



ELIZABETH BANKMANN

INTERIOR DESIGN STUDENT | HOSPITALITY & RETAIL DESIGN

PROFESSIONAL SUMMARY

Interior Design student pursuing an Associate of Applied Science degree with a focus on hospitality and retail design, bringing over 20 years of experience in creative production and project management. Passionate about creating thoughtful, human-centered environments that enhance the user experience through intentional design. Recognized for exceptional organization, clear communication, and a collaborative approach that strengthens team dynamics, builds trust, and keeps projects moving efficiently in fast-paced creative environments.

WORK EXPERIENCE

PHOTOGRAPHY PRODUCER

Gulfshore Life Media | 2021-present

- Produce editorial and branded photo shoots for interiors, hospitality, travel, and lifestyle features.
- Negotiate vendor contracts, usage rights, and production budgets.
- Manage creative teams and coordinate projects from planning through post-production.
- Build relationships with luxury brands, agencies, and creative partners.

PHOTOGRAPHY PRODUCER

Modern Luxury | 2017-2019

- Produced interior, culinary, and lifestyle photography for four regional publications.
- Managed budgets, location scouting, licensing, and production logistics.
- Collaborated with photographers, stylists, and editors to deliver high-quality visual content.

CREATIVE PROJECT MANAGER

RR Donnelley at Omega Studios | 2013-2016

- Managed creative campaigns for print, digital, and e-commerce projects.
- Coordinated cross-functional teams, schedules, and budgets.
- Partnered with photographers and creative teams to execute brand campaigns.

EDUCATION

ASSOCIATE OF APPLIED SCIENCE DEGREE, INTERIOR DESIGN

College of DuPage | Glen Ellyn, IL

Anticipated Graduation- Fall 2026

BACHELOR OF FINE ARTS, COMMERCIAL PHOTOGRAPHY

Columbia College | Chicago, IL

Professional references available upon request. .

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CORE STRENGTHS

Project Management
Cross-Functional Collaboration
Creative Problem Solving
Strategic Relationship Building
Positive Leadership

SOFTWARE KNOWLEDGE

Autodesk AutoCAD and Revit
Adobe Photoshop and InDesign
Chief Architect
Sketchup
Canva

AWARDS & ACHIEVEMENTS

Kravet Excellence Award Winner
2024 & 2025

FCCLA Design and Decor Guest Judge 2025

IIDA Student Charette Competition, 2024

Dickson Fine & Applied Arts Scholarship 2024
& 2025

PROFESSIONAL STUDENT MEMBERSHIPS

ASID IDS
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