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*Nicholas Dapkus*

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## *Education*

*Purdue University, West Lafayette, IN*

- Bachelor of Science in Computer Graphics Technology, May 2008, GPA 3.4/4.0
- Focus: Graphic Design, Web Development

## *Areas of Effectiveness*



### *Graphic Design Skills*

- Create icons, logos and graphics for print and websites using Adobe Illustrator and Photoshop
- Structure design concepts and layouts using Adobe InDesign for marketing materials



### *Photography/Video Skills*

- Shoot photography and video for events, marketing materials and social media
- Improve digital photography for professional use by adjusting color balance, removing noise, correcting issues and formatting files for proper usability
- Edit and compile videos to promote or tell a story



### *Teamwork Experience*

- Manage project meetings and communications with clients while working with them to deliver a professional product that meets their goal for project
- Coordinate in a group project with the role of graphic designer responsible for creating the image of the project with logos, headers, a web page and marketing materials
- Communicate with fellow employees on daily tasks needed to be accomplished by all areas along with supporting others with their responsibilities

## *Employment*

*Graphic Design & Social Media Specialist*  
Crossroads YMCA - Crown Point, IN

February 2019 - Current

*Graphic Designer & Marketing Assistant*  
Ideas in Motion Media - Valparaiso, IN

February 2018 - February 2019

*Web Designer/Computer Technician*  
Page Pop - Crown Point, IN

June 2014 - September 2015

*Digital Image Assistant*  
Purdue University - West Lafayette, IN

September 2007 - May 2008

## *Volunteer*

*Digital Media Administrator/Graphic Designer*  
Crown Point 4th of July Celebration Committee - Crown Point, IN

January 2016 - March 2018

*Volunteer/Photographer*  
City of Crown Point Special Events - Crown Point, IN

August 2017 - June 2018