

# Monique Renée Faella

GRAPHICS • ILLUSTRATION • PHOTOGRAPHY

PROFILE: Exemplary design professional with creative experience working on multimillion dollar brands.

## GRAPHIC DESIGN:

- Brand identity expert
- Excellent typography skills
- Mastered pen tool/illustration skills
- Eye catching layout/logo design
- Highly skilled at packaging design
- Exceptional attention to detail
- Profound sense of color
- Designed large 72x48 inch ads

## PHOTOGRAPHY:

- Educated in darkroom/digital
- Great composition skills
- Excellent color correction abilities
- Thorough understanding of image resolution
- Experienced in product, portrait, newborn and wedding photography

## SOFTWARE:

Experienced in Adobe Illustrator, InDesign, Photoshop, Microsoft Word, Excel, PowerPoint, Outlook, and Entourage. Mac and PC friendly.

## ADDITIONAL ASSETS:

- Experience interacting with overseas manufacturers
- Experienced in trade show sales

## RELEVANT WORK HISTORY:

Morela Designs - Owner, Freelance Graphic Designer [2005 - Present]

Designs by Lolita - Pawtucket, RI - Graphic Designer/Social Media Manager [04/12 - 09/14]

Hasbro, Inc - represented by Experis - Toy Packaging Designer for PLAYSKOOL brands [02/12 - 04/12]

Hasbro, Inc - represented by AQUENT - Toy Packaging Designer for PLAYSKOOL brands [10/10 - 10/11]

Michael Healy Designs, Marville, RI - Graphic Designer [8/09 - 07/10]

Rhode Island College Career Development Center - Graphic Design Specialist [9/08 - 05/09]

Artinium, Inc., Lincoln RI - Graphic Design Intern [9/08 - 12/08]

Rhode Island College Student Graphics Department - Supervisor [9/07-9/08];

Assistant Manager [1/07]; Graphics Assistant [8/2006]

## EDUCATION:

- Degree: B.F.A. Rhode Island College - [May 16th, 2009]
- Major: Graphic Design - Related Studio: Photography
- 3.93 GPA - Summa Cum Laude

## ENRICHMENT:

- Developing and Controlling the Project Schedule, Course Completed: [Feb., 2012], Metrix Learning
- Create a Work Breakdown Structure, Course Completed: [Jan., 2012], Metrix Learning
- Marketing Course - [Fall Semester, 2009] RISD, Providence, Rhode Island

## ORGANIZATIONS:

- President's Board on Campus Art and Beautification, Rhode Island College - Committee member [2008-2009]
- Member of the National Society of Collegiate Scholars

## AWARDS/ACHIEVEMENTS/EXHIBITIONS:

- Project Up-Cycle (Hasbro) Gallery Show at Hasbro [07/11]
- Houseblend (Hasbro) Gallery Show at Tsetse Gallery [12/10]
- The Blackout, West Side Arts Gallery [11/09]
- Eponymous Photo Show, Firehouse 13 Gallery [5/09]
- Senior Exhibition, Bannister Gallery [5/09]
- Art Department Talent Award Recipient, Rhode Island College [4/08]
- J.D. Eadsal Women's Advertising Scholarship winner [9/07]
- Cooperative Visions Logo Design Contest winner, Woonsocket High School, [4/03]
- Massachusetts Wildlife and Fisheries, National Duck Stamp Contest, Honorable Mention [1999 and 2000]
- Listed in Who's Who Among Students

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