

Nika Harrington

Experience

Inked Brands

Product Designer | July 2026 - Present

Formerly: Jr Product Designer (June 2025 - July 2026)

- Lead and oversee all product design for Pippi Post
- Manage multiple collections of 15-70 products simultaneously
- Design giftables, stationery, games, and home products with new and existing forms
- Conceptualize and create packaging for new products
- Create dielines for products and packaging
- Ensure all files are production-ready
- Design marketing materials including mockups
- Ensure all products are consistent with brand identity

Talisman Magazine + Website

Design Editor | May 2024 - May 2025

Formerly: Designer (Aug. 2023 - May 2024)

- Led and oversaw design of 2 print magazine and 2 zine issues
- Managed 4 staff designers and delegated responsibilities
- Collaborated with editors, writers, and photographers
- Ensured files are properly formatted for print production

IDEA Lab

UX Design Intern | Aug. - Dec. 2024

- Designed high-fidelity prototype of SunSketcher app iteration
- Led and created Spanish-language capability in prototype
- Worked with team to ideate solutions based on research

Kentucky Youth Climate Strike

Co-Creative Director | Dec. 2020 - June 2022

- Created infographics, digital, video, and print media; redesigned organization's website
- Worked closely with director team to plan events and projects for 100 members

Awards

Associated Collegiate Press | 2025

- Honorable Mention for Design of the Year: Illustration - "Connection Horoscopes"

WKU Student Juried Exhibition | 2024, 2023

- Best Use of Typography - "Jazz Standard" (2024)

Abound Credit Union Celebration of the Arts Exhibition | 2025, 2024

- 3rd Place in Printmaking - "Where the Birds Rest" (2025)

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Education

Western Kentucky University

Bowling Green, KY

Aug. 2022 - May 2025

BFA Graphic Design Concentration

UX Design Certificate

Summa Cum Laude

Owensboro Community and

Technical College

Owensboro, KY

Aug. 2020 - May 2022

Associate in Arts with High Distinction

Skills

- Adobe Creative Suite
 - Illustrator
 - Photoshop
 - InDesign
 - After Effects
- Microsoft Office
- UX/UI Design
- Prototyping
- Basic HTML/CSS
- Project Management
- Production Design
- B2B & DTC Product Design
- Editorial Design
- Brand Identity
- Social Media Design
- Photography and videography
- Basic Video Editing
- Basic Motion Graphics
- Organization
- Collaboration
- Written and verbal communication