HELLO, NICE TO MEET YOU.

My name is Kat Chien and I am a graphic designer.

Freelancing since 2017, my art direction and design aesthetic is heavily influenced by my love of the arts and 12 years of working in the industry as an arts administrator, with companies specialising in the presentation of dance, music and visual arts.

Collaboration is key and I am most excited about exploring commercial possibilities, taking project outcomes to the next level.

EMPLOYMENT HISTORY

2017 - PRESENT

Darcy & Mouse Studio

Founder and Creative Director

Art direction and pitch presentations

Client liaison and account management

Quoting and reconciliation

Asset production for branding, advertising, publication and digital promotions

Clients include:

Museum Victoria

University of Melbourne

UNICEF Australia

Jack McKingley Agency

Women's Environmental Leadership Australia

Pollinate Group

DEC 2021 - JUN 2022

Sierra Delta Creative Agency

Senior Graphic Designer

Brand and identity

Campaign and event identities

Digital marketing assets

Web design

Print publications

Presentation layouts

Client liaison

Account Management

JUNE 2020 - FEBRUARY 2022

Environmental Film Festival Australia

Graphic Designer

Brand and identity refresh

Campaign identities

Digital marketing assets

Print advertising

2015 - 2020

National Gallery of Victoria

Account Manager, Corporate Partnerships

Sponsorship management

Client liaison

Business development

Project management

2010 - 2015

Melbourne Recital Centre

Development Coordinator

Sponsor and donor stewardship

Business development

Events management

Public programming

PROVEN CAPABILITIES

Art direction

Brand and identity

Visual identity and campaigns

Web design - User Interface (UI)

Digital marketing - social

and content assets

Printed promotional materials

Publication layouts

Photography and editing

Creative industry engagement

Client liaison and stewardship

Project management

Business development Account management

Events management

Marketing activations General administration



SKILLS

MACINTOSH OS MICROSOFT WINDOWS OS

ADOBE SUITE

InDesign

Illustrator

Photoshop

Acrobat

Lightroom

After Effects

CMS

Campaign Monitor

Mailchimp

Wordfly

Mail 2

WEB

Wordpress

Squarespace Elementor

MICROSOFT OFFICE SUITE

Word

Outlook

Powerpoint

Excel

INTERESTS

Photography

Art galleries/museums

Travelling

Music concerts

Hiking

EDUCATION

2017 CATC DESIGN SCHOOL

Diploma of Graphic Design

2014 RMIT SHORT COURSE

Design and Layout Fundamentals

Type and Image Fundamentals

2006 UNIVERSITY OF MELBOURNE

Graduate Certificate of

Arts Management

UNIVERSITY OF MELBOURNE 2004

Bachelor of Arts (Art History)

LANGUAGES

English

Chinese Mandarin

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