

# **KEL RININGER**

GRAPHIC DESIGN & ILLUSTRATION

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## SOFTWARE















## **EDUCATION**

### The University of Akron | 2018-2022

Bachelors of Fine Arts in Graphic Design | Minor in Illustration

## **EXPERIENCE**

**Graphic Designer** | National Inventors Hall of Fame | March 2024–Present Art directed and designed various print and digital deliverables for in-house projects and the K-12 Camp Invention programs. Worked in a collaborative environment with education specialists.

Freelance Designer | December 2022-Present

Communicated with clients to achieve their design goals on tight deadlines. Primarily focused in print and digital advertising for theatrical productions.

Etsy Illustrator | August 2022-Present

Designed and illustrated pin-back buttons and keychains to sell on Etsy.

CSR | Bellstores | June 2023-March 2024

Provided fast, friendly, and helpful service to customers while balancing other duties such as stocking coolers and other store upkeep.

Team Trainer | Arbys | October 2018 - December 2022

Cashier, prepared and served food, trained new employees, handled customer complaints, applied skills such as: time management, leadership, and commuting with others effectively.

## SKILLS

Digital Art Character Design
Page Layout Collaboration
Typing 73 WPM Adaptability

Typography Curiosity & Open Mindedness

Time Management Brainstorming

# AWARDS AND ACCOMPLISHMENTS

#### AAF AKRON VOLUNTEER OF THE YEAR AWARD | 2025

Awarded for volunteering and designing the 80th American Advertising Awards theme and branding.

**DEANS LIST** | SPRING 2020 & SPRING 2022

University of Akron