Leah Connor

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EXPERIENCE

A Good Group Graphic Design & Digital Marketing Consultant (self-employed)

Provides creative support and digital marketing strategy for nonprofits by developing cadence and types of content for social media, email, and websites. Manages digital content calendar by designing and scheduling posts on Twitter,

Facebook, LinkedIn, Instagram, and Pinterest with Hootsuite and Canva. Uses research, data analytics, and digital marketing tools to increase online engagement, facilitate donations, and support clients' missions.

Cambium Assessment Production Associate

Engages in desktop publishing work for paper tests and proposal efforts.

Virginia Film Festival **Communications Coordinator** (seasonal role)

Created campaigns for Twitter, Facebook, Pinterest, Instagram, and LinkedIn using Canva, Adobe Creative Suite, and Hootsuite. Used digital storytelling to support VAFF's mission as well as research, data analytics, and digital tools to increase online engagement. Designed email newsletters, flyers, and digital media.

Learning Without Tears 1998-2020 Sr. Digital Media Coordinator (formerly Sr. Graphic & Website Designer)

Managed the testing and execution of email campaigns and e-newsletters. Set up automated campaigns with tactics, variables, and appropriate tracking to report campaign level data.

Created the company's first online store in 1998 and managed the online shopping cart as well as posted materials online using both Dreamweaver and content management systems such as Drupal. Worked closely with software vendors on shopping cart enhancements to optimize customer experience.

Transformed production of student workbooks into a completely electronic method by creating original fonts and scanning images. Created five student workbooks in three languages using Quark and InDesign.

Charlottesville Track Club 2008-2021 Marketing & Communications Manager and Race Director

Maintained and designed websites, emails, and social media campaigns. Created a wide range of graphic design projects including race logos, t-shirts, and medals. Managed online registration for membership, races, and training programs.

Created and currently directing the Rivanna Greenbelt Marathon. RRCA Certified Race Director/Running Coach; WINA Newsradio Correspondent.

Ragged Mountain Running & Walking Shop Graphic Designer and Digital Marketing Specialist

1997-present

Online Marketing Ecommerce **Email Campaigns Event Management** Social Media Graphic Design **Proofreading and Editing Creative Writing Customer Support**

SOFTWARE

SKILLS

Adobe Creative Suite Bronto Canva **Constant Contact** Drupal Facebook Ads Google Apps and Analytics Hootsuite MailChimp Microsoft Office Suite RunSignup Salesforce Social Studio Weebly WordPress

EDUCATION

George Mason University MFA in Creative Writing

The George Washington University MA in Women's Studies

Penn State University BA in Women's Studies & English

2023-present

Fall 2022

2016-2020