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Portfolio Website

EDUCATION

2019 - 2023

DePaul University Chicago

B.S. Game Design GPA: 3.99/4.0

Relevant Coursework:

- Intro to Screenwriting
- Story Development
- Game Sound Design
- Playtesting (QA / QC)
- Business of Games & Indie Games
- Presentation & Communication
- Ethics in Games & Cinema

SKILLS

- Creative Writing
- Editing / Manuscript Proofreading
- Multimedia Content Development
- Narrative Design / Layout Design
- Scrum / Agile Methodologies
- Project Management / Leadership
- Web Content Management / SEO
- Research / Competitive Analysis
- Branding / Marketing Strategy

TECHNOLOGY

- Adobe Creative Suite
- Artificial Intelligence
- Microsoft Office Suite
- Pro Tools Digital Audio Workshop
- Jira, Confluence, & Asana Task Management

Jonathan Brauer

Experiential Design | Project Management | Creative Writing

Creative storyteller and project manager with a B.S. in Game Design from DePaul University (3.99 GPA), pursuing a CAPM certification from PMI. Experienced in multimedia content creation, branding, and leadership across both agency and project environments. Passionate about building immersive experiences and compelling narratives.

WORK EXPERIENCE

Online Gaming Group

Head Manager, Lead Creative, HR Lead Jun. 2021 – Jun. 2024

- Managed and trained a dynamic team of 45+ members.
- Logo design, video editing, environmental design, brand copywriting, documentation, member recruiting.
- Coordinated multi-organization collaborations.

MonogramGroup

Research Analyst, New Business Development Sep. 2023 – Jun. 2024

Account Executive Intern, Project Manager Jan. 2023 – Sep. 2023

- Collaborated on client branding and marketing.
- Conducted research, competitive audits, and QC.
- Led a team of eight to develop company case study pages.

LA Fitness | FedEx | Jewel-Osco | United Parcel Service

Various Roles

Dec. 2016 - Present

- Built customer service skills in high-volume environments
- Contributed to daily operations, inventory, and logistics management

RELEVANT PROJECTS

Writer, Aspiring Author: The City in the Dark

Jul. 2025 - Present

• 'Epic Fantasy' novel about two teenagers coming to terms with their lives' harsh realities as they are thrust without warning into darker tides beyond the veil of the mundane.

Writer, Aspiring Author: PINE

Aug. 2024 - Present

• 'Dark Fantasy' novel about hunters of supernatural creatures, and a 16-year-old boy whose world is turned upside down with the making of a not so simple, single choice.

Project Manager: MonogramGroup Case Studies

Jan. 2023 – Jun. 2023

• Led team of eight utilizing agile methodologies to develop several keystone website case study pages.