# **COLTON** McNAMARA

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I graduated in May of 2022 with a degree in graphic design. I am interested in a position where I can contribute to a business while enhancing my skills in design.

## **EDUCATION**

#### York Community High School Elmhurst.IL 2014 - 2018

#### University of Illinois

Champaign, IL 2018-2022

**Bachelors in Fine Arts** Champaign, IL 2018-2022

## SKILLS

- Ability to be personable and communicative with peers and coworkers to further productivity and efficiency in the workplace.
- Experience in customer service has given me the ability to multi-task, resolve issues quickly. negotiate, and be organized.
- Productive due to my experience in many of the Adobe creative applications, for example, Illustrator, Photoshop, InDesign, XD, After Effects, Audition, and Media Encoder.
- Experienced in T-Shirt design from a fraternity position I held creating T-shirts for social and philanthropy events.
- Outside-the-box thinker and problem solver, human centered design, and application wire framing.
- Adept working in team settings given my past in team sports from childhood continuing through today.

## EXPERIENCE

#### **Bradford Allen**

Chicago, IL July 2022 - September 2022

#### **Associate Graphic Designer**

- Worked alone and in a team to complete floor plans, lease books, flyers, newsletters, etc...
- Using mainly Adobe InDesign and Illustrator to keep new projects fresh and innovative.
- Additionally, printing business cards, space tour books, and lease plans.

#### Alpha Sigma Phi - Eta Chapter

Champaign, IL November 2019 - May 2022

#### **Apparel Chair**

- Was in charge of the entire design process • for all apparel designed for our organization.
- That apparel was used for social and philanthropic events.
- Collaborated with the company UpMerch to print my designs onto shirts.

#### The Red Lion

Champaign, IL September 2019 - March 2021

### **Doorman / Barback**

- Responsible for maintaining the safety of the patrons in the bar and assisting bartenders with anything they need.
- Ability to make on the fly decisions and act with purpose and efficiency.

#### The Hub at Beren's Park

Elmhurst, IL April - November 2016 - 2018

#### **Customer Service**

- Collaborated with colleagues to discuss market information and strategies.
- Acknowledged customer issues and
- addressed the available options and helped them select the right service plans for their needs.
- Followed up with customers ensuring their satisfaction with their purchases.