# ETHAN J. SMITH

EDUCATION 🗇

PURDUE SCHOOL OF ENGINEERING & TECHNOLOGY

GPA: 3.7 / 4.0 Dean's List, Fall 2020 / Fall 2023 B.S. Computer Graphics & Technology **\*Interactive Multimedia Design** 

## SKILLSET 🚓

#### SOFTWARE

- > Figma / Framer / Adobe XD
- > Adobe Illustrator / Photoshop
- > Adobe After Effects / Premier
- > Visual Studio Code / GitHub
- > Microsoft Office / Google Workspace

#### **UX SKILLS**

Information Architecture, Wireframing, Prototyping, Iteration, User Personas, Usability Testing, Journey Mapping, Research, Competitive Analysis

### **UI SKILLS**

Multimedia Design, Visual Design, Responsive Design, Typography, Color Theory, Accessibility, Familiarity With Design Trends, Branding Design / Implementation, **Motion Graphics / Animation** 

#### DEVELOPMENT

HTML/CSS, JavaScript, jQuery, AI-Guided HTML/CSS and JavaScript, AI-Enhanced Research and Analysis, AI-Prompted Contextual Problem Solving, **Always Adopting Emerging Technologies** 

## **OBJECTIVE** \*

> Seeking a full-time position working as a UX / UI Product Designer.

## EXPERIENCE 📋

### INDIANAPOLIS HOST COMMITTEE | MARKETING INTERN

Indianapolis, IN | Sep - Dec 2021

- > Engaged in routine group meetings to review user analytics / demographics, informing design choices and marketing strategies.
- > Focused on interactive design choices and messaging that would maximize visual communication via social media platforms.
- Created static and motion graphics used across Indianapolis Host Committeesponsored events, widely distributed via social media.

### ABR PRINT | GRAPHIC DESIGNER

Bloomington, IN | Dec 2020 - Sep 2022

- > Deeply involved in client interaction, product inquiry, design, iteration, as well as handling print production within an entrepreneurial business environment.
- Designed ABR-branded product packaging, labels, and stickers with close attention to detail and brand consistency.
- Created logos, branding specifications, t-shirts, and stickers to promote local YMCA youth groups and activities.

## LEADERSHIP AND INVOLVEMENT

### MONROE COUNTY YMCA | HEAD LIFEGUARD

Bloomington, IN | Since Sep 2015

- > 9+ Years working with and leading an ever-evolving team of lifeguards, building interpersonal skills, and forming relationships with coworkers and patrons.
- Leading the lifeguard team in training, communicating best practices, promoting a healthy work environment and strong teamwork ethic.
- Assisting with managerial responsibilities such as scheduling, organizing and facilitating monthly trainings, and completing training status reports.
- CPR, First Aid, AED, and Lifeguard certified, serving as the primary first responder at the facility ensuring the safety of patrons.