIATE ART DIRECTOR | OCTOBER 2018-MAY 2019 SENIOR GRAPHIC DESIGNER | JUNE 2018-OCTOBER 2018 GRAPHIC DESIGNER | APRIL 2017-JUNE 2018 Experience includes designing and art directing layouts for Hy-Vee Seasons magazine, Hy-Vee Balance magazine, Life Beautiful magazine and Hy-Vee Mega Ad

#### FLOURISH CREATIVE CO.

GRAPHIC DESIGNER AND CREATIVE DIRECTOR | OCTOBER 2017-OCTOBER 2019 Projects vary from designing wedding invites, making wooden signs, developing stationary concepts and managing sales through Etsy

#### HY-VEE INC.

GRAPHIC DESIGN INTERN | JANUARY 2017-APRIL 2017 Designed banners, posters, monthly themes, logos, and print materials

#### **KB PHOTOGRAPHY**

FREELANCE CREATIVE ARTIST AND OWNER | AUGUST 2014-APRIL 2017 Projects ranged from individual to family portraits, brochure and layout design

#### IOWA DEPARTMENT OF TRANSPORTATION

GRAPHIC DESIGN INTERN | MAY 2016-JANUARY 2017 Projects varied from branding, autonomous vehicle logo design, infographics, Iowa State Fair booth design/setup and icon design

#### WILCOX DESIGN GROUP

SOCIAL MEDIA MANAGER | MARCH 2016-DECEMBER 2016 Managed social media such as Facebook and Twitter for the iCarrier Plus product and Marshall Manufacturing Company

#### LIVE HAPPY MAGAZINE

PHOTO ASSISTANT | OCTOBER 2016 Assisted with photography compositions for the February 2017 issue

#### ISU MEMORIAL UNION MARKETING

GRAPHIC DESIGN INTERN | AUGUST 2015-MAY 2016 Created marketing materials for campus wide organizations and events

#### MARKETING START-UP BUSINESS MASH

GRAPHIC DESIGNER | JUNE 2014-NOVEMBER 2015 Designed marketing proposals and business cards

## ACTIVITIES

MEMBER OF AIGA FEBRUARY 2014-PRESENT

#### PRESIDENT OF ISU GRAPHIC DESIGN STUDENT ASSOCIATION

AUGUST 2014-MAY 2016 Networked to bring in speakers, hosted events, created a mentor program for upper and lower classmen, and lead students through panels and critique

#### COMMUNITY SERVICE LEADER OF ISU HOMECOMING CENTRAL COMMITTEE WINTER 2013-FALL 2014

Coordinated over 200 hours of community service events involving 4,000 people and designed Ames 5K Glow Run t-shirts