

William Darby

PROFILE

Passionate and innovative multidisciplinary designer committed to redefining how we perceive and interact with the world through design. For me, design is more than a profession—it's an exhilarating journey of creativity and discovery.

EDUCATION

B.F.A. in Communication Design
College for Creative Studies
{Graduating 2025}

SKILLS

UI/UX Design
User Research
Prototyping
3D Modeling
Motion Design

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EXPERIENCE

Team Leader

Headcount {Aug 2022 - Present}

- Recruited and trained over 50 volunteers on proper voter registration procedures
- Established partnerships with local universities, resulting in a 15% increase in student voter engagement
- Ensured completion of 500+ voter registrations and digital engagements

Carpentry Specialist

National Guard {Feb 2022 - Mar 2022}

- Monitored the condition of tools and equipment valued at over \$250,000.
- Facilitated harmonious working relationships with 30 crew members to prevent problems and conflicts.
- Consistently assumed additional responsibilities and worked extended hours to meet project deadlines.

Director

O.U.R. Vets {Jan 2019 - Jan 2022}

- Managed human resources including recruitment, employee relations, and benefits administration, for a team of 50 employees.
- Oversaw financial management, including budgeting, forecasting, and reporting, for a budget of \$150,000.
- Ensured compliance with federal, state, and local laws and regulations in five different markets.

Technical Support

Thomson Reuters { Sep 2017 - Sep 2019 }

- Assisted 15+ customers daily with troubleshooting guidance for issue resolution.
- Documented product bugs and managed customer expectations during conflicts.
- Acquired comprehensive knowledge of 5 products and their capabilities.

HONORABLE MENTIONS

Democracy Fellow

Campus Vote Project {2024-2025}

Led campus initiatives to boost civic engagement and voter participation, organizing registration drives, educational events, and advocacy campaigns to empower underrepresented communities.

Immersive Tech Program

CCS & Oakland University {2024-2025}

Engaged in an AR/VR-focused program, collaborating on real-world challenges with peers to build a professional network and expand skills in immersive technology and UX.

UMSI Institute Participant

University of Michigan {Summer 2023}

Completed a one-week program in information science, gaining skills in data analysis, user-centered design, and collaborative problem-solving.