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**SUMMARY** I am a driven Creative Lead with 8+ years of hands-on experience designing and managing impactful creative for digital, social and print. As an innovative leader with a successful track record managing end-to-end creative, I leverage my collaboration and communication skills to align creative with Marketing strategy goals – driving strong consumer engagement across global multi-platform campaigns.

# EXPERIENCE WALT DISNEY STUDIOS // 2014 – PRESENT

#### CREATIVE LEAD, MARKETING CREATIVE // BURBANK, CA

Design and manage the development of key art in a high-volume, fast-paced, detailfocused environment to execute a cohesive creative campaign aligned with Marketing strategy, while monitoring progress against schedules and budgets. Work experience includes high-profile titles for Disney, Marvel Studios, Lucasfilm, Pixar, 20<sup>th</sup> Century Studios, Searchlight Pictures, ESPN and ABC Television.

## SELECTED ACHIEVEMENTS:

- Saved over half a million dollars on a single campaign by designing creative in-house which had previously been sent to an external vendor.
- Developed social creative promoting shows and films under both the Disney and 20<sup>th</sup> Century Studios banner, contributing to a 500% lift in purchases.
- Worked with ESPN to develop weekly College Football game day graphics, resulting in **4 million impressions** with overall positive engagement.
- Maintained close relationship with high-level executives on materials promoting the launch of ABC daytime talk show Tamron Hall, resulting in the second-highest ratings debut of any talk show in the prior five years.
- Designed the *MCU Infinity Saga* and the *Star Wars: The Skywalker Saga* box sets. Artwork submitted to Kevin Feige and Kathy Kennedy were enthusiastically approved on the first round.
- Designed and delivered social, digital, and print advertising celebrating 19 Disney+ Emmy nominations (including covers for Variety and The Wrap). All ads were wellreceived, resulting in Disney+ reaching out to partner for future FYC campaigns.

## **PROJECT SUPERVISOR, IN-HOME CREATIVE SERVICES**

Managed hundreds of digital and physical deliverables for Disney Live-Action in-home creative campaigns. Built and maintained positive relationships with internal and cross-functional partners such as Creative Marketing, Product Development, Digital Customer Marketing and Social teams to bring beloved franchises directly to consumers across the globe.

## **SELECTED ACHIEVEMENTS:**

- Managed the in-home creative campaigns for the four **highest-grossing Disney** releases of all time (including *Avengers: Endgame* and *Star Wars: The Force Awakens*), resulting in premium creative that maximized profits while still engaged core fans.
- Collaborated with retail teams to create impactful and eye-catching in-store displays, including the **Display of the Year and Gold Award** for *Star Wars: The Force Awakens*.

## COBALT C CREATIVE AGENCY // 2012 – 2014

**PROJECT COORDINATOR, DISNEY ACCOUNT** // MONTEREY PARK, CA Worked directly with the Disney in-home creative team to design and produce premium key art for Disney Channel, Disney XD, Disney Jr. Gained a comprehensive understanding of agency workflows with an emphasis on the importance of strong written and verbal art direction.

## XEROX CORPORATION // SALES AND MARKETING INTERN

Designed and delivered promotional marketing materials for the Hispanic Association for Professional Advancement conference.

#### UNIVERSITY GRAPHIC SYSTEMS // HEAD PRESSMAN

Managed and motivated team of four employees and interns.

#### EDUCATION Bachelor of Science

Graphic Communication Cal Poly, San Luis Obispo *magna cum laude* 

## EXPERTISE

Relationship Building **Creative Direction** Graphic Design Presentation Design Adobe CC Team Leadership Critical Thinking Strategic Mindset Presentations **Design Execution** Communication **Project Management** Time Management Budget Management Creative Marketing Agency Experience Process Improvements Creative Workflow Innovation Entertainment Industry Film, TV, Digital, Social

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