# LUIS MARTINEZ

BRAND DESIGNER

Objective: Looking to further develop as a brand designer

References and portfolio available upon request

# EDUCATION

**University of Houston** Bachelor of Fine Arts degree in Graphic Design, May 2017

Lonestar College Systems Associate of Arts degree, 2012

## SKILLS

#### Design

Research and Concept Development, Brand Strategy, Identity, Print, Exhibition, Environmental Graphics, UI/UX, Web and Motion Graphics.

Technical

Proficient in Adobe Creative Suite, HTML/CSS, Wordpress. Experienced in Letterpress, Video Editing, Cinema 4D, Sketchup.

Other

Fluent in Spanish. Leadership.

# WORK EXPERIENCE

# CKO DIGITAL, 2017-2020

Lead Designer, 2019-2020 Managed two graphic designers, client interaction, and project management. Lead in brand strategy, art and creative direction.

#### Graphic Designer, 2017-2019

Collaborated with a team of designers to establish and develop the brand strategy, logo design process, and web design proceess. Worked on website design and development, social media, logo design, print design including stationary, magazine layout, brochure, menu, packaging, and signage.

## University of Houston College of the Arts Interdisciplinary Program, 2017

## Web Designer

Web design and programming for "Desert Unit for Speculative Territories", an interdisciplinary research studio. desertunit.org

#### University of Houston Campus Recreation, 2015-2017 Graphic Designer

Design of print, social media, and various marketing collateral for various departments while maintaining university brand guidelines.

## WORK EXPERIENCE CONT.

#### Southwest Key Programs, Conroe, TX, 2010-2016

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Youth Care Worker, 2010-2012, 2012-2016 Responsibilities include mentoring, supervision and transportation of youth to various sponsored events.

Shift Leader, 2012-2014 Responsible for the direct supervision of youth, employees, and programming of daily activities.

## **EXHIBITIONS**

## UHGD17 University of Houston Graphic Design Senior Exhibition, Ecclesia, 2017

**Coming Soon** University of Houston School of Art, Third Space Gallery, 2016

#### **TWENTY DEGREES**

University of Houston Graphic Design Exhibition, MATCH, 2016

University of Houston School of Art Student Exhibition Blaffer Art Museum, 2015, 2017 (Juried)

## AWARDS AND PUBLICATIONS

## Indigo Awards

Bronze in Logos 2019 Bronze in Integrated Graphic Design 2019 Bronze in Website Design 2019 Bronze in Branding 2019

#### University of Houston

Graphic Alumni Partnership, Scholarship Recipient, 2016

**PBS Arts Insight** Animating History Project, 2016

Houston Chronicle EEDC/Animating History Project, 2016

Houston Livestock Show and Rodeo Opportunity Scholarship, 2006

**The Pavilion Partners Fine Arts** Scholarship, 2006

## **PROFESSIONAL AFFILIATIONS**

**Graphics Alumni Partnership**