



# Mason Espedal



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### **Education**

BFA, Communication Design ('24) Texas State University | GPA: 3.96

BBA, Management With a focus in Entrepreneurship ('24) Texas State University | GPA: 3.96

#### Skills and Software

Adobe Creative Suite Al Generated Artwork and Solutions Figma Google Suite Photography **Product Development** Entrepreneurship MS Office Applications **Production Design Vendor Relations** Customer Relations Wix Website Building Squarespace Shopify Website Design Blender 3D Modeling and Rendering Leadership

### References

E-Commerce

Marshall Thompson (817) 845 - 7554 Co-Founder Canworks Printing

Jeff Davis (512) 557 - 4128 Professor School of Art and Design Texas State University

## **Work and Design Experience**

#### **Graphic Designer**

Canworks Printing | 05/23-Current

Collaborated across diverse business functions, transforming client artwork and creating content for social media platforms. Managed end-to-end artwork processes, ensuring seamless execution from conception to printing.

### Owner and Designer

Espedal Creative | 01/23-Current

Oversees and performs freelance design projects for a diverse range of businesses. Collaborates closely with clients to deliver intricate brand identities, logos, 3D modeling, renders, and engaging social media content.

#### President, Acting Secretary, and Chapter Founder

TXST CHIL (Cannabis Hemp Innovation League) | 08/23-05/24 Started and brought a student academic organization from Texas A&M to Texas State University. Designed, built, and operated this organization to give it life for years to come at Texas State University.

#### **Promoter and Team Member**

Afterdark Entertainment | 06/21-01/23

Efficiently coordinated on-site merchandise sales, strategically promoted events through social media channels, handled ticketing and guest list operations, and assumed on-site managerial responsibilities as required.

#### Owner and Founder

Velocity Patches | 08/15-Current

Built a small business from the ground up offering custom patches and insignia to over 5,000 customers and businesses since creation. These customers include sports teams, government agencies, and various brands.

## **Awards and Achievements**

TBHF Future Texas Business Legend Award Finalist Nina Vaca Innovation & Entrepreneurship Award Communication Design Fund Scholarship Refel Rushing Entrepreneurship Scholarship Jack Eure Endowed Scholarship in Marketing & Management Student Government Scholarship Stanley K. Tanger Scholarship Sandra Zamarripa Scholarship Ralph Gassman Memorial Endowed Scholarship