

# JIM FERRANTE

# GRAPHIC DESIGNER

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#### **ABOUT ME**

A confident, organized and creative Graphic Designer with over 10 years of experience working with both print and digital platforms. Self-motivated, detail oriented with a comprehensive understanding of Photoshop, InDesign, Illustrator and the latest design technologies. Possessing a get it done attitude while not compromising attention to detail and quality.

#### **PRO SKILLS**

LOGO DESIGN

**TYPOGRAPHY** 

**SOCIAL MEDIA** 

BASIC VIDEO EDITING

LAYOUT DESIGN

**BASIC MOTION GRAPHICS** 

**ICONOGRAPHY** 

COMPLEX PROBLEM SOLVING

**CRITICAL THINKING** 

TIME MANAGEMENT

**BRAND IDENTITY** 

MARKETING MATERIALS

**CONTENT CREATION** 

PROJECT MANAGEMENT

BASIC UI DESIGN

UI / UX

CONCEPTUAL THINKING

TROUBLESHOOTING

# **EXPERIENCE**

#### FERRANTE DESIGNS, COSTA MESA, CA **2023 - PRESENT**

#### **GRAPHIC DESIGNER**

Work to provide graphic design services to a diverse range of clients across various industries. Collaborate closely with clients to understand their design needs, objectives, and target audience. Develope creative concepts and design solutions that effectively communicated clients' brand messages and goals. Create visually appealing designs for print and digital media, including logos, branding materials, marketing collateral, social media graphics, website elements, and advertisements.

#### TRANSACTION DATA SYSTEMS (HEALTHCARE), IRVINE, CA 2019 - 2023

#### **GRAPHIC DESIGNER**

Integral part of the in-house marketing team at TDS. Managed TDS brand identity across all platforms, company-wide. Executed design request for all TDS brands. Design requests included sell sheets, social media, marketing kits, trade show, web graphics, email graphics, etc.

# **OUTDOOR DIMENSIONS, ANAHEIM, CA** 2016 - 2019

#### **SENIOR GRAPHIC DESIGNER**

Designed original artwork and layouts for various types of signs in a fast-paced full service sign company. Signage included banners, flags, monument signs, 3D signs, cut-out signs, impact graphic signs and home builder company signs.

# **A2Z GRAPHIC SERVICES, COSTA MESA, CA** 2012 - 2014

### **OWNER / GRAPHIC DESIGNER / PRODUCTION**

Designed and produced graphics to fulfill customers needs. Created broad range of graphic design products including: logos, vehicle lettering, vehicle spot graphic, banners, decals, magnets, brochures and business cards. Operated and maintained professional wide-format solvent color printer.

#### **EDUCATION**

# **GOLDEN WEST COLLEGE, HUNTINGTON BEACH, CA**

**ADVANCED GRAPHIC DESIGN CERTIFICATE** 

### FIDM, COSTA MESA, CA

**VISUAL DESIGN AND MERCHANDISING** 

### **SOFTWARE**

ADOBE XD

ADOBE ILLUSTRATOR	FIGMA	MAC OSX
ADOBE PHOTOSHOP	SKETCH	MICROSOFT WINDOWS
ADOBE INDESIGN	HUBSPOT	MICROSOFT OFFICE
ADOBE AFTER EFFECTS	SOCIAL PLATFORMS	JIRA
ADOBE PREMIERE PRO	CONSTANT CONTACT	SLACK

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