




NATALIE ADAM

EXHIBITION DESIGNER

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PROFILE

Exhibition designer with professional experience in installation design, exhibition coordination, and logistics management. Seeking opportunities to further expand experience and contribute dedicated hands-on work.












EDUCATION

Corcoran School of the Arts & Design @ GWU
Washington, D.C.
M.A. Exhibition Design, 3.9
2019 - 2022

New York University
NYC, NY
Object Care and Display
for Collections Managers
2016

Montclair State University
Montclair, NJ
B.A. Fine Arts: Painting, 3.9
B.A. Psychology, 3.8
2010 - 2014

EXPERTISE

-  Adobe CC
-  AutoCAD
-  Microsoft Office Suite
-  Sketch Up
-  Rhino
-  Vectorworks
-  Arthandling
-  Custom framing
-  Installation design
-  Model building
-  Project management

PROFESSIONAL EXPERIENCE

Freelance Exhibition Designer | *Washington, DC*
August 2022 - present

- Collaborating with clients to envision and implement exhibitions and display elements from concept design through installation management
- Creating renderings/visualizations/3D digital and physical models, graphics schedules, production files, and coordinating with outside vendors

Associate Preparator | *September 2021 - June 2022*
Registration Intern | *June 2021 - August 2021*
Glenstone Museum; Potomac, MD

- Designed and fabricated built structures for special installation projects
- Created 3-D renderings, full-scale mock-ups of artworks, and scaled architectural models for upcoming exhibitions
- Provided art handling assistance to collections division, including: installing, packing, moving, handling works of art, and preparing gallery space

Exhibition Design Intern | *Nat'l Museum of American History; Washington, DC*
September 2021 - December 2021

- Developed conceptual design ideas for object-based interpretive exhibitions
- Prepared exhibit design drafting packages for production and fabrication
- Presented work in weekly creative critiques and exhibit project team meetings with curators, designers, fabricators, and collection managers

Exhibition Coordinator & Registrar | *Agora Gallery; NYC, NY*
November 2016 - June 2019

- Assisted gallery director with exhibition development and installation design
- Organized all aspects of monthly installations and led a team of art handlers
- Coordinated artwork shipments and storage over multiple facilities
- Designed exhibition booths for art fairs and was responsible for all artwork transportation, fabrication of exhibit display elements, and installation logistics

Logistics Manager | *White Space Chelsea; NYC, NY*
August 2017 - June 2019

- Led installation team for exhibitions, auctions, and events
- Point person for general event space logistics and creative problem solving
- Hands-on assistant to Event Manager during events