

VALENTE

SENIOR DESIGNER + MORE SAN DIEGO, CA

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PROFESSIONAL SKILLS

Illustrator	••••
InDesign	••••
Photoshop	••••
Premier Pro	••••
Strategy	••••
Figma	••••
UI/UX	••••
Unity + C#	••••
Blender	••••

PERSONAL SKILLS

Communication

Creative Direction

Detail Orientated

Human-Centered Design

Organization

Project Management

Time Management

ABOUT

I am a UX/UI designer, senior graphic designer, senior consultant, artist, and educator. I also have experience with virtual and augmented reality design/development. I am a passionate creator always learning and growing my skills.

EXPERIENCE

August 2021-Present

Valtech UX/UI Designer Designing desktop and mobile wireframes, prototypes, and branded designs for clients. Leading user research, involving screening and selecting participants; scheduling and facilitating interviews; and analyzing research to develop personas, journey maps, and designs.

March 2019-August 2021 The New Children's Museum Senior Graphic Designer

Designed all marketing materials across departments including print and outdoor advertising, signage, photography, videos, promotional and event materials, and any other design support needed.

February 2017-Present Freelance Work Senior Graphic Designer and Paint Night

Providing design expertise to projects involving brand development, logo design, website creation, and creative clothing design. Supporting individual entrepreneurs, non-profits, and companies with design services. I also am a paint instructor for a wide range of social events.

October 2018-May 2019 Big Frog Custom T-Shirts & More Graphic Designer/Sales Representative

Supported customers directly by designing apparel they love using Illustrator and Photoshop to ensure designs are print ready (high quality/vector artwork). Provided excellent customer service and print production support.

June 2015-March 2019 Deloitte Consulting LLP Federal Health Consultant Lead a Human-Centered Design (HCD) client workshop to improve the visitor experience of The New Children's Museum of San Diego. Supported brand development of program for Centers for Medicare and Medicaid Services (CMS) and developed a communications plan with 50+ products. Designed the user interface of an employee portal for the Food and Drug Administration (FDA).

October 2014-June 2015

Innovations International Charter School Science Teacher (Long-Term Substitute)

Created and implemented engaging lesson plans for high school level classes in Biology, Chemistry, and Earth Science while maintaining healthy relationships with staff, parents/guardians, and 100+ students ages 14 to 17.

August 2013-June 2014 Western Oregon University Program Assistant Created and designed the concept, theme, and promotional materials for 5 job trainings for Resident Assistants. Assisted in organizing and designing materials for student leadership conferences. Supported professional staff with administrative skills and served as a resource for all student leaders.

EDUCATION

Western Oregon University, Monmouth, Oregon Bachelor of Science: Community Health Education and Human Biology September 2011-August 2014 GPA: 3.88

INTERESTS



Going to the beach



Baking



Hosting paint nights







Practicing yoga

SOCIAL



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