Self Promotion

Description

This final project is about your creating a promotional packet/package about you and your design abilities to future employers. You are a product and/or a brand with unique abilities, attitudes and insights on how you see the world.

Requirements

- Pick one thing not four things to say about you!
- Include 4 pieces from Design 1 (only 1 turn and burn can be used; if any)
- You may include more pieces (including work from other classes)
- Contact information about yourself (do not use school address/email)
- Resume incorporated into the design
- Some type of binding/packaging to hold all this information together
- Must be able to open/close and to be contained (not fall apart based on how you hold it) all together
- A mark for yourself (Typographic logo)
- Use Toggl.com to track your time

To Think About

- What do you want to say and how to say it?
- This is just a sampling of your work; so how do you make an impression to the viewer?
- What unique feature showcases your abilities?
- This is to promote you! The more unique and memorable the better!
- How will you package this information about yourself?

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Self Promotion - Part 1

Description

This part will be focusing on the research and prep work.

Requirements

- Research 5 binding/packaging and layout options
 - Show Options for layout
 - Write up why and how for each
- Create your resume
 - Contact Information
 - Biography/Summary
 - Experience
 - Education
 - Certifications?
 - Skills
- 20+ sketches of your mark
- Use Toggl.com to track your time

To Turn in

- Upload to class Google drive
 - Research write up on the 5 examples
 - Resume
- Sketches

Grade determinations

- Satisfying requirements
 - Write-up 5pts
 - Resume 6pts
 - Sketches 4pts
- Total points for this step in assignment: 15 points

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Self Promotion - Part 2

Description

Making progress on graphics.

Requirements

- Choose final binding/packaging template (without content)
- Initiate taking any necessary photos and/or any illustrations to use
- Complete and finalize your mark
- Initiate/start layout of content over the template
- Use Toggl.com to track your time

To Turn in

- Upload to class Google drive
 - Finalized template of binding/packaging (pdf)
 - Finished mark (eps)
 - Contact sheets of potential photos to use (pdf) and/or started illustrations (eps)
 - Initiated layout (pdf)

Grade determinations

- Satisfying requirements
 - Layout Start, over chosen template 6pts
 - Template 3pts
 - Mark 6pts
- Contact Sheet and/or Started Illustrations 5pts
- Total points for this step in assignment: 20 points

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Self Promotion - Final

Description

Finalizing the layout and mock-up.

Requirements

- Finalize photography and illustrations
- Complete layout with content
- Finalize mock-up
 - Without content, but with labels
 - Photograph 5+ angles of mock up put together
 - Create contact sheet
- Combine Mock up, contact sheet and layout to one pdf
- Use Toggl.com to track your time

To Turn in

- Upload PDF
 - With Mock up, contact sheet and Final layout
 - To Folder: Critiques > Assignments > SelfPromo for critique
 - Filename to be [LastName][Promo].pdf (ex. NeeleyPromo.pdf)

Grade determinations

- Satisfying requirements
 - Mock Up with contact sheet 10pts
 - Final Layout 20pts
- Design 10 pts
- Total points for this step in assignment: 40 points

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Self Promotion - Production files

Description

Organize files for archiving.

Requirements

- Create Archive Job Folder
 - Packaged InDesign folder of finished Layout
 - Print pdf of finished layout
 - OriginalFiles folder with all other files
- Toggl Summary report for the Self Promotion package

To Turn in

- Upload Job Folder to class Google drive
- Upload Toggl Summary

Grade determinations

- Satisfying requirements
 - Archive Job Folder 25pts
 - Toggl Report 5pts
- Total points for this step in assignment: 30 points

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