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ALEX PIASCIK

ART DIRECTOR • GRAPHIC DESIGNER

I'm an art director and graphic designer with over 15 years of experience across a wide range of media, including motion graphics, print design, and UI/UX design. I can help you to leverage the strengths of different media to reach potential customers in memorable and effective ways.

I love all forms of art and communication. This enthusiasm translates into a relentless drive to create captivating experiences for the end-user that hit home with their message.

EXPERIENCE

- Motion Graphics Designer WRGT | WKEF
 Dayton, Ohio
 August 2014 - Present
- Design Director
 WOOD | WOTV
 Grand Rapids, Michigan

May 2012 - July 2014

- Senior Designer
 WTOL
 Toledo, Ohio
 April 2011 May 2012
- Design Director
 WTVG
 Toledo, Ohio
 July 2007 April 2011
- Design Director
 WTKR
 Norfolk, Virginia
 July 2003 July 2007
- Senior Designer
 Cinemagic, Inc.
 Harrisburg, Pennsylvania
 October 2000 June 2003

Currently I work in the Creative Services department of an ABC / FOX duopoly where I: design elements for on-air promotion, commercial spots, web, print, and promotional campaigns; art direct photo shoots; maintain the stations' brand across multiple media; and work with outside vendors to produce print collateral.

I managed the Design department of an NBC / ABC duopoly where I: designed graphics for on-air news broadcasts, print collateral, and promotional campaigns; maintained the stations' brand; supervised the work of a junior designer; and supervised the production of station collateral by print vendors.

I was hired by the Toledo CBS affiliate to implement a new automated graphics production workflow using Chyron hardware & software, install Chyron graphics templates provided by the Raycom Design Group, and design graphics for four daily newscasts in a fast-paced environment.

I managed the Art Department at an ABC affiliate where I: created motion graphics for commercials and on-air promotional spots; designed print elements including ads and signage; maintained the station's brand identity; and supervised the work of on-air graphics operators.

I managed the Art Department at a CBS affiliate where I: created motion graphics for commercials and on-air promotional spots; designed print elements including ads, signage and billboards; maintained the station's brand; and supervised the work of two junior designers, including project assignments, art direction, and employee reviews.

I worked at a motion graphics and web development company where I: designed websites and DVD menus for clients including Sports Illustrated and MTV Networks; designed motion graphics and edited corporate videos for clients including McCormick Foods and Aetna Insurance; and helped design graphics packages for network TV affiliates across the country.

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EDUCATION

 State University of NY College at Fredonia

Fredonia, New York **Major:** Graphic Design **G.P.A.** - 3.6

Graduated: May 1994

Mohawk Valley Community College

Utica, New York **Major:** Advertising Design **G.P.A.** - 3.8

SOFTWARE SKILLS •

Photoshop	••••	Acrobat	••••
Illustrator		HTML 5	
After Effects		CSS	
Cinema 4d		Javascript	$\bullet \bullet \circ \circ \circ$
Premiere		Powerpoint	

PROFESSIONAL SKILLS

Motion Graphics	Photo Retouching	
Print Design	Script Writing	
UI / UX Design	Video Editing	
Typography	Pre-Press	
Art Direction	Project Management	

AWARDS

- BDA Gold Award 2006
- BDA Gold Award 2005
- Regional Emmy 2005
- IABC/Harrisburg Capital Award

HOBBIES & INTERESTS















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