

208-290-8992 | jrprandato.com | jennifer.prandato@gmail.com | Boston, MA

Education

Ball State University, Muncie, IN Expected Graduation: May 2014 Major: Journalism Graphics, Bachelors

of Science **GPA:** 3.8/4.0

Activities & Honors

Society for News Design Officer | May 2011 - present

- Update website weekly
- Give meeting presentations and print/ online design tutorials

Member | Aug. 2010 - present

Attend bi-weekly meetings and participate in critiques

Kappa Tau Alpha Member | May 2011 - Present

Journalism Honors Society

Inglehart News Scholar Member | May 2010 - present

 One of 20 journalism students selected to help develop professional skills and talents

Emens Scholar Recipient | Aug. 2010 - present

 Renewable scholarship awarded to five incoming freshman students

Honors College, Deans List All semesters

Skills

Proficient in:

InDesign, Illustrator, AP Style, Adobe Digital Publishing Suite

Experience with:

Photoshop, Dreamweaver, WordPress, Final Cut. Flash

Career Experience

BSU At The Games Graphics Reporter | Summer 2012

- Traveled to London with a group of student journalists to cover Olympic Games
- Created data analysis infographics on deadline for the Chicago Tribune and Tribune companies

72 HRS

Interactivity Designer | Aug. 2012 - present

- Create and conceptualize digital publications for tablets and smart phones
- Responsible for design, reporting, creation and production of launching product

Cardinal Communications Creative Coordinator | Aug. 2011 - present

 Produce logos, websites and promotional material for student-run creative communications agency for more than eight different clients

Ball State Daily News Chief Designer | May 2011 - present

- · Design A1 weekly on a strict deadline
- Responsible for layout, graphics and completion of A1
 Graphics Producer | Aug. 2012 present
- Create infographics/illustrations for print and online

Ball Bearings Magazine Print Designer | Aug. 2012 - present

• Layout feature spreads and create illustrations for quarterly issues

BSU Journalism Workshops Graphic Designer | Aug. 2011 - present

• Design flyers, informational brochures, Blend magazine and other promotional material for high school journalism workshops and national journalism conventions

Fisher Institute of Wellness and Gerontology Graphic Designer | Aug. 2012 - present

 Work with staff and students to conceptualize and produce material for projects and community events

Planting Healthy Seeds Graphic Designer | Aug. 2011 - Jan. 2012

 Semester-long project designing materials for a curriculum to prevent childhood obesity in Fort Wayne, In., area