

# Graphic art + Pre-press

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A passionate designer eager to explore outside the box, push at the edge of trends, testing my own boundaries in the process.

Autonomously driven, enjoys collaboration within a team and always strives for the best. A lover of all things creative - music - film - writing.

## SKILL SET

- Computer design using Adobe creative suite Illustrator, Photoshop, video editing  
Vector illustration
- Digital printing pre-press - colour management
- 2D and 3D Product illustration and T shirt design/illustration
- Photo manipulation
- Shopify web page management and Typo3
- Social media advertising
- Packaging and label design

## PROFESSIONAL EVOLUTION

### GRAPHIC ARTIST/PRE PRESS

2020 - Current

Label Power (Brisbane)

### Duties

Delivered graphic design and pre-press production for labels within the food and beverage industry. Prepared artwork for flexographic and digital printing, ensuring accuracy in colour correction and print specifications.

Produced illustrations and design work aligned with brand and marketing guidelines.

Contributed to creative problem-solving for design and production challenges.

Designed point-of-sale materials, corporate displays, and marketing collateral.

Supported website management, product photography, and video content creation.

Developed trade show assets, brochures, and social media content.

### Key Skills

Adobe Creative Suite (Photoshop, Illustrator, InDesign)

Colour correction and print production (flexography & digital)

Illustration and layout design

Pre-press and artwork preparation

Website content management and digital media creation



## GRAPHIC ARTIST/PRE PRESS

2011 - 2020

Catalyst Graphics (Brisbane)

### Duties

Graphic Design and pre press while contracted within a national exhibition event company  
Liaise with advertising sales people and problem solve creative initiatives.  
Responsible for the design/pre press of national trade and exhibition campaigns in a variety of visual mediums.  
Pre-press for Point of Sale advertising merchandise, Corporate displays, Outdoor banners, trade stand design concepts. Themed event design.

#### Key Skills

Computer design using Adobe creative suite.  
Vector illustration  
Large format digital printing and substrate expertise  
Digital printing pre-press - colour management  
Point of sale creation including banners and info graphics  
Brochures  
Conceptual design



## GRAPHIC ARTIST - Screen Printing

2004 - 2011

Lifestyle Australia (Brisbane)

### Duties

Designed graphics and performed colour separation for screen-printed garments and merchandise, including complex 12-colour production.  
Collaborated with advertising sales teams to develop creative solutions and support campaign objectives.  
Delivered design assets for national sales campaigns across multiple advertising formats.  
Developed garment ranges for both retail and corporate clients.  
Produced logos, icons, and branded assets for corporate use.  
Prepared artwork for digital and dye-sublimation printing, including large-format outputs such as point-of-sale displays, banners, and corporate signage.

#### Key Skills

Adobe Creative Suite (Photoshop, Illustrator, InDesign) Vector illustration and garment design  
Colour separation (including alpha channels) and photo retouching  
Large-format and digital print production  
T-shirt design and illustration.



## GRAPHIC ARTIST - Signage design

1998 - 2004

Coloursplash (Brisbane)

### Duties

Lead and Initiate design and production within a signage team as the main artist  
Logo/icon design for corporate business  
High impact 3D sign creation  
Liaise with clients and problem solve creative solutions  
Large format digital printing production.  
Vinyl cutting and production

#### Skills

Computer aided design on PC and Apple platforms  
Large format digital printing  
Logo/identity creation  
Vinyl cutting and signage production





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## PROFESSIONAL SKILLS

Hand drawn character art  
Specialised in dry media (chalk Pastel)  
Colour photo/ manipulation  
12 colour spot separation  
3D modelling  
ink/watercolours



## EDUCATION

1994..... James Cook University, Townsville Queensland  
Bachelor of Visual Art (Illustration)

1995..... Griffith University, Mt Gravatt Campus Queensland  
Graduate Diploma of Secondary Education (Art/ English)

1997..... Commercial Arts Training College, Brisbane  
Diploma of Graphic Art