# BEN DELERY

# **Senior Production Artist / Graphic Designer**

## **EXPERIENCE**

**J&C** • Chicago

Freelance Production Artist / 2024 – Present Senior Production Artist / 2017 – 2024 Production Artist / 2012 – 2017

Work on consumer and business-to-business integrated marketing campaigns focused on receiving top-end results through acquisition and retention

- Helped develop interactive and print campaigns from concept to execution
- Direct mail packages, email campaigns, landing pages, interactive PDFs
- Logos, icons, layout graphics, modified images (Photoshop / Illustrator)
- · Physical mock-ups, along with digital presentation collages
- Photoshop and Illustrator graphics for online videos

Freelancer • Chicago

Freelance Production Designer / Art Director • 2009 – 2012

Managers Investment Group (now AMG) • April – May 2012

· Investment annuals and reports, design layouts, convention displays, invitations

Radio Flyer • Nov 2011 - April 2012

Large packaging, logo banners, image displays, promotional materials

Beam Global Spirits & Wine • June – Aug 2011

• Brand guidelines, interactive PDF, Trade show ads for Devil's Cut

New Control (a Merkle company) • March – May 2011

· Direct mail, postcards, self-mailers, interactive pdf, presentation mock-ups

**TargetCom** • 2009 – 2011

· Direct mail, presentation mock-ups

## TargetCom (now Civilian) / MDC Partners · Chicago

Junior Art Director / 2007 - 2009

- · Design and layout of direct mail pieces
- Presentation mock-ups for brochures, inserts, letters, postcards, envelopes, etc.
- · Exhibit displays for client trade shows

## Chicago Tribune (Metromix / RedEye) · Chicago

Graphic / Production Designer / 2003 - 2006

- · Layout designer for all of Metromix and some RedEye daily print pages
- Metromix covers, entertainment listings, Photoshop illustrations (print and web)
- · Contributed to two separate Metromix redesigns
- · Provided daily input for project ideas, headlines, design, general creativity

## GambitWeekly (now Gambit) • New Orleans

Graphic / Production Designer / 1997 – 2002

- Designed wide range of magazine ads, including several award-winning
- Newspaper covers, story layouts, entertainment listings
- · Photoshop and drawing illustrations, logos, t-shirt designs, posters
- Creative control for weekly "News of the Weird" column illustration
- Responsible for bi-weekly "Ronnie Virgets" column illustration

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# HARD SKILLS

Production
Design

Adobe Creative Cloud Microsoft Office

Project Management

Troubleshooting
Quality Assurance

## SOFT SKILLS

Work Ethic Creative Thinking Collaboration Communication Skills Time Management Positive Attitude Problem-Solving

## CLIENTS

#### **ASSOCIATIONS**

AARP • National Association of Realtors

## **FINANCIAL SERVICES**

Alliant Credit Union • C2F0 Discover • Fundbox • Visa

### **BANKS**

iPay Solutions Jack Henry Merrick Bank ProfitStars TrueCredit

## INSURANCE

Allstate • Mutual of Omaha The Hartford

#### **HEALTHCARE**

Cancer Treatment Centers of America • Humana

#### **PUBLICATIONS**

Chicago Tribune Gambit of New Orleans

### RETAIL

Ann Taylor • Banana Republic GAP • HERE International Jim Beam • Old Navy Phantom Fireworks

## SPECIALTY SERVICES

AGC0

Appraisal Institute

### **TELECOMMUNICATIONS**

Sprint • U.S. Cellular

# UTILITIES AND ENERGY PROVIDERS

Consumers Energy FirstEnergy Solutions IGS Energy Pacific Gas & Electric (PG&E)

## UNIVERSITY

Kellogg School of Management

# **AWARDS**

- · Tempo Awards
- Davey Awards
- Louisiana Press Association
- Association of Alternative News Weeklies
- Alpha Awards
- Chicago
   Tribune Annual
   Publisher's
   Awards

# **EDUCATION**

Lousiana State University
Bachelor of Fine Arts / Graphic Design