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## SKILLS

K4

Woodwing

Wrike

Adobe Creative Suite

Wordpress

Microsoft Word

PowerPoint

## LANGUAGES

100% English

100% French

30% Spanish

## EDUCATION

### INTUIT/LAB

Master's in Graphic design

### HIGH SCHOOL

Major: Literature and arts



# KÉZIAH MAKOUNDOU

## ART DIRECTOR

## ABOUT ME

With a specialty in Graphic Art and Design. I have served in senior designer roles at various premier publications. With nearly a decade of international experience, I have advised international businesses and charitable ventures on communications and branding efforts. I received a Masters in Design and Visual Communication from Ecole Intuit.Lab in Paris. I currently reside in New York City.

## WORK EXPERIENCE

### BERLIN ROSEN PR FIRM | Freelance Senior Designer | 2018-2020

- Brainstorming and designing political campaigns from flyer, brochure, direct mail, logo creation and branding needs.

### MEDIA PLANET | Freelance Senior Designer | 2018-2020

- Layout design for lifestyle, healthcare, education, business and causes campaigns. (From 8 to 24 pages per campaign)

### CHICAGO MAGAZINE | Freelance Art Director | 2017

- Working on layout for front of the book + features
- Helping with Photoshoot set up

### THE REAL DEAL MAGAZINE | Art Director | 2013-2016

- Supervising the art department
- Handling meeting between art team and editorial team
- Assigning work to designer and interns (layout pages, photo research and more)
- Assigning commission illustration (inside illustration + cover art)
- Setting up photoshoot (handling the photo department in house)
- Laying out pages + main features design + covers design
- Getting files ready for the printer (final PDFS for the printer)
- Helping the sales team with any marketing design need

### POPULAR MECHANICS, HEARST | Senior Designer | 2012

- Working with the Creative team on the magazine new design (new look)
- Working on front of the book design (2 full sections of the magazine)
- Assigning commission illustration for the section I was handling
- Working on the digital version of the magazine (iPad)

### UPTOWN & VIBE MAGAZINE | Junior Designer | 2008-2012

- Working with the Creative Director and Art Direction on VIBE magazine redesign
- Working on front of the book + features
- Data design pages
- Helping Sales team with marketing design needs
- Helping with special project design, event material design