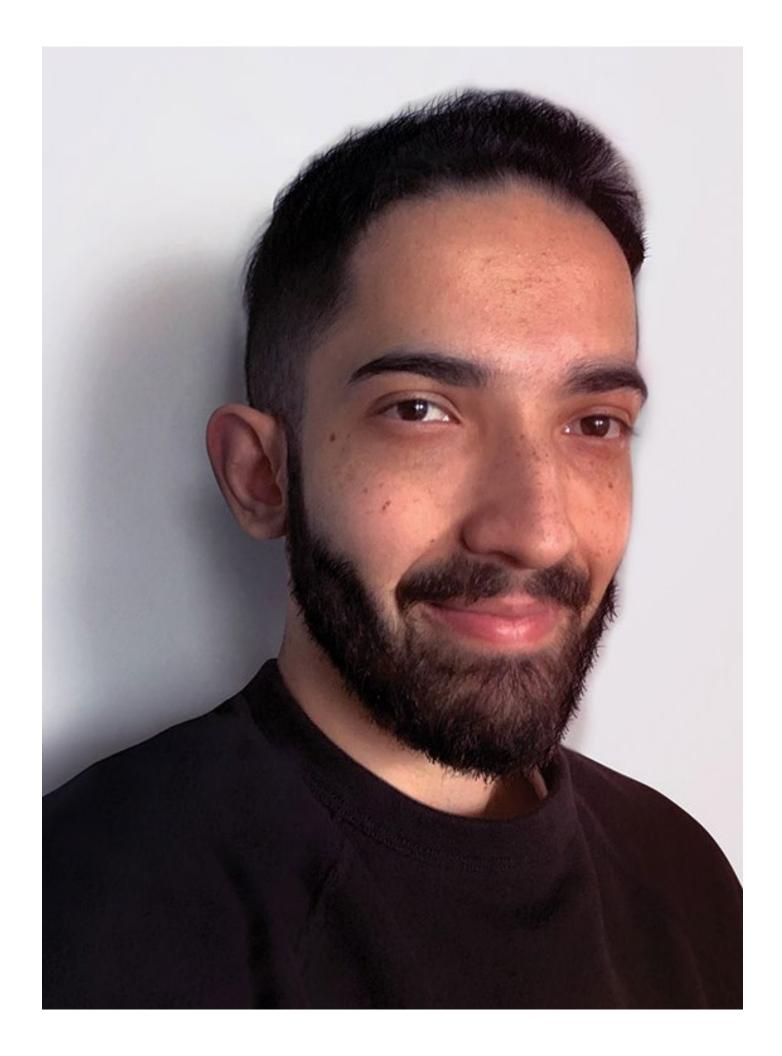
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ABOUT ME

I've been in the design industry for over 5 years focusing mainly on e-commerce and digital sites, as well as branding. One of the reasons why I was drawn to design, specifically in digital, was because I love the process of creating something that's just an obscured image in my head and turning it into something others can interact with and experience. Another big part of why I love design is helping others achieve their goals whether it's for a small business or doing wedding cards for friends. Just the ability to create something out of nothing is something I'm blessed to be able to do everyday.

Being in the design industry for over 5 years, I've learned a lot about what to expect when designing interfaces that users will interact with. It's not just about making it look pretty, it's all about functionality and making the design seem simple and seamless. When a design is easy to use, and it looks good, that's when you found the right design, and that's where I come in. Not only do I take the time to map out the customer's journey before designing, but I also make sure that elements interact with each other seamlessly, while having the ability to make a call on whether having a feature would be beneficial to the user.

During my time at PinkCherry and LACE, I was in charge of their front end development and design. Spearheading new features and user experiences, I was tasked to design and develop functionality with a mobile-first design ethos in mind on the Shopify platform. I was tasked to make sure that the site was fully responsive on all platforms without sacrificing the user's experience so that the customers would get the same shopping experience no matter the platform they choose. Working closely with the CEO and the Director of Sales and Marketing, I was able to implement key features that led to tremendous growth and helped update their brand's online presence and make their shopping experience an industry leader.

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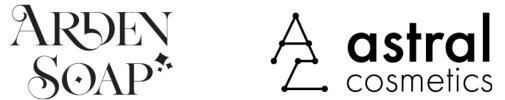






































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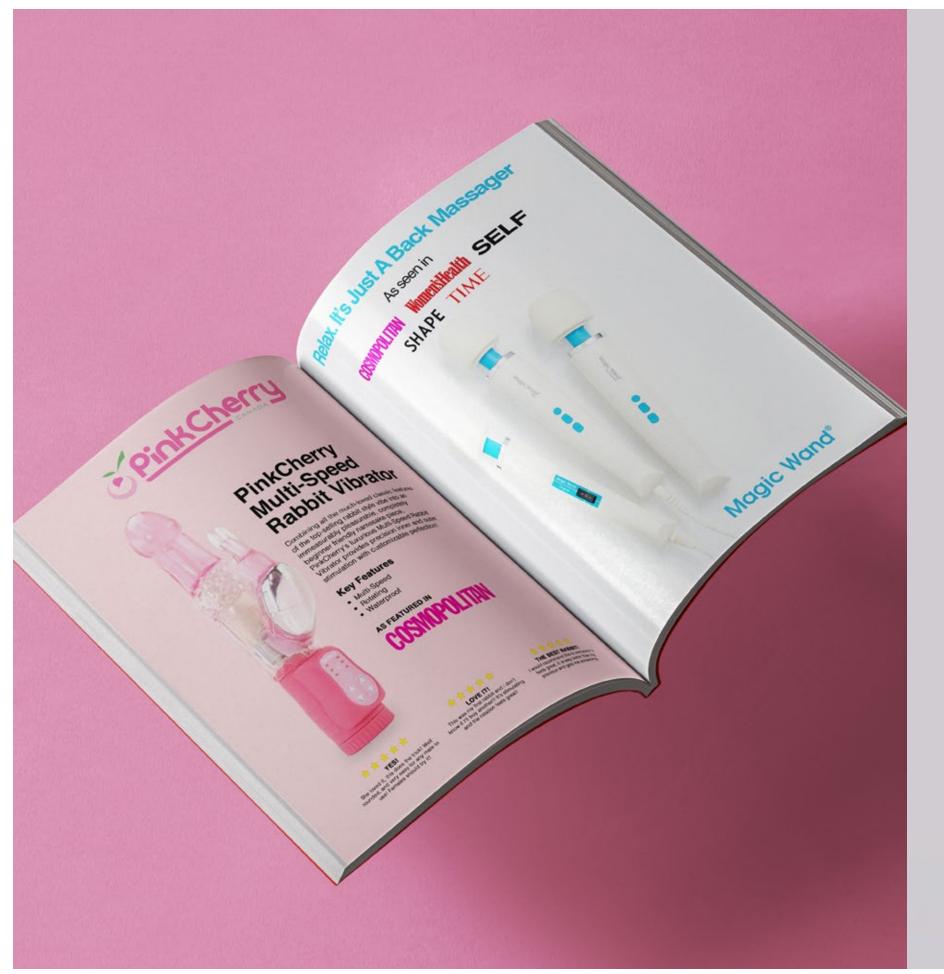
















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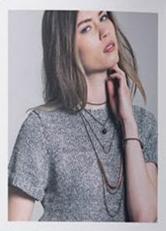


OUR STORY

The Noteworthys is a place where you will find a carefully curated collection of unique, high-quality, often hand-made items by emerging Canadian designers.

The passion and talent that we see from Canadian designers and their commitment to building unique brands excites us! We see that Canadian talent doesn't get the level of recognition it deserves. We see value in locally made goods and seek to educate others on it. We take you behind the scenes to learn about the inspiration and workmanship that goes into what you wear.

To us, being Noteworthy means following your passion in creating a life you love living. It means taking a leap to of faith to follow your dreams. What does Noteworthy mean to you?



OUR PRODUCTS













OUR DESIGNERS

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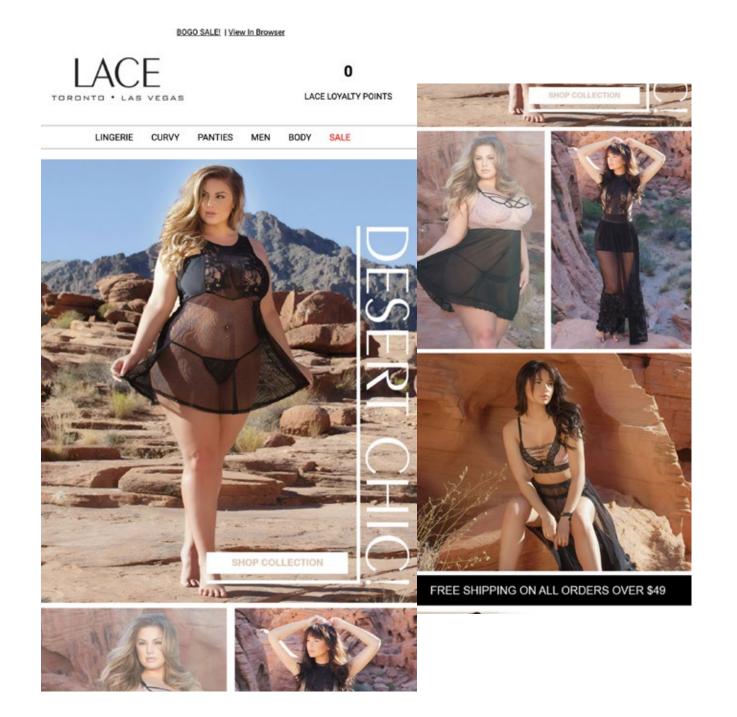
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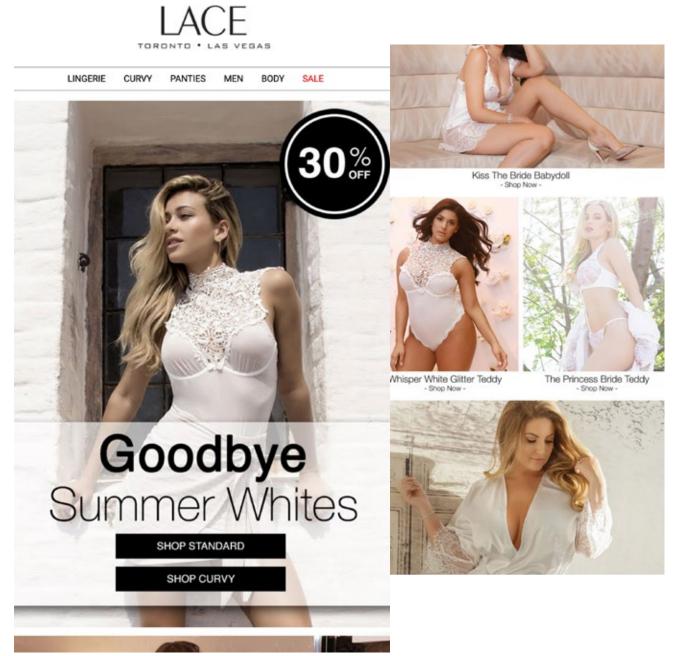


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LINGERIE CURVY PANTIES MEN BODY SALE



Josilyn Silver Pink

Bralette

a slight stretch, you could wear this

Outerwear Chic!

- Shop The Possibilities -



Lucette Edgy Desert Storm Teddy

A boldly gorgeous teddy in sand storm patterned stretch lace, this irresistible one-piece features a plunging neckline, a split back with delicate edging and silky satin banding.



eep-V Dual Slit Black Jersey Maxi Dress

Create drama and romance without ring a word! This (very) revealing jersey xi dress is soft and comfy with a deep slunging-v. Two high slits at the front leave the back flowing behind!



Suzette Mesa Rose Lace Teddy

Preferring to be shown off, this textured lace teddy would also be a perfect piece to layer with. A slight amount of support is in the removable pads and a slightly stretchy underband



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Help us celebrate National Candy Month by checking out our sweet deals. Save 25% on the entire line from

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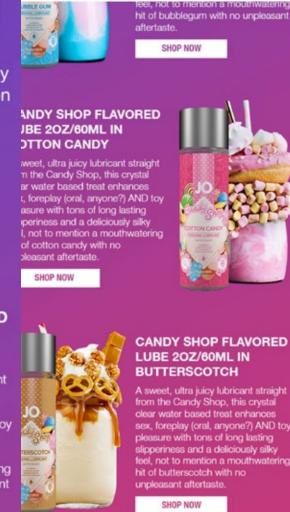
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CANDY SHOP FLAVORED LUBE 20Z/60ML IN BUBBLEGUM

A sweet, ultra juicy lubricant straight from the Candy Shop, this crystal clear water based treat enhances sex, foreplay (oral, anyone?) AND toy pleasure with tons of long lasting slipperiness and a deliciously silky feel, not to mention a mouthwatering hit of bubblegum with no unpleasant aftertaste.

SHOP NOW



20% OFF Select Brands! | View Online





25% OFF Select Brands! | View Online



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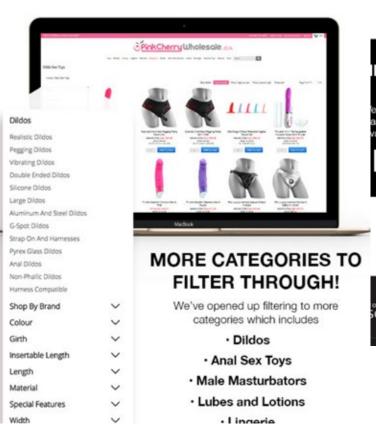
We've narrowed the search! We are always working on our site and adding tools to help our customers locate products more easily and precisely.

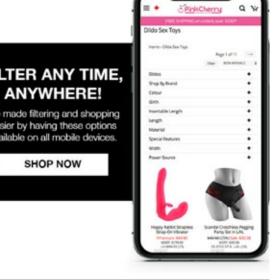
FILIER IMMOUGH!

We've opened up filtering to more categories which includes

- Dildos
- · Anal Sex Toys
- Male Masturbators
- · Lubes and Lotions
 - · Lingerie
- Menswear

FILTER NOW







25% OFF Select Brands! | View Online





Le Wand embraces and champions intimacy for all, with powerful and versatile pleasure tools that insist on bringing users to the next level. A go-to for orgasms, again and again!



Nice and firm, the gorgeous Le Wand Petite feels sexily able in your hand, letting you focus entirely on targeting weet spots, be they yours or a playmate's!



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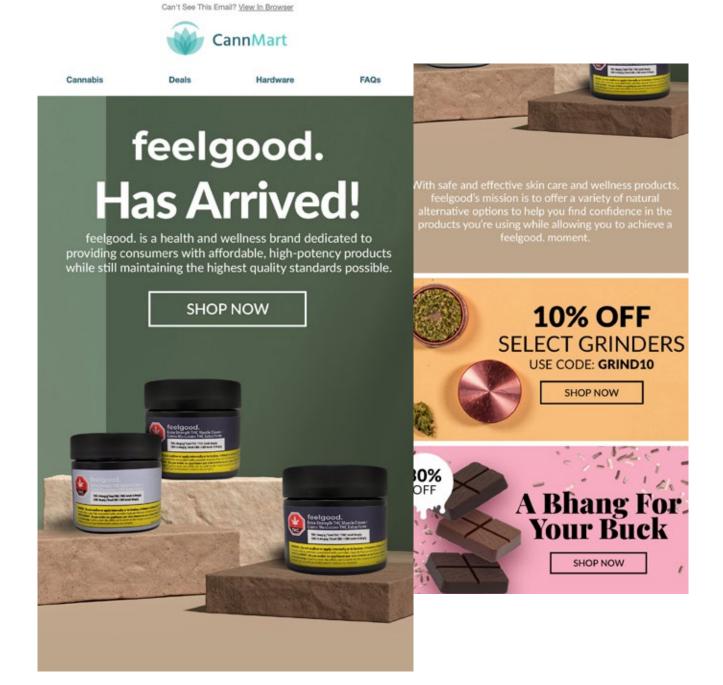


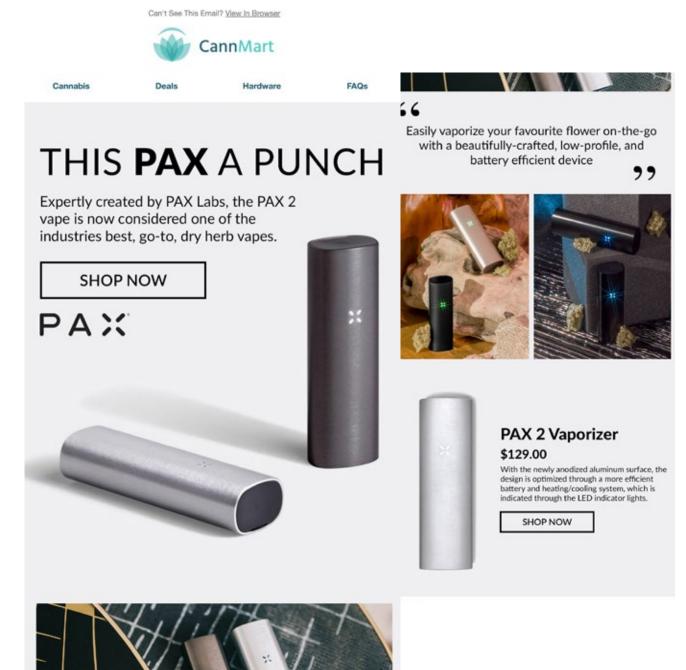
PLEASURE AND VERSATILITY

Of course, Le Wand wouldn't be Le Wand without tons of power, and the Petite is no exception! There are ten programmed vibration modes to choose from, ranging from slow and steady to intense pulsation.

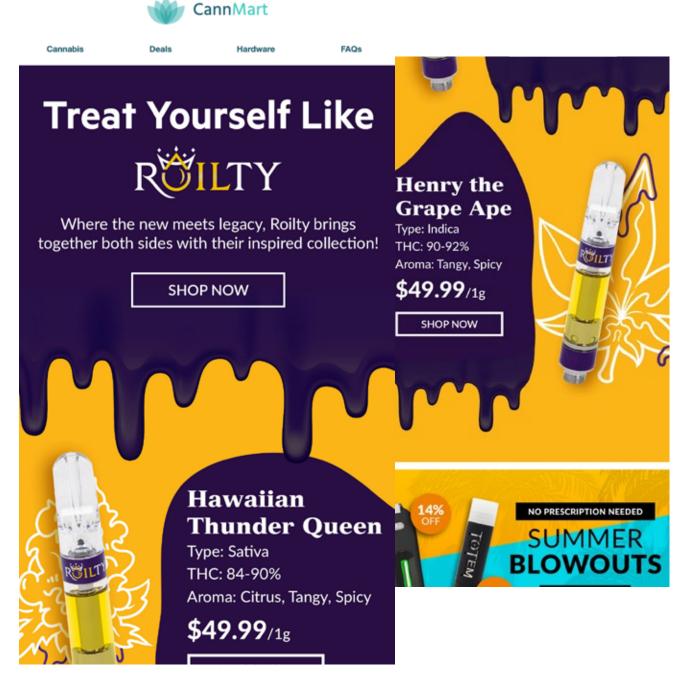
"Le Wand are the Best Sex Toys Ever Invented"

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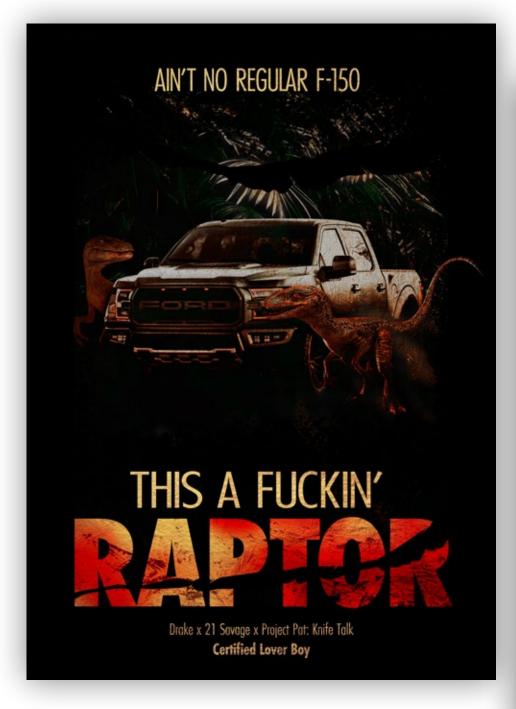


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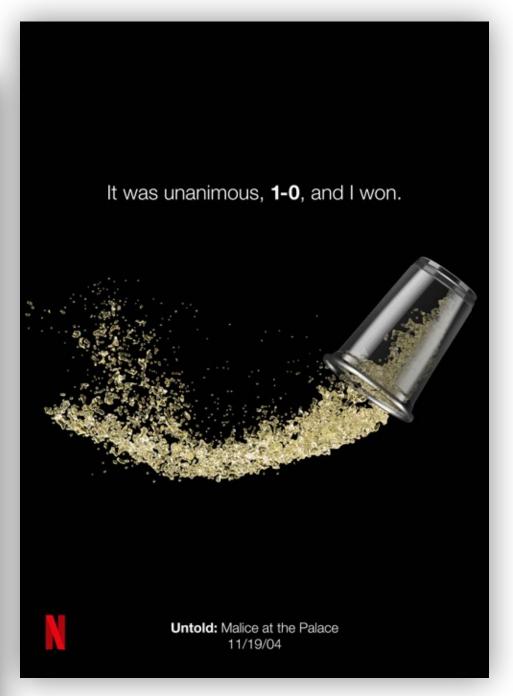
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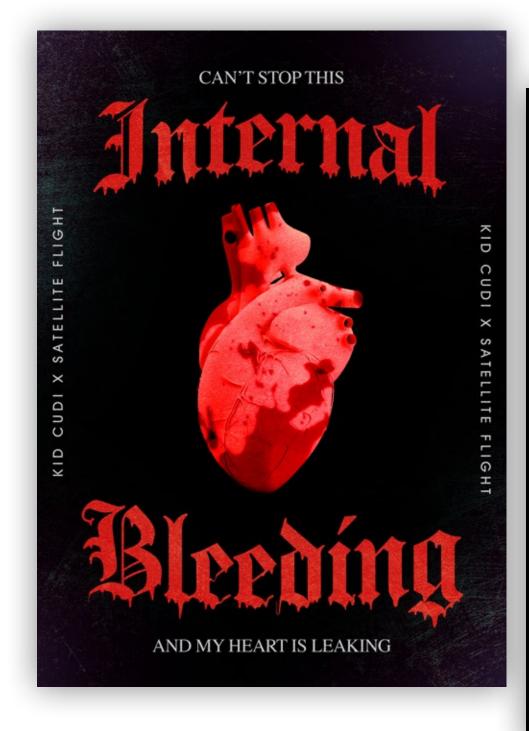
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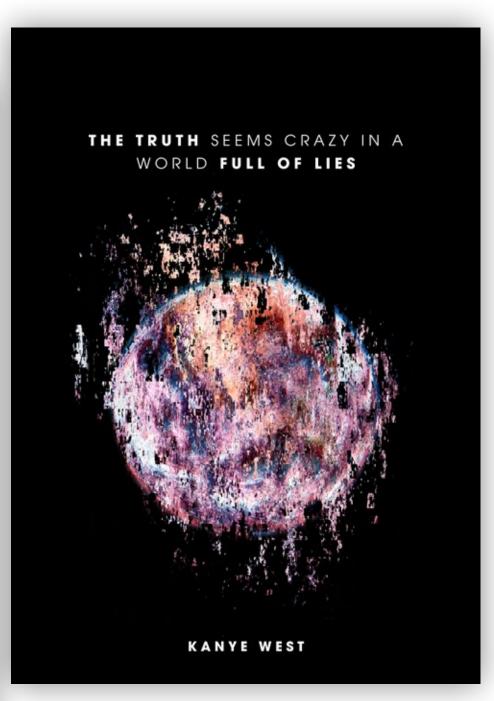




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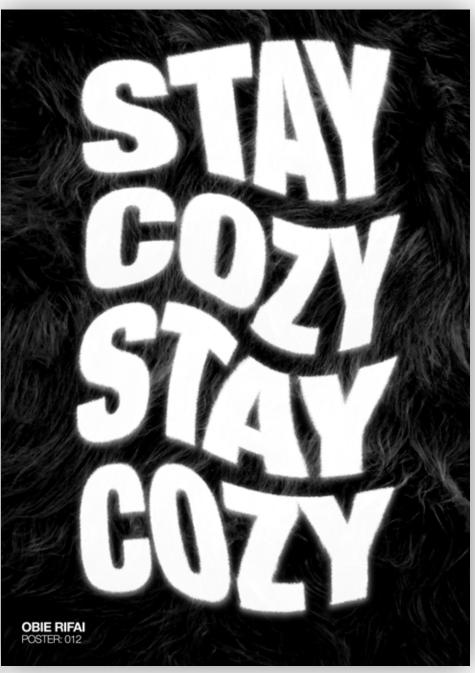


POSTER DESIGNS

I'm just not there in the streets Life's just not fair







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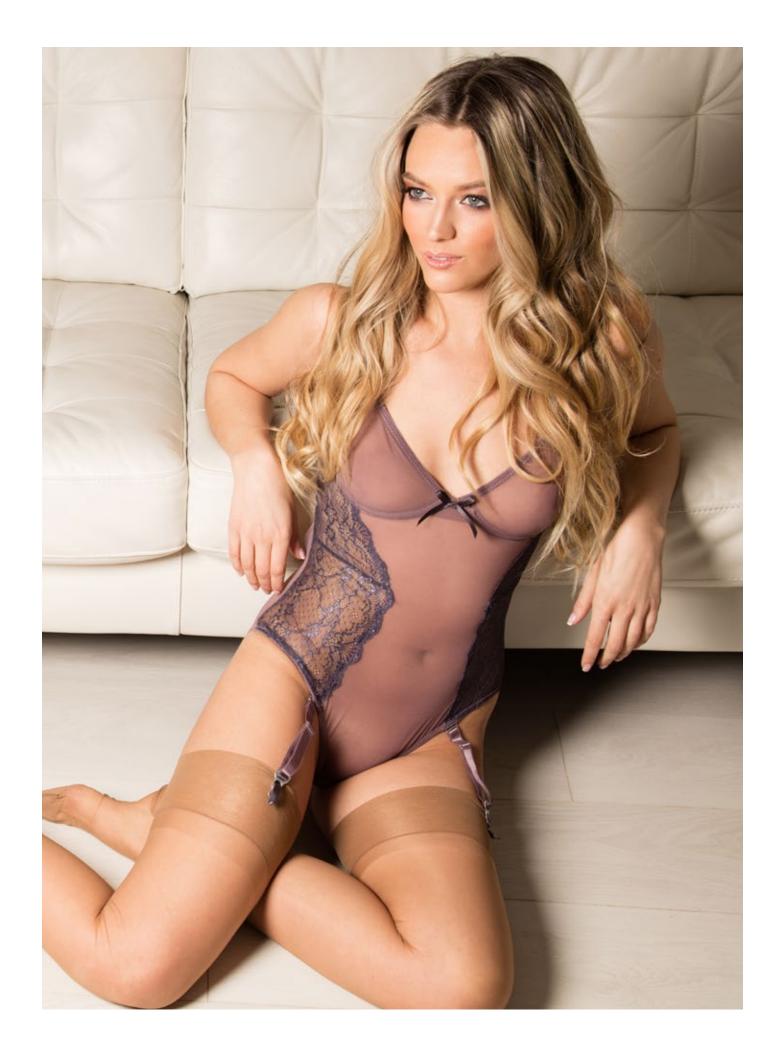
CASE STUDIES

Here are the latest case studies for projects that I have completed for various brands. The different types of work varies from UI design, UX design, web design, web development, graphic design, as well as creating brand identities.

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ABOUT THE BRAND

LACE Canada - Canada's leading online retailer of sexy lingerie in all sizes. The goal for the brand is to rethink how people see and buy lingerie, as well as change the narrative to make lingerie be a more non-risque part of society. Along with this, LACE's message to spread a body-positive message by having a plus-sized section to include people of all sizes and not feel alienated when shopping for something as intimate as lingerie.

WHAT WAS DONE

- Establish a brand and style for LACE
- Launch of website
- Launch of email marketing
- · Create a direct to mail booklet
- Create a yearly catalog of new products and collections to go out with orders
- · Create Business cards, postcards to go into orders

OUTCOME

Overall, the outcome of this project was a success. We successfully launched LACE in November 2015 and established its own look and feel in a crowded industry. By having a curvy site within the main one, we made it a safe and bodypositive place for plus sized customers to purchase lingerie while giving them options to see products that are more relatable to them.

Role: Art Direction, Design, Front-End Development, Shopify Development, Social Media Marketing, Email Marketing, Graphic Design, Web Design, UX Design

Link To Project



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WEBSITE

I started looking at the mobile version of the site. I analyzed the most important aspects of the page - the header, navigation, and footer. The goal was to create a simple yet intuitive way to use these elements without going against the customer's default behaviour. Having the side nav on the left, logo in the middle with the search cart and search on the right gives a balance and a familiar placement one would see on a desktop site.

For our main navigation, we wanted to seperate standard lingerie and curvy lingerie. The main objective was to have a place where regardless of your size, you can feel comfortable shopping and have products that you could relate to. By having a curvy section, plus sized customers are able to not only see the selection that would be available in their size easier, but they would also be shown using plus sized models so they would be able to see the products on a body type similar to their own, making it more inclusive.

For the overall site design, I wanted to have a major emphasis on imagery since lingerie, and shopping for clothing in general, is a very visual activity. Having strong banner images as well as showing a variety of models helped with the overall design of the site, as well as helping the brand establish their own identity in the crowded market. I wanted the direction to have more of a higher class fashion site as opposed to a bargain bin look so that it would help customers trust the brand more as well as help see the product in more of a premium light, but at affordable prices.

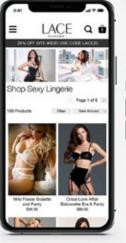
DEVELOPMENT

In Mid 2018, we switched our ecommerce platform from Magento to Shopify. I was responsible for re-coding the site to fit Shopify's platform using HTML, CSS, JS and Shopify's scripting language Liquid. By doing this we needed a lot of additional information for our products like specifications, whether it was discontinued or not, if there were videos associated with the product, complete this look for products that weren't sold in sets, and more. By using all the tools that we had at our disposal with minimal use of 3rd party apps, we successfully launched on Shopify with little problems and made it a seamless transition for our customers.









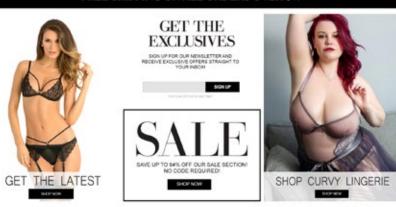
















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LACE

Freya The Love Story Bra & Panty

Pink Lady Bra. Garter

White Me Up! Teddy







Dressed to the Nines

Million Dollar Romper

Angel Of Love Lace



Sort By: New Arrivals V Page 1 of 8 >

Shop Sexy Lingerie

180 Products

Categories

Babydolls and Chemises

Bra and Panty Sets

Panties

Teddies

Stockings Accessories

Corsets and Bustiers

Role Play Lingerie Dresses

Bodystockings

Sleepwear

Bridal Accessories

Resort and Swimwea

Sale Men's

Special Sizing

Curvy Lingerie

Shop By Brand

- Allure Baci
- CalExotics
- Coquette
- Elegant Moments
- Eye Candy Fantasy Lingerie
- Hauty
- Hollywood Curves

Shop By Size

- M
- XL 1X
- 2X
- 3X
- 4X





Big Time Blush Tie Top & Flutter Panty \$44.95

Silver Peony Enchanting

Embroidered Teddy



Chice Love Affair Balconette Bra & Panty

Make Mint Happen Babydoll & Panty









Dressed to the Nines Purple Lace Mini



Rainbow Romance Peeping Top & Panty

Cold Shoulder the Top

Emerald Twilight Teddy

Hot Off the Dress

Set the Mood Black











LINGERIE PANTIES STOCKINGS DRESSES COSTUMES ACCESSORIES SHAPEWEAR ACTIVIEWEAR MEN CIFT CARDS SALE! Q.



Million Dollar Romper Baby

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\$49.95 CAD

Compare At: \$59.99 You Save: \$10.04 (17%)







Add To Bag

Earn 500 In LACE Loyalty Points Add To Wishlist

Size Chart

Q, Click To Enlarge Image

Product Description

Classically cool and ever so effortless, this white romper will make your other lounge wear swoon! The porcelain geometric lace top and cheeky microfiber bottom is fun and flirty for sure, but also comfy cozy for those lazy days. Ready and willing to be layered too! With some clever styling, this romper would fit right in with casual streetwear! Fits sizes 10-14. Hand wash separately in cold water. Do not bleach. Flat dry. 95% Nylon, 5% Spandex.

SKU: FAN3-025500 | UPC: 819969025500 | MPN: FL1904-WHT-S (8)

Features

Size: S Bust: 32" - 34"

Hip: 34" - 36"

Color: White

Special Features: Bridal, Lace

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CUSTOMER SERVICE

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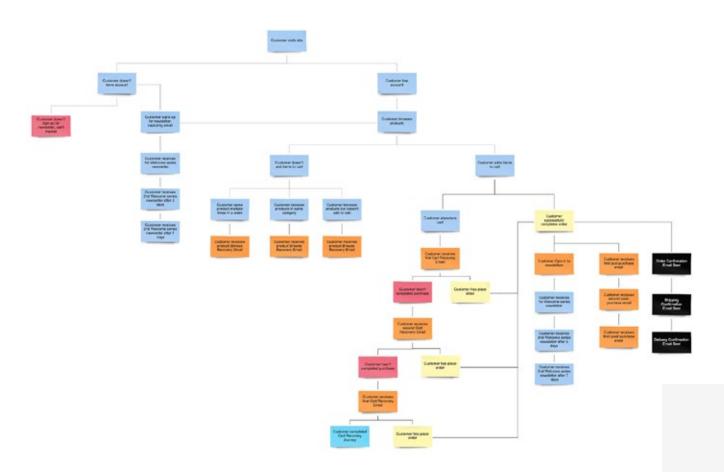




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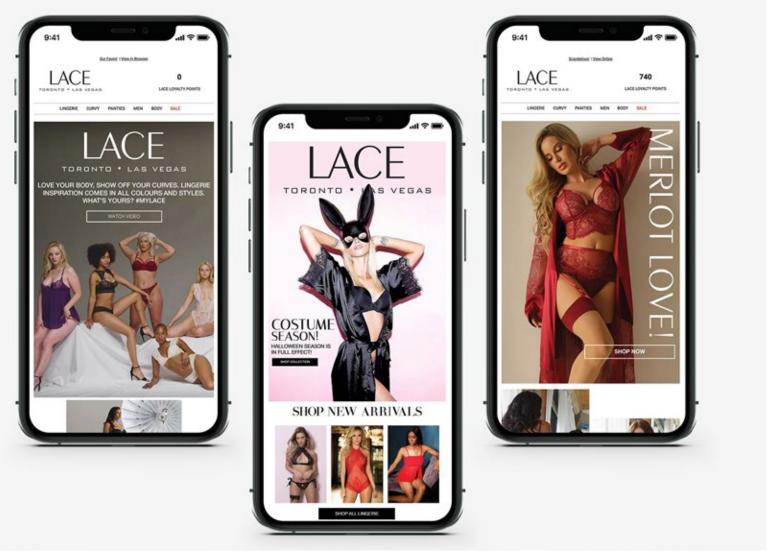
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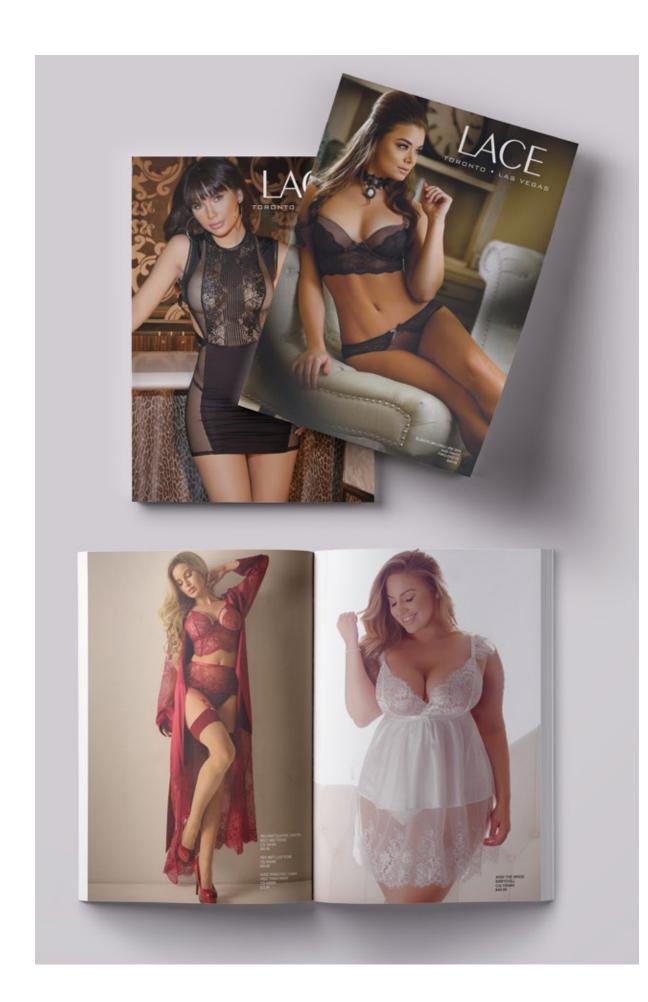


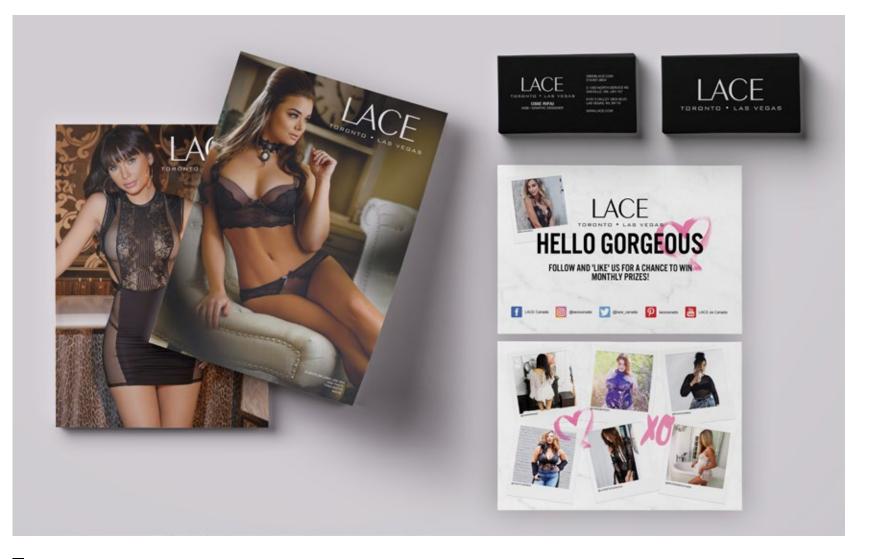
Our main objective for our email marketing campaigns was to promote new collections while keeping our customers informed about current and future fashion trends. It was also important that our newsletters have the same branding and messaging as our site, by including body positive imagery, while incorporating styles and sales. Emails like these went out 4 days a week to keep our customers informed of new styles, as well as sales that we are currently offering.

EMAIL AUTOMATION

We also had to develop a workflow that would onboard new customers to our email marketing campaign as well as set up automated campaigns for Browse Recovery, Cart Recovery as well as Post Purchase series. I was tasked to create a workflow to manage the customer journey as well as implement the campaigns in Bronto, which was our email service.







MARKETING

For our LACE Catalogues, the objective was to create a fashion magazine style catalogue to showcase new and existing collections to either go direct to mail or in orders that were placed on the website. We wanted the catalogues to more resemble fashion magazines with more of an emphasis on editorial images while incorporating the sales aspects of a normal sales catalogue. We also wanted to have theme pages such as great gift ideas, bridal sections, and influencer pages to give our customers other ways of looking at our products from an non-intimate way.

EVERYDAY BASICS

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ABOUT THE BRAND

Everyday Basics is a clothing brand focused on providing men with the essential clothing for their wardrobe. Providing high end shirts, sweatshirts, hoodies and pants, Everyday Basics aims to be the go to brand for the 9-5 office male with professional, yet comfortable long lasting pieces.

WHAT WAS DONE

- Create a new brand identity for Everyday Basics
- Create a new logo
- Design a hang tag for their clothing line
- Design a web experience for the brand including desktop and mobile

OUTCOME

Overall, the outcome of this project was a success. I feel that with the competitor analysis and the overall brand position that was taken by Everyday Basics will successfully help them break into a crowded market and establish themselves as a go to for men looking for clothing basics of high quality and great prices. Their web experience has been optimized to be mobile first so that their site will be usable on all platforms scaling up and down when needed while providing the same experience for added consistency

Role: Art Direction, Graphic Design, Branding, Logo Design, Web Design, UX Design

Link To Project

EVERYDAY BASICS

EVERYDAY BASICS

TAKE 10% OFF YOUR NEXT ORDER USE CODE: EB10









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Kith

Overview

- Price range \$90 \$1000
- · Ships worldwide
- · Locations in the US

Brand Positioning

- · High-end focused streetwear
- · Carries other brands but focuses on Private label collections and collabs
- · Offers a wide range of clothing options as well as footwear and other accessories
- · A major player in the space with brand recognition and collabs with top brands like Nike, BMW, Asics
- · Has a women's and kids section
- · Has brick and mortar locations as well as an online store Private label is DTC

Selection Overview

- · Offers hoodies, sweaters, pants, jackets private label
- · Offers an everyday collection the palette is muted and limited branding

Reigning Champ

Overview

- Price range \$50 \$650
- · Ships worldwide
- · Locations in Canada

Brand Positioning

- · Offers everyday basics at a premium price gearing a bit towards athletic leisure
- Only carries their own in house brand
- · Offers a wide range of clothing options
- Boutique shop
- Has a women's section
- · Has brick and mortar locations as well as an online store

Selection Overview

- · Offers hoodies, sweaters, pants
- Offers all clothing staples the palette is muted / greyscale and limited branding

Everlane

Overview

- Price range \$70 \$150
- Ships worldwide

Brand Positioning

- · Offers everyday basics at a good price
- · Only carries their own in house brand
- · Offers a wide range of clothing options
- · Boutique shop
- Has a women's section
- · Has a variety of different collections for the type of clothing you're looking for

Selection Overview

- · Offers hoodies, sweaters, pants etc.
- Offers all clothing staples the palette is muted / greyscale and limited to no branding

Livestock

Overview

- Price range \$50 \$1000
- · Ships worldwide
- Locations in Canada

Brand Positioning

- · High-end streetwear as well as high fashion brands
- · Mainly focused on other brands and has a limited private label collection
- · Focus mainly on apparel and footwear
- · Known as a boutique brand in the market, not as well known in the broader market
- · Focused mainly towards men
- · Has brick and mortar locations as well as an online store

Selection Overview

- Offers hoodies, sweaters, pants, jackets
- · Offers limited release shoes from Jordan, Nike, and Adidas

Bait

Overview

- Price range \$90 \$4000
- · Ships worldwide
- · Locations in the US and Japan

Brand Positioning

- · High-end focused skatewear and collectibles
- · Carries other brands and limited collabs
- · Offers a wide range of clothing options as well as footwear and other accessories
- · A major player in the space with brand recognition and collabs
- · Has a women's and kids section
- · Has brick and mortar locations as well as an online store

Selection Overview

- · Offers hoodies, sweaters, pants, jackets no private label basics
- · Main focus on collabs and limited edition collectibles

Hudson's Bay

Overview

- Price range \$50 \$250
- Ships worldwide
- · Locations mainly in Canada

Brand Positioning

- Offers everyday basics at a premium price gearing a bit towards athletic leisure
- · Only carries their own in house brand, as well as other brands
- · Offers a wide range of products outside of the industry
- · Appeals to a wide market range
- · Has brick and mortar locations as well as an online store

Selection Overview

- · Offers hoodies, sweaters, pants, dresses, electronics, shoes, appliances etc.
- · Offers all clothing you would find at a department store

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COMPETITION ANALYSIS

I started the exploration process with a competition analysis of the current clothing market geared towards men. I wanted the brand to have a higher end look but not geared towards the athletic leisure market where I feel is overly saturated and locked in by the top competitors like Nike and Adidas. I also looked into brands that are a bit more affordable in pricing so that it's more accessible to a broader market but also wanted to have a clear emphasis on materials and longevity. The brands that I decided to focus on were Kith, Livestock, Reigning Champ, Bait, Everlane, and Hudson's Bay. I chose these brands because they have a focus on the higher end clothing market for men but also focus on the quality of clothing as well as the streetwear and modern appeal to apparel and less on the athletic leisure appeal.

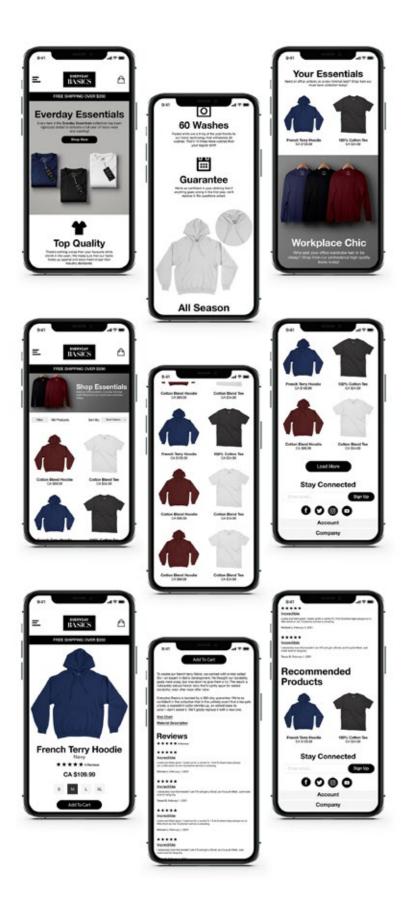
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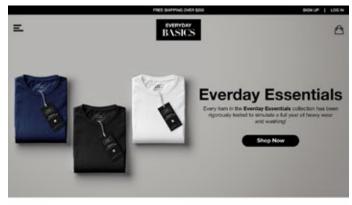
For the logo, I wanted to keep it clean and minimal to match the brand's philosophy. I opted to go with a wordmark for the logo and not use an image or icon. I chose to split the wordmark into two lines and use a sans-serif and a serif font to add a bit more appeal to the logo. For "Everyday" I chose to use Helvetica Bold as it stood out more and I wanted that to be an anchor to the logo. For "Basics" I chose to use Didot as it matched nicely with "Everyday" and gave it the more upscale look that I was looking to achieve. An alternative for the logo was the wordmark placed in a box as I felt that it gave the logo more flexibility when being used across different mediums. For the colour scheme, I kept it in a classic black and white as it gave the minimal, clean look that the brand was looking for.



WEBSITE

Here are the final deliverables for the website. I kept the colour palette muted as that was more inline with the brand and kept the product images and banner as clean as possible. I went with the minimal look as that gave off the feeling of a higher end brand and since the clothing itself had a minimal appeal, it matched with the overall brand image.











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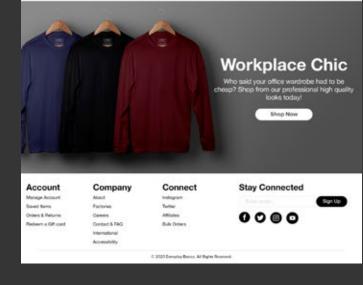


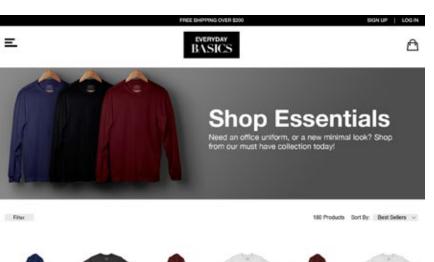




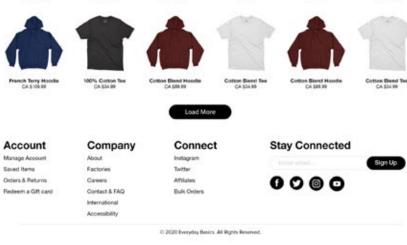












EVERYDAY BASICS = ₽



French Terry Hoodie

* * * * * 4 Reviews

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Everyday Basics is backed by a 365-day guarantee, We're so confident in the collection that in the unlikely event that a see gets a hole, a sewathint coll whinks up, an orderd loses its color—don't sweat it. We'll gladly replace it with a new one.

Reviews

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Incredible

Looks and feels great. I sized up for a comfy fit, I find Everlane tops always run a little short on me. Customer service is amazing.

Michael c, February 1, 2021

Incredible

I absolutely love this hoodie! I am 5'9 and got a Small, so it's quite fitted. Just make sure to

Trevor B, February 1, 2021

Incredible

Looks and feels great. I sized up for a comfy fit, I find Everlane tops always run a little short on me. Customer service is amazing.

Michael c, February 1, 2021

Incredible

I absolutely love this hoodief I am 5'9 and got a Small, so it's quite fitted. Just make sure to hang dry.

Trevor B, February 1, 2021

Recommended Products



French Terry Hoodie CA \$109.99



100% Cotton Tee CA \$34.99





Cotton Blend Tee CA \$34.99

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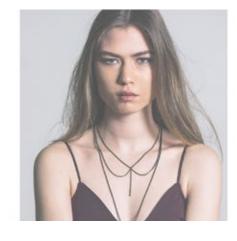












The Noteworthys is a place where you will find a carefully curated collection of unique, high-quality, often hand-made items by emerging Canadian designers.

Their mission statement: The passion and talent that we see from Canadian designers and their commitment to building unique brands excites us! Canadian talent doesn't get the level of recognition it deserves and our purpose is to get Canadian talent recognized. We see value in locally made goods and seek to educate others on it. We take you behind the scenes to learn about the inspiration and workmanship that goes into what you wear.

WHAT WAS DONE

- Create a media kit to give out to potential designers
- Create a business card to go out with orders

OUTCOME

Overall, the outcome of this project was a success. The media kit was created and was inline with the client's branding and vision of their site. It also gave a glimpse of potential designers a look into what kind of company The Noteworthys are and if their views align with one another. As far as the business cards go, they were a good addition to the people's orders as they incentivized for repeat business while further promoting The Noteworthys brand and messaging.

Role: Art Direction, Graphic Design









DESIGN

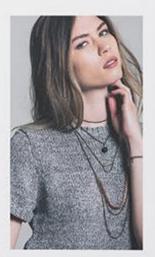
One of the main points that were emphasised in the client brief was the use of images. The Noteworthys wanted the images to be the focal point of the design of the media kit. For the cover page, the goal was to make it as visually appealing but minimal as possible. I chose 3 of their strongest images and used those as a drawing point for the cover. I placed their logo at the top half of the page and the product images at the bottom to give a symmetrical look and occupy the space evenly.

For the second page, the client wanted an about us section, the types of products that they sell, as well as a list of designers they currently carry. It was important for the client to let potential designers know about them as well as their focus, goals, and visions for the company to help others know if their brands will align with one another. I included another product image to keep the balance to the text as well as have that section visually appealing as they are trying to convince potential brands to sell their products to them. For the second section, The Noteworthys wanted to display the types of products they sell. I wanted to use images as well as text for this because having just a standard list wasn't visually appealing and by including images, it also helps push their brand aesthetic towards potential designers. The last part of the page was a standard list of designers that The Noteworthys currently carry. Originally, I had put pictures of the designers that they currently carry instead of just an ordinary list to keep it consistent with the products as well as make it more visually appealing, but the clients just wanted a standard list as it wasn't as important as the other elements on the page.

For the last page, the client wanted it to be really straightforward. All that was required was a simple message letting potential designers know that they are excited to work with them, contact info for the person in charge, and the website social media accounts as well as a link to the site.

For the business cards that were meant to go into every order, they wanted it to be minimal yet consistent with their site and branding. The main focus for these cards was to push their brand message of being unique as well as offer an incentive to come back to the site. On one side, it was decided to include a message asking customers to sign up to their newsletters and get 10% off. On the other side was their message of being noteworthy. I prioritized the text and the brand colours without getting too complex and straying away from the message.

The Noteworthys







OUR STORY

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The passion and talent that we see from Canadian designers and their commitment to building unique brands excites us! We see that Canadian talent doesn't get the level of recognition it deserves. We see value in locally made goods and seek to educate others on it. We take you behind the scenes to learn about the inspiration and workmanship that goes into what you wear.

To us, being Noteworthy means following your passion in creating a life you love living. It means taking a leap to of faith to follow your dreams. What does Noteworthy mean to you?



OUR PRODUCTS







CCESSORIES



BOTTOM



BAGS

OUR DESIGNERS

Heather Hird Design
Jewelust
Grandview beach designs
Tala Kamea
Designs by nature gems
Marmalade designs
Jennifer fukushima
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LET THIS ITEM BE A REMINDER THAT YOU ARE NOTEWORTHY

/'nōt,wərT_Hē/ | (adj.)
Interesting, Significant, Unique.

ASTRAL COSMETICS

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Astral Cosmetics is a premium cosmetics brand focused on delivering the highest quality of products to their consumers. Ranging from shampoos to rejuvenation creams, Astral Cosmetics puts a focus on ethically sourced ingredients that are cruelty free and vegan friendly. The main focus of the brand is to give their consumers the best option when it comes to choosing cosmetics while being aware of their carbon footprint and effect that they have on this planet.

WHAT WAS DONE

- Create a logo and brand identity for Astral Cosmetics
- Create various packaging designs for their different collections
- Create a landing page to showcase their brand and products

OUTCOME

Overall, I believe this project was a success. By creating a new logo for Astral Cosmetics by keeping true to their brand beliefs and vision, it helps position them as a higher end brand in a crowded market. By having a logo mark and a word mark, it makes their logo more versatile, which helps with their packaging design as well. By creating new packaging design, this helps Astral Cosmetics by having a unique look to their package across multiple collections, and gives them the high-end premium look that they wanted. By creating unique packaging and designs, this will help Astral Cosmetics stand out on the shelves and puts them in a greate position to be purchased by prospective consumers. For the landing page, by having a big emphasis on strong imagery and a clean, modern, minimal approach to the design, it positions Astral Cosmetics as a more luxury brand while maintaining their brand story and pushing their collections.

Role: Art Direction, Design, Graphic Design, Web Design, Brand Strategy, Brand Design



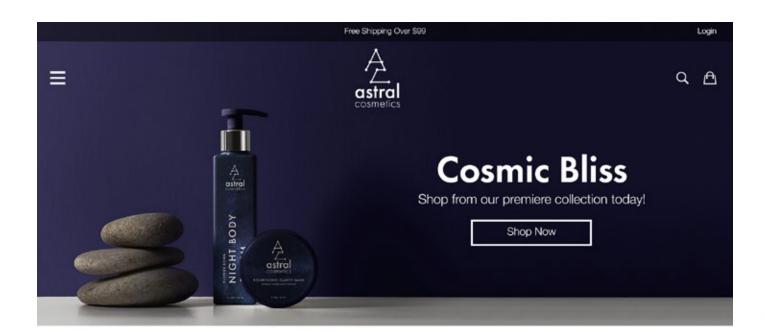


PACKAGING

For the packaging, I wanted to keep this as minimal and clean as possible. Since Astral Cosmetics wanted to position themselves as a premium brand, I figured that having a clean look to the package was the right direction. For their premiere collection, I wanted that collection to have the cosmic theme seen throughout the brand. I chose to use the darker purple colour with a subtle space background to give it a more interesting design then going for a straight black or white as most brands tend to go with. I felt that it would set it apart on the shelves and people will tend to gravitate towards it as it is different. For the title of the product I went with the same sans-serif font used in the logo to give the design consistency, but rotated the title 90 degrees to give it a different, more interesting look. I felt that by doing this, it made the packaging look cleaner and differentiates itself from the competition. For Astral Cosmetic's other collections, I kept the title and logo positioning consistent but swapped the backgrounds. I wanted the backgrounds to be clean and elegant, and depending on the type of collection, if it was for an evening type product, I wanted to use a brighter background.

OUTCOME

For the landing page, I wanted to keep this minimal and really showcase the strong editorials of the products Astral Cosmetics sells. I wanted to have the hero banner be a main focus as that's the first thing a user will see on the site. I decided not to separate the header and the hero banner and made them one element as I felt it was stronger and more cohesive. By not splitting the header and hero banner, it allows for the main image to have more focus and that was a big focus for Astral Cosmetics. For the second banner, I wanted to highlight the different collections that Astral Cosmetics has. I did this by showing a strong editorial of their products from various collections in one product shot, while having a call to action on the left side. I used a blob shape as opposed to a square or circle as I felt it gave it more of a fluid and free look and felt it was consistent with their brand. For the third section I wanted to have a brief description and mission statement for Astral Cosmetics. I felt this was important to include because it allows the consumers to get to know the company more and let the consumers relate with Astral Cosmetics.



Designed For Every Body

Astral Cosmetics is proud to offer a wide selection of products for every skin type!

Shop Now



Why Astral Cosmetics

Made with naturally sourced, vegan friendly, cruelty free ingredients and resources, we prides itself on delivering our customers the highest quality cosmetics available to the market today.

Pamper Yourself

With Astral Cosmetics, we have something for every situation that your body needs.

Whether it's a night time rejuvanation cream or nourishing shampoo, our collections keep in mind the multitude of ways to care for your body.



Beauty Reimagined

With the help of our collection, we can help shape your outer beauty to match how you truley feel on the inside!

Shop Now







NABIDH WINES

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Nabidh Wines is a new wine company that specializes in creating wine from all around the world. Based in the meditriennian part of the world, Nabidh is Arabic-based and wanted to break into the wine market. By having a arab-based company and product, this gives them an edge in the market as not many wine companies are occupying this space and they see it as a way to push their brand and become a staple in this region as well as have a global impact on how others see wine.

WHAT WAS DONE

- Create a logo and brand identity for Nabidh Wines
- Create custom bottle labels and designs for the various types of wine that are sold by Nabidh
- Create a website design including a landing page, collection page, and product page.

OUTCOME

Overall, this project was a success. Having designed a logo that not only will stand apart from the competition but also uses a different language so that it add a uniqueness to the design. For the bottle designs, by having the logo as the main draw of the bottle designs, it will set itself apart from competitors and will be recognizable by the consumers. Also by keeping a minimalist approach to the label, the bottles will all have a consistent look and will make that section retailer shelves look like it's dedicated like the Apple section in electronic stores. For the site, I wanted to be a bit more informational for the new wine drinkers, but also accessible for the seasoned connaisseurs. I felt that with the design, there is a good balance for both as it educates those looking for information about wine, but also has more advanced filters for those who are looking for that specific wine.

Role: Art Direction, Graphic Design, Web Design, UX Design, Brand Design











LOGO DESIGN

For the logo, I started by experimenting with different shapes that are synonymous with the wine industry. I found that wine grapes, wine bottles, and wine glasses were usually used but also other competitors tend to just use a wordmark as their logo to keep things clean. For the wording, I opted to using arabic writing instead of english. The reason I chose this was because Nabidh is an arab-based company and by incorporating that into their brand would definitely set it apart from others. Also since arabic writing is script-based, I feel that it matched perfectly with wine since it's very fluid and customers would be reminded of flowing wine. For the colour scheme, I went with three different choices: merlot red, silver, and gold. I went with these colours to help with defining the quality of wines customers can choose from based off these colours, with Merlot Red being an average wine and gold being the premium.

BOTTLE DESIGN

For the wine bottle, I wanted to capitalize on pushing the brand. I placed the Nabidh Wine glass logo at a large background element for each bottle, one to set it apart from the standard wine label that the competitors are doing, and two to let customers know that this bottle is from Nabidh's and it won't be mistaken by others. I added the type of wine and the name of the wine in a serif font because it added a sense of luxury that I wanted to portray and it paired nicely with the logo. Since the design is already different from the standard wine bottle labels, this will Nabidh's Wine apart from the competitors, which is what they were hoping to accomplish, but will also give it a more minimalist approach to the label.



Red Wines

There is a vast amount of red wine varietals that are used to produce red wines, and its those grapes that usually determine the flavours and attributes of red wine



Nabidh Merlot \$28.99



Nabidh Cabernet Franc \$99.99



Nabidh Pinot Noir \$35.99



Nabidh Sauvignon \$86.99

Shop Red Wines

White Wines

Aromatic, crisp, refreshing, and stunning in a glass, white wines have been around for centuries, pleasing the palates of wine drinkers around the world.



Nabidh Sauvignon Blanc \$28.99



Nabidh Chardonnay



Nabidh Pinot Grigio 889.99



Nabidh Riesling

Shop White Wines

HOMEPAGE

For the homepage, my focus was to get customers to products as quickly as possible. I started the page with one hero banner that displays the 3 types of wine that Nabidh carries. I then added 3 different product sections to highlight the best sellers for those 3 types. I wanted to include little write up for each type for those customers that may be new to wines and not know what the difference between the types are. At the bottom of the page, I included a writeup about Nabidh and what makes them stand out from the competitions. I felt that by having this on the homepage instead of an About Us page, makes it more transparent and easy for customers to really find out about the brand and what makes them special.

COLLECTION PAGE

For this page, I have a sidebar filter navigation as well as having all of the products displayed in a uniform way. For the sidebar, I felt this was an important aspect of the page because with such a wide variety of products, customers need to be able to narrow down the initial results to find the wine they are looking for. For the filter menu, I opted to include Country, Region, Sub-Region, Style, Type and by Price. Since most wine connoisseurs have particular tastes in wines, these options should be able to better narrow down the selection to their tastes, and for those who may be newer to wine, it will allow them to pick broad filters without feeling overwhelmed.

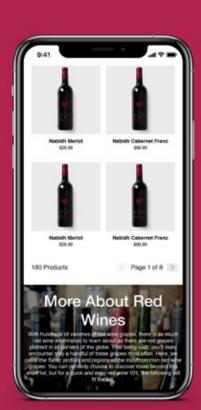
PRODUCT PAGE

For this product page, I wanted to go a more informational route than a traditional e-commerce site, since wine is a complex product to sell. For the first half of the page, I put the product image, title, price and description of the wine and the add to cart button. These are important aspects to any site selling wine online as they are key pieces of information that consumers look for. For the second half of the page, I wanted this to be more information heavy. It is important to have the specifications of the wine, including the Alcohol level, Country, Region, Taste, and more. I also included a visual guide to the wine profile so that customers can know where a particular wine lines up on a scale of boldness, to see if that wine fits their taste. Lastly, I included a section of food pairing as wine can be an important aspect of a meal and if customers are buying a specific wine for a certain occasion, this will be able to help them make that decision.

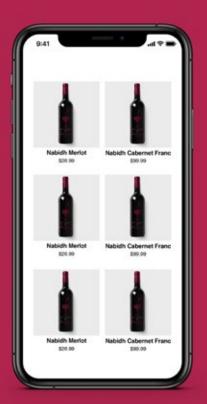






















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Red Wines

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More About Red Wines



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Nabidh Merlot







White Wines

Aromatic, crisp, refreshing, and stunning in a glass, white wines have been around for centuries, pleasing the palates of wine drinkers around the world.









Shop White Wines

Rosé Wines

Drink pinkl A favourite spring or summer wine, rose's can be enjoyed year round. Rose wines are made from dark-skinned grapes, which are also used to produce red wine.











Why Nabidh Wines

the footbills of the Pyrenees to the southwest and the sun-drenched Mediterranean coastline to the northeast. This unique dual influence brings balance and equilibrium to our wines





Nabidh Cabernet Sauvignon

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\$49.99

The 2015 Napa Valley Cabernet Sauvignon is rich and dark, with an abundance of blackberry, cherry and dark plum alongside nuances of lifted violet, sweet cinnamon and clove spice. On the palate, the dark berry fruits proliferate with blackberry, plum and cassis, but there is also a beautiful savory quality exhibiting notes of leather, tobacco and earth, giving this Cabernet a classic old-world feel and elegance. Seamlessly integrated cak and refined tannins provide a smooth mouthfeel and add layers of complexity, all wrapping up with a spicy lengthy finish. Incredibly approachable and pleasing upon release, this wine is sure to dazzle and pair well alongside many culinary treats.

More About Nabidh Cabernet Sauvignon

Country	United States	
Region	California	
Sub-Region	Nappa Valley	
Vintage	2018	
Colour	Red	
ABV	14.5%	
Varietal	Cabernet Sauvignon	
Closure	Cork	
Taste	currant, blackberry, cherry, bell pepper, olive, asparagus, spice, ginger, oak and vanilla	
Nose	currant, blackberry, cherry, cedar and cigar box	

Nabidh Cabernet Sauvignon Profile

Nabidh Cabernet Sauvignon

Nabidh Cabernet Sauvignon Food Pairing

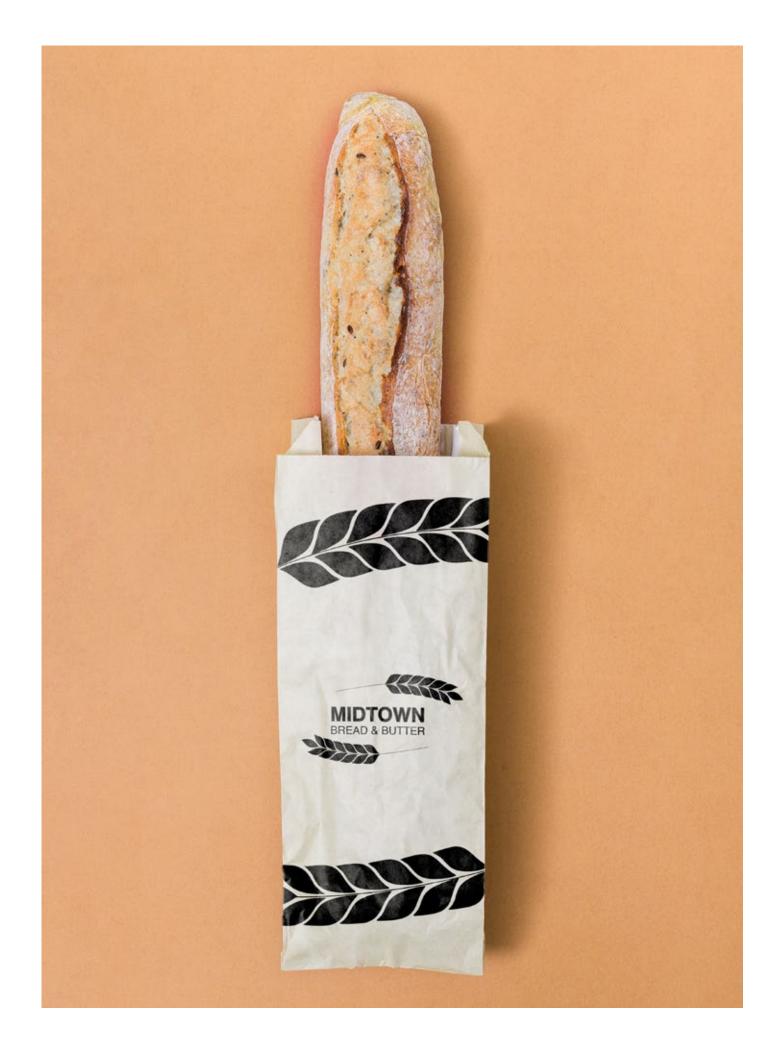
Because of its complexity and high tannin structure, Cabernet Sauvignon is a great choice with any poultry or meat dish. The rugged spiciness of the wine combined with its dark fruit and earth will easily balance out a piece of filet mignon, lamb or braised pork ribs perfectly. Lamb, Steak, Poultry (Grilled), Pork (Grilled), Duck,

Medium - Sharp Cheese Aged Cheddar, Apple-Smoked Gouda, Asiago, Gruyère, Goat Cheese, Stifton, Blue Cheese

MIDTOWN BREAD & BUTTER

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Midtown Bread and Butter is a bakery based out of New York that specializes in freshly baked breads and goods at affordable prices. They value their craftsmanship by only using the finest ingredients, freshly sourced, to create a wide variety of bakery staples as well as the finer delicacies. By having gourmet products baked fresh daily, this gives Midtown an added service that other bakeries may not have while having a unique experience that has a small town vibes in a big city.

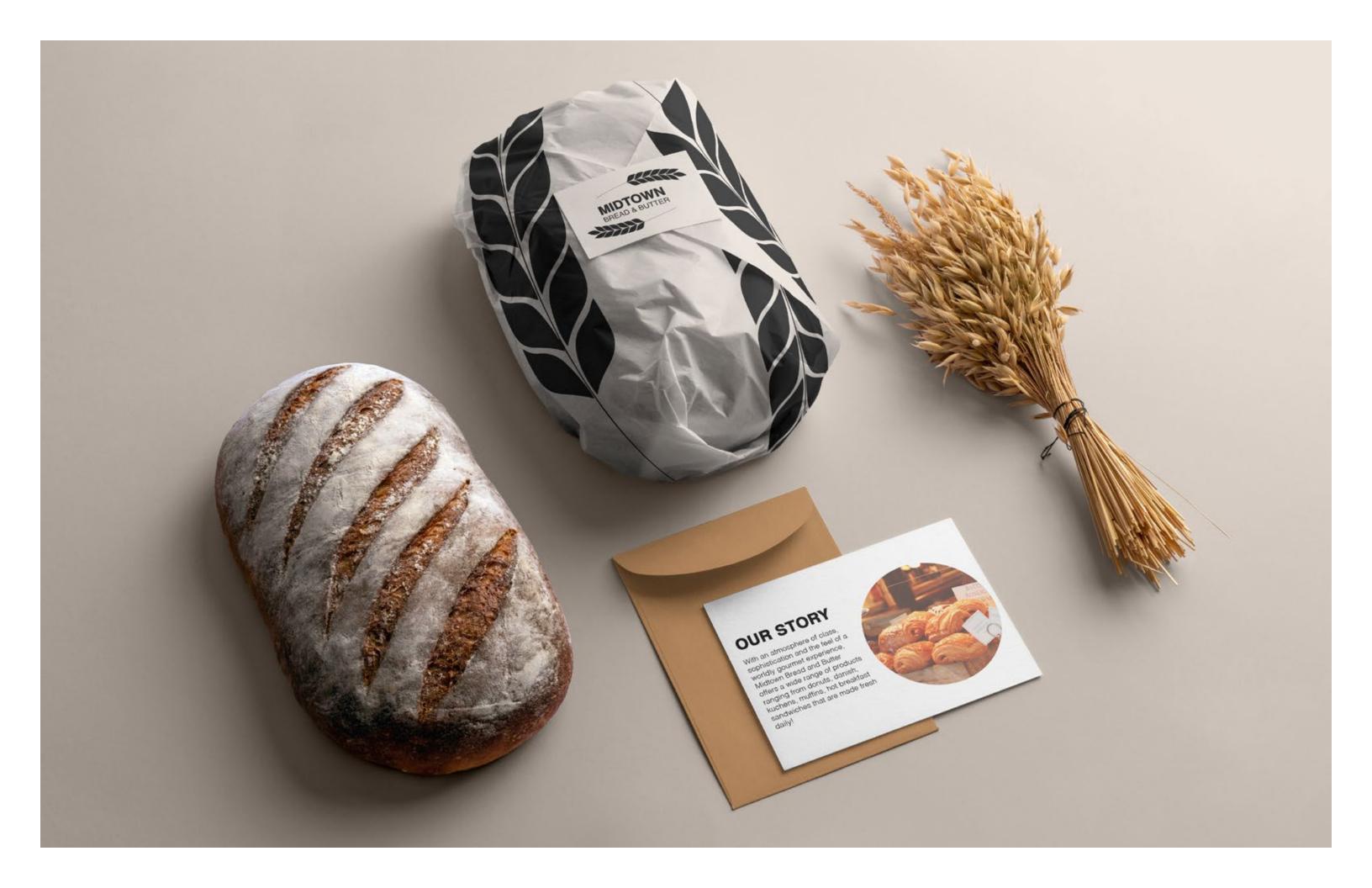
WHAT WAS DONE

- Create a logo and brand identity for Midtown Bread and Butter
- Create a landing page

OUTCOME

Overall, this project was a success. By having creating a logo that gives customers a healthy, natural vibe while still being recognizable were key aspects for Midtown's brand identity. Having a website that give off vibrant images of freshly baked goods gives the perception that Midtown is a fresh bakery and that customers will feel more inclined to check out what Midtown sells. By including key functionality like the best sellers product row, and the instagram feed, it gives customers not only a sense of products that they should aim to get, but also which products Midtown specializes in and the care they take when baking these goods. Also by having Midtown's story right on the homepage, it lets customers know who they are buying their products from and adds a sense of familiarity that some customers tend to appreciate as it gives the perception of a small business and not a large factory entity.

Role: Art Direction, Graphic Design, Web Design, UX Design, Brand Design





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MIDTOWN BREAD AND BUTTER

Freshly baked bread right in Midtown, from gluten-free options to world-renown recipes!

Browse All

OUR STORY

With an atmosphere of class, sophistication and the feel of a worldly gourmet experience, Midtown Bread and Butter offers a wide range of products ranging from donuts, danish, kuchens, muffins, hot breakfast sandwiches that are made fresh daily!



SHOP MIDTOWN



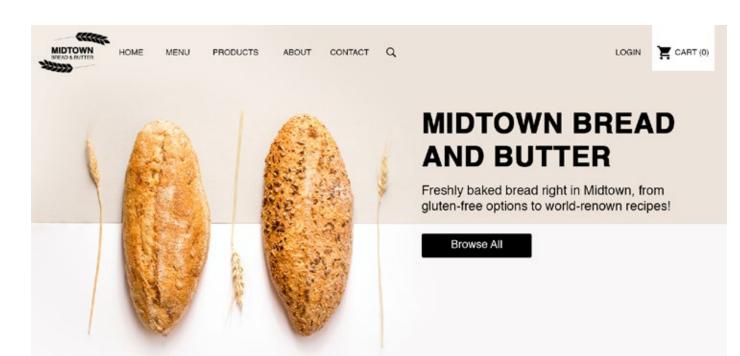




LANDING PAGE

For the homepage, the main message I wanted to pass on to customers was the healthy aspect that Midtown Bread and Butter has. By creating their own bread with the best ingredients and no preservatives, having a healthy-focused homepage in critical for the brand. For the main image, I wanted to show 2 loaves of bread next to wheat to not only portray a freshly baked feel, but also to let customers know that this is a bread company and to get them to product as quickly as possible. The next section of the homepage, I wanted a dedicated space for the story of Midtown Bread and Butter. I felt this was an important aspect as it gives customers an inside look into the company and humanizes the brand. By having this upfront and center, it adds transparency and give the brand a backstory.

For the next part, I wanted to display the best selling products that Midtown provides. By having these easily accessible on the homepage lets customers know which products people are interested in and doing the best, so that they could be convinced to purchase them. For the next section, I wanted to include a benefits section to let customers know why they should buy from Midtown. By having points like Gluten Free options, Freshly Baked, Wide Range, and Order Online Pickup In Store are good selling points as they are what customers are looking for, and should answer the most asked questions customers would have. Lastly, I wanted to include an Instagram feed because social media is such a huge part of marketing in the digital space and not including that in the site would be negligent. By having the feed of the newest posts adds relevancy to the site as well as lets customers know the type of content we post and why they should follow Midtown.



OUR STORY

With an atmosphere of class, sophistication and the feel of a worldly gourmet experience, Midtown Bread and Butter offers a wide range of products ranging from donuts, danish, kuchens, muffins, hot breakfast sandwiches that are made fresh daily!



SHOP MIDTOWN









Assorted Bread Basket \$6.99 ****



White Bread Loaf \$4.99 ****

Add To Cart



Whole Wheat Loaf (Sliced)

\$5.99

**** Add To Cart

WHY MIDTOWN



Freshly Baked Goods



Gluten Free Options



Wide Selection Of Products



Order Online Pick Up In-Store

(o) @midtownbreadbutter

Connect with us on social media with the hashtag #MidtownBreadButter













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