

Dmitri Custode

Talented Design Coordinator passionate about all things creative and known to be curious, innovative, collaborative, and attentive to detail.

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WORK EXPERIENCE

- DESIGN COORDINATOR**
Crate and Barrel
10/2023 - present (Full-time)
 - Led interior design consultations both in-store, in-home, and virtually, providing tailored design solutions.
 - Conducted customer outreach and follow-up to meet monthly sales targets.
 - Created moodboards and 3D floor plans to deliver elevated design offerings using CAD and other industry tools.
 - Provided expert guidance on product selection and customization. Used knowledge of textiles and color theory to ensure customer satisfaction and drive profitability.

- GUEST ADVOCATE**
Target Corporation
04/2020 - present
 - Identified solutions to resolve issues and ensure customer satisfaction.
 - Managed payments, returns, and online orders.
 - Communicated effectively to meet guest needs.

- RESIDENT ADVISOR**
James Madison University
08/2021 - 05/2024
 - Created, marketed, and led engaging programs for residents using Adobe Creative Suite.
 - Managed residence hall floors of diverse undergraduate students.

- MAKER CITY ASSISTANT**
Explore More Discovery Museum
02/2024 - 05/2024
 - Fostered a creative learning environment.
 - Provided invaluable support to educators in enhancing student engagement and comprehension.
 - Instructed students on CAD software and 3D printing.

- MARKETING ASSISTANT**
ARROW Project
08/2023 - 01/2024
 - Created marketing material using Adobe tools.
 - Designed fliers and coordinated their distribution.
 - Ensured consistency in brand language and design.

SKILLS & COMPETENCIES

Indesign	Adobe Creative Suite
Illustrator	Microsoft Office
Photoshop	Presentation
CAD Software	Prototyping
Product Design	Research

LEADERSHIP EXPERIENCE

- SOCIAL MEDIA CHAIR**
Industrial Design Society of America
08/2021 - 05/2022
 - Created and uploaded content to social media.
 - Promoted and organized programs.
 - Informed members of relevant news and events.
- EAGLE SCOUT PROJECT LEADER**
Boy Scouts of America Troop 1548
08/2017 - 05/2018
 - Promoted and led a community service project using CAD to design and construct a climbing wall for a toddler playground at Cub Run Recreation Center.

EDUCATION

- JAMES MADISON UNIVERSITY**
Bachelor of Science, Industrial Design
08/2020 - 05/2024
Major GPA: 3.5
- UMBAU VIENNA DESIGN STUDIO**
05/2024 - 06/2024
 - Immersive experience exploring a spectrum of creative disciplines in Austria and Hungary, broadening both my technical skills and artistic perspective.
 - Collaborated with fellow designers, fostering a spirit of innovation, inspiration, and transformative growth.
- SCANDANAVIAN DESIGN AND SUSTAINABILITY**
06/2022 - 07/2022
 - Explored the intersection of design and sustainability in Sweden and Denmark.
 - Worked in interdisciplinary teams and engaged in design workshops.