

Sarah Porter is a visual designer & illustrator based in Boston, MA. Talk to her about the ending of Game of Thrones, the best coffee spots in Boston, or her hometown of Pittsburgh, PA.

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EDUCATION

Northeastern University, Boston, MA
BFA in Graphic + Information Design
Minor in Art History
Expected May 2021, 3.9 GPA

Burren College of Art, Ballyvaughan, IRE
Summer term abroad, July 2018
Concentrated in illustration and graphic art with an emphasis on multimedia abstraction

EXPERIENCE

Graphic Design Co-op, Drift

Boston, MA (remote) | July 2020–present

Work as a member of the creative team to conceptualize and execute design that speaks to the company's mission and elevates its brand. Collaborate with developers, videographers, and social media experts to produce bold and engaging content in a fast-paced environment. Participate in the company's first major rebrand project.

Project Lead, Scout Studio

Boston, MA | January–June 2020

Spearheaded a team of six student designers and developers in the creation of a brand identity for a modern suspenders startup and the design and development of its accompanying e-commerce website. Established project scope and led the team in weekly sprints. Directly managed all client communications.

Graphic Design Co-op, Sametz Blackstone Associates

Boston, MA | July–December 2019

Worked in collaboration with graphic design team to construct identities and design print and digital pieces for clients such as Lyric Opera of Chicago, Harvard Admissions, Northeastern Khoury College of Computer Science, and Emmanuel Music.

Design Director, The Avenue Magazine

Boston, MA | Aug 2018–April 2019

Led and empowered a team of six designers and illustrators. Collaborated weekly with other members of the executive board and translated creative vision and theme into printed design. Directed collaborative critique workshop sessions. Communicated with publishing company and prepared two 70–page editorials for print each semester.

CLASSWORK & SKILLS

Typography I, II & III
Identity & Brand Design
Information Design
Programming Basics
UI/UX Design
Graphic Design History

Adobe Creative Suite
HTML/CSS, Javascript
DSLR Photography
Sketch, Figma, InVision
Procreate
Maya, Cinema 4D

INTERESTS

Astronomy, mechanical physics, glassblowing, fine art, ceramics, stand up comedy