

# **EDUCATION**

## **University of Michigan**

STAMPS School of Art & Design Ann Arbor, MI GPA: 3.8/4.0 Class of 2023 Dean's List 2020, 2021, 2022, 2023

#### **University of Arts London**

Chelsea College of Art Semester Study Abroad Program London, UK Spring 2022

#### **SKILLS**

Graphic Design
Editorial Design
Art Direction
Marketing and Branding
Web Design
Logo Design
Print Production
Typography
Drawing
Painting
Photography
Proficient in Spanish

#### **SOFTWARE**

Adobe Illustrator
Adobe InDesign
Adobe Photoshop
Microsoft Office
Adobe Lightroom
Adobe Premiere Pro
Artlogic and ArtBase
Adobe Bridge
MailChimp

# **LEIGH COHEN**

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#### **EXPERIENCE**

#### Digital Designer, September 2023—present

Yogafreak, Rye Brook, NY

- Spearhead designs for a wide range of digital assets, including social media posts and stories, email newsletters, merchandise, and banners for studio's app and website
- Established comprehensive brand guidelines and actively enforced their consistent application across all digital assets to maintain a cohesive and impactful brand image

# Freelance Graphic Designer, August 2023—present

Happy Jack Entertainment, New York, NY

- Drive the establishment of the brand's identity, amplifying the startup's creative impact as a bridge between music and mental health within the industry
- Play a pivotal role in shaping the company's visual identity by designing graphics and posters for social media, events, and company announcements

#### Freelance Graphic Designer, August 2023—present

Total Entertainment, Hackensack, NJ

- Collaborate with event planning team to create captivating lookbooks, enabling clients to seamlessly select from a range of amenities
- Develop innovative event-specific design concepts for products and displays, and craft detailed mockups to facilitate client engagement and ensure design approvals

#### Public Relations and Design Intern, Summer 2022

Communication Arts & Design, Los Angeles, CA

- Conducted thorough research to identify PR opportunities, including podcasts, articles, and writers, aimed to promote client engagement and visibility
- Utilized MailChimp to design and distribute weekly and monthly newsletters, keeping clients and subscribers informed about upcoming events, client projects, and business updates

# Graphic Design Intern, Summer 2021

Museum of the City of New York, New York, NY

- Collaborated daily with Museum's design team to assess and enhance exhibitions
- Improved gallery public exposure through engaging typographic designs integrated into banners, wayfinding, and posters, informing visitors of exhibitions while maintaining company branding

## Gallery Assistant, Summer 2021

Christie's x Carpenters Workshop Gallery, Southampton, NY

- Managed clients, delivering information about each exhibition, and documented crucial details in client notebook for future reference
- Facilitated communication by serving as a liaison between the New York and Southampton locations for successful execution of upcoming events and exhibitions

## Graphic Designer, 2021—2023

MASH Magazine, University of Michigan

- Conceptualized and crafted visually appealing article covers and graphics for the website and social media platforms for each monthly magazine edition
- Fostered communication within the creative team by providing progress updates during weekly meetings, ensuring seamless collaboration and project advancement