

CV

DESIGNER

ALEXANDER ALLEN

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EXPERIENCE

FEB 2025 - PRESENT

05Group // Assistant Designer - (New York, NY)

- Heavy emphasis on product development and tech pack creation
- In-depth use of PLM systems and tracking of development/design of over 300 SKUS per season
- Attending multiple design meetings per week while taking in-depth notes of what is touched on
- Updating and managing linesheets, TP's, BOM's.
- Consistent, professional, and clear communication with over 20+ overseas vendors
- Design and concept proposals for new Men's woven programs
- Fast-paced workflow with tight deadlines in a highly cross-functional and collaborative workplace

OCT 2024 - DEC 2024

KALLMEYER NYC // Freelance Assistant Designer - (New York, NY)

- Research and development for upcoming seasons, and presentation of development to creative director
- CAD design and rendering custom knit and woven fabrics on photoshop
- Tech Packs and sample tracking from NYC and overseas factories
- Sourcing fabrics for new styles and meeting with distributors of Italian and Japanese textiles.
- In charge of updating design boards to reflect decisions made in design, development, and fabric meetings.
- Thumbnail sketches of garment ideas or details for the design deck

AUG 2023 - MAY 2024

PETER DO // Design and Production Intern - (New York, NY)

Production:

- Direct communication with midtown factories
- Building relationships with vendors in the garment district while sourcing trims and fabrics
- Creating and updating BOMs, CMs, and Tech packs in Illustrator, Excel, and PLM system
- Assisting in production fittings.

Design:

- Research and concept for new collections
- Creating and updating design boards
- Working directly with creative director on development for new styles
- Backstage team member and on-set tailor for SS24 runway in Paris.

JUNE 2023 - AUG 2023

SAVAS // Production Assistant - (New York, NY)

- QC on garments sewn in atelier and pattern alteration for MTM garments
- Inventory on all leather and trims in Excel
- Updating status for Custom, Bespoke, and MTM garments on Excel
- Sourcing trims and custom gold hardware for bespoke clients
- Running errands in the garment district.

2018 - 2022

MAY 2024 - PRESENT

FREELANCE // Graphic Designer - (Nashville, TN / New York, NY)

- Custom logos, menus, album artwork, and graphic kits for local businesses and artists
- Built a network of loyal returning clients
- Worked in Photoshop, Illustrator, InDesign, and did web development in Squarespace, Webflow, and Shopify.
- Worked closely with clients to create graphic decks that reflected the values and helped build their brands.

2017 - 2022

TFG COFFEE CO. // Shift Manager - (Nashville, TN)

- Fast-paced preparation and execution of specialty product
- 5+ years of high-level customer service experience

EDUCATION

AUG 2022 - MAY 2024

FASHION INSTITUTE OF TECHNOLOGY // Menswear Design AAS - (Summa Cum Laude)

- Pattern making
- Fit and pattern correction through draping and muslin fittings
- Professional illustrator flat garments and CADs
- Advanced sewing/construction and traditional tailoring
- Portfolio development and design showcasing
- Fashion illustration and concept development
- Textile science
- PLM systems

SKILLS

Photoshop
Illustrator
InDesign
Excel
PLM
CLO 3D
Web Design
Tech Packs
Pattern making

Sewing
Hand sewing
Tailoring
Fit Correction
Garment Construction
Styling
Creative Direction
Presentation
Public Speaking


LANGUAGES

ENGLISH: NATIVE SPEAKER / BILINGUAL
SPANISH: NATIVE SPEAKER / BILINGUAL

AWARDS

NAMSB 2023/2024 Scholarship Recipient
Dean's List of FIT (2022-2024)
Graduated Summa Cum Laude

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