# **Terry Ann Fernando**

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## **SUMMARY**

- Highly organized creative director with more than a dozen years of experience managing projects and designing digital, animated, and print solutions for a wide range of clients
- Supportive and effective instructor in online/remote setting
- · Effective manager, responsible for goal-setting, evaluating progress, and mentoring of junior staff
- · Seasoned problem-solver skilled at working simultaneously on multiple projects and collaborating with others
- · Talented artist adept at creating realistic drawings based on photographs

#### **EXPERIENCE**

## Creative Director, Artist, Owner

Apr 2016-present

On Point Design, LLC, Raleigh, NC

- Coordinate design and implementation of digital and print projects for clients in various industries, including education, consulting, finance, and the nonprofit sector.
- Design proposals, PowerPoint presentations, and graphics for government agencies including the Federal Aviation Administration, the Department of Health and Human Services, and the Department of Transportation
- · Manage client communication, invoicing, and coordination with contract designers, writers, and developers
- · Create realistic colored pencil dog portraits for dog owners nationwide

#### **Video Art Director**

Jan 2023-present

NAVHDA International, Arlington Heights, IL

- · Wrote script and created storyboard for 15-minute video about NAVHDA's Utility test for hunting dogs
- · Art directed video shoot on location in Kansas; collaborated with video production team
- Provided edits on rough cut and compiled feedback from various NAVHDA directors

## **Online Adjunct Instructor**

Aug 2021-present

Rasmussen College, Brooklyn Park, MN

- · Teach Advanced Image Editing and Senior Design Capstone online courses using Blackboard platform
- · Communicate with students through discussion boards, posted announcements, and emails
- · Host weekly Live Classroom session to further explain concepts and answer student questions

# **Online Adjunct Faculty**

Jun 2021-present

Southern New Hampshire University, Manchester, NH

- Teach Graphic Design 220: Intro to Digital Imaging online course using Brightspace platform
- · Communicate with students through discussion boards, posted announcements, and emails
- Responsible for timely grading and feedback delivery

# **Subject Matter Expert**

Dec 2020-Feb 2021

Rasmussen College, Brooklyn Park, MN

- · Developed content and design assignments for new Advanced Image Editing online course
- · Coordinated with Graphic Design department chair to ensure content met established learning objectives

## **Art Director**

Dec 2013-Mar 2016

DDC, Washington, DC

- · Conceptualized and implemented visual solutions for Fortune 500 companies in a fast-paced environment
- Managed comprehensive campaigns that included branding, websites, social media graphics, infographics, digital advertising, videos, and collateral
- Supervised and guided junior designers; assigned projects from daily work queue; managed freelance designers, and handled freelancer invoicing and budgeting

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## **EXPERIENCE**

## **Lead Designer**

Jun 2011-Dec 2013

Top Shelf Design, Arlington, VA

- Managed design process for print and web projects from beginning to end: brainstorming, ideation, refinement, integration of client feedback to finished product
- Led design assessments with clients from a wide range of industries, handled daily client communication and problem-solving
- Coded design files into HTML/CSS, validated, tested across major web browsers, and revised to ensure compatibility
- Collaborated with developers to ensure integrity of design from statically coded HTML/CSS files to live site with integrated CMS; conducted quality assurance (QA) examinations of beta websites

## Senior Graphic Designer

Jun 2009-Jun 2011

HNTB Corporation, Arlington, VA

- Conceptualized, designed, and coordinated production of all graphic elements for proposal documents and presentations; maintained HNTB brand identity in all designs
- Lead designer for Anacostia Waterfront Initiative's commemorative book, produced for DC Mayor Adrian Fenty's
  office and distributed to political officials and the public during 10-year anniversary celebration

#### **EDUCATION**

# Rochester Institute of Technology, Rochester, NY

May 2009

MFA, Graphic Design; Interactive Media Minor

Gettysburg College, Gettysburg, PA

May 2007

BA, Studio Art and Art History; Concentration in Psychology Denmark's International Study Program, Copenhagen, Denmark

Jan-May 2006

PROFESSIONAL ACTIVITIES

Phi Beta Kappa National Honor Society Mentor, AIGA DC SHINE Program Feb 2007-present

Jan 2016-May 2016

### **SOFTWARE**

Adobe CC: InDesign, Illustrator, Photoshop, XD, HTML and CSS, Microsoft Office, Wordpress, Webflow