# JEFFREY AKERS

## **CONTACT INFO**

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com/akersdesignportfolio

# SKILLS -

Organization

Time Management

Collaborative

Communication

Branding/Marketing

Design Package/Presentation

Analysis + Research

Layout + Graphic Design

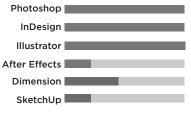
Digital Media Drawing

**Experiential Design** 

Event Planning/Promotion

Concept Development

#### SOFTWARES -



Years of Experience — 4

## **HOBBIES** -



Design



Leadership



Community Service



Reading

# REFERENCES

Rhiannon Illencik - Senior Designer 330.607.6488 / rillencik@nelsonww.com

Trevor Cox - Technical Designer 859.652.1241 / tcox@nelsonww.com

## **EDUCATION**

University of Kentucky Bachelor of Arts, Architecture May 2019 Studio GPA 4.0/4.0

### **EXPERIENCE** -

Nelson Worldwide **Technical Designer I** August 2021-Current Assist the team in construction documents and prepare presentations and renders for clients.

Home Depot Kitchen and Bath Designer 2019-Current

Assist customers through their kitchen/bath renovations. Material selection, color, style, as well as manage budget, timeline, and vendor/contractor communication to ensure projects go as planned with the highest customer

satisfaction.

KY Young Democrats Communications Director/Designer 2019-Current

Ensure our social media pages are up-to-date with current political events while creating content to educate KY voters on voting process, candidates of the commonwealth, and graphic material for conventions.

Freelance | Graphic Designer 2017-Current

Completed projects for walk-a-thons, leadership programs, political campaigns, non-profits. Projects were approached with a human-centric design focus.

# **ACHIEVEMENTS**

Alpha Phi Omega Distinguished Service Key 2019

Honored as a member for a unique contribution to the chapter. Exemplifying and furthering in demonstrable ways the principles of Leadership, Friendship, and Service.

University of Kentucky | SeeBlue Program of the Year 2019

Recognized by the University for Best Program/Event of the year for the walk-a-thon founded in 2018. for branding and awareness

UK College of Design | Sipple Endowed Scholarship 2018-2019

UK College of Design Kentucky Society of Architects Scholarship 2018-2019

Alpha Phi Omega 300+ Logged Service Hours 2017-2019

Recognized in Top 10 to reach over 300 service hours. Complied over three and a half years, volunteering for various organizations in the Lexington Community.

Alpha Phi Omega Outstanding Officer 2017-2018

#### **LEADERSHIP** -

KY Young Dems | Rebranding Designer 2020

Created logo/content for rebranding of KYD, along with convention promotional materials and design.

Boy Scouts | MBU Counselor - Architecture 2019

Assisted 30 scouts in learning about the career and history of architecture for their Merit Badge. (Created Graphic Material for this badge as well as promotion)

Alpha Phi Omega | Founder of the 'Go Beyond' Walk-a-thon 2017-2019

Annual event that raised \$6,000+ in two years for Homelessness/Mental Health Non-Profits. Created its vision, promo graphics, merchandise, leadership committe, etc.

AIAS AIAS QUAD Conference Committee 2018-2019

Created Promotional content for QUAD Conference