# **FLORENCE GROTE**

## Senior Graphic Designer

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## **EDUCATION**

B.A.

**Graphic Design** 

**Upper Iowa University** 

**==** 2018

A.A.A

**Graphic Design** 

Hawkeye Community College

**2004** 

A.A.

Liberal Arts

Hawkeye Community College

**1997** 

## **SKILLS**

- Adobe Creative Suite
- Graphic Design
- Creative Design
- Illustration Design
- Typography
- Digital
- Technical
- Communication skills
- Innovation
- Detail Oriented
- Collaboration
- Project Management

## **CAREER OBJECTIVE**

Nice to meet you, my name is Flo! 21 years graphic design, customer service, branding, digital, web, print and marketing design.

### **WORK EXPERIENCE**

# Marketing Coordinator/Senior Graphic Designer Building Products Inc

- 🛗 Jun 2021 current
- Evansdale, IA
- Led the brand development process to establish a strong and recognizable identity in the market.
- Crafted innovative marketing strategies to enhance brand visibility and drive customer engagement.
- Managed print production timelines and quality control to ensure consistent brand presentation.
- Created appealing graphic designs for a variety of marketing materials and campaigns.
- Developed project management tasks to meet deadlines and deliver highquality results.
- Managed social media platforms to engage with audiences and drive brand awareness.

## **Graphic Designer**

## **Mudd Advertising**

- iii Apr 2019 Jun 2021
- Cedar Falls, IA
- Designed custom digital advertising for web and social media UX Homepage, Google My Business, Auto trader, Facebook, SRP\_VDP and Display ads.
- Manage and implement inbound marketing projects.
- Execute email campaigns, mailers, and digital POP artwork using Illustrator, InDesign, Photoshop, Adobe Acrobat and Excel.
- Follow advertising guidelines and submit ads for coop advertising approval.

## Art Director

## **PIP Printing**

- iii May 2005 September 2006
- Iowa City, Iowa
- Manage and deliver multiple projects with tight deadlines, ensuring all deliverables maintained high standards of creativity and precision.
- Introduced a streamlined workflow for the design team, reducing project turnaround times by 20% and allowing for rapid pivoting to accommodate client needs.

## Freelance Graphic Artist

#### Florence Grote Design

- 🛗 Jun 2006 current
- La Porte City, IA
- Managed print production process from concept to final product delivery.
- Maintained clear and consistent communication with clients to ensure project objectives were met.
- Utilized Adobe Creative Suite to design and produce marketing materials.
- Created appealing designs for print and digital platforms.
- Met tight project deadlines while maintaining high quality standards.