

## EDUCATION

### UC BERKELEY EXTENSION

Project Management, Spring 2019

Effective Leadership and Management, Fall 2017

Social Media Marketing Strategies, Fall 2015

Introduction to Marketing, Summer 2015

#### THE STARTER LEAGUE

User Experience, Winter 2013 Advanced HTML/CSS, Fall 2012

### COLUMBIA COLLEGE CHICAGO

Bachelor of Fine Arts Graphic Design, 2009

### SKILLS/SOFTWARE

Creative Strategy/Art Direction Marketing Strategy Project Management: -Asana, Adobe Workfront, Smartsheet, Basecamp, Project Libre InDesign

Illustrator

Photoshop

Lightroom

After Effects (Beginner)

Acrobat/Distiller/Pre-Press

HTML5/CSS3/js/jquery

WordPress/php

UI/UX Design

-Adobe XD, Balsamiq

Google Analytics

Ruby on Rails (Front End)

Github

Photography - Film/Digital

Photoshelter

Microsoft Office

Copy Writing/Editing

## EXPERIENCE

# OAKLAND ATHLETICS | DECEMBER 2022-PRESENT CREATIVE DIRECTOR

Leads team of graphic designers, motion graphic designers, photographers, videographers and a project manager. Guides creative decision making for advertising, marketing, social media, in-game experience, internal and external communications, Athletics.com, retail items, and community events. Manages the Athletics brand and its various applications, whether digital, print, uniforms, apparel, stadium signage, etc.

# CHICAGO BLACKHAWKS | AUGUST 2022-DECEMBER 2022 GRAPHIC DESIGNER - REMOTE

Supporting the needs of the Blackhawks organization through creative solutions, including social media graphics, digital ads, email layouts, in-arena materials, publications and any other assigned projects.

# UNIVERSITY OF CALIFORNIA, BERKELEY CALIFORNIA GOLDEN BEARS ATHLETICS | DECEMBER 2013-JUNE 2022

## DIRECTOR, BRAND CREATIVE AND DIGITAL SERVICES (2015-2022)

Leads team of graphic designers and video producers covering all areas of visual communications at Cal Athletics, including social media, print publications, posters, branded products, feature videos, in-stadium board show content, etc.

Creative Services unit covers 30 Cal sports and 10+ administrative units.

Successfully managed transition from Nike to Under Armour apparel partnership in 2017, including a complete re-brand that unified all 30 Cal teams under one brand identity. All uniforms and practice gear, facilities, stationery and signage updated.

Upgrading and implementing department-wide project management system to organize and track creative project requests.

Responsibilities: creative strategy, brand management & guides; uniform design; licensing; marketing campaign development; client/collaborator relations; sponsorship assets, facilities branding; event signage, employee professional development; vendor and logistics oversight, freelancer/contractor management, equipment procurement, budgets.

### WEB MANAGER (2013-2022)

Design and maintainance of CalBears.com, CalAthleticsFund.com, the Cal Bears mobile app and Sportsology recruiting app. Layout and code custom landing pages. Monitor and interpret analytics; create and track digital ads; check accessibility and SEO. Educate coworkers on best practices and page editing skills.

### CHICAGO SUN-TIMES | 2007-2013

SPECIAL SECTIONS LAYOUT DESIGNER, MARKETING/SALES GRAPHIC DESIGNER, ONLINE AUTO SECTION EDITOR

Complete work history and portfolio may be found at *jlemein.com* or *LinkedIn*