Avan Cantrell

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Interdisciplinary, production-minded artist and designer with experience in 2D and 3D art, graphic design and animation. Familiar with workflows spanning print, digital and interactive media.

SKILLS

Digital Print Production	Digital Compositing	WordPress
Publication Layout Design	Motion Graphics	HTML / CSS
Packaging Design	2D / 3D Animation	3D Modeling

ADOBE CERTIFICATIONS

Photoshop Illustrator InDesign Premiere After Effects

SELECTED PROJECTS

Multipage Publication Layout & Visuals **2026**
Personal Projects

Designed multipage keepsake photo and recipe books using modular parent page layouts and custom vector graphics. Digitized a handwriting sample, adapting it into a display font. Retouched photography while preparing assets for both print and interactive PDF formats.

Logo Assets | Letterhead Template | Front-End Web Design **2025**
Client: BlackBriar Environmental, LLC

Adapted legacy logo file into vector graphic assets, then handled implementation across branded letterhead document template, company website, and HTML email signature. Updated website visuals, typography and information architecture for modern browser viewing.

ADDITIONAL EXPERIENCE

Simulation & Game Development Studies **2019-2023**
Wake Technical Community College | Raleigh, NC

Created game-ready visual assets, animations and functional prototypes using Maya, Substance Painter and Unity. Flexed into C# with focus on visuals and assets programming to balance team workload and streamline production on collaborative projects. Performed QA for projects in development, documenting UI/UX accessibility concerns, visual and programming bugs.

EDUCATION

Associate of Applied Science: Advertising & Graphic Design **2025**
Wake Technical Community College | Raleigh, NC

Certificate: Graphic & Web Design 2024
Certificate: Simulation & Game Development Fundamentals I 2023
Membership: National Technical Honor Society

Bachelor of Fine Arts: Visual Art **2015**
Clemson University | Clemson, SC

Studio Training | Mixed Media Drawing, Digital Media, Printmaking, Photography, Ceramics, Sculpture
Independent Focus | Illustration, Sequential Art, Visual Communication & Storytelling