# Jay-Dee Samonte!

ART DIRECTOR

## **EXPERIENCE**

#### Wunderman Thompson | Art Director

April 2023 - Present

Creating 360 digital assets for US Marine Corps

#### Good Kid / Xfinity Creative | Junior Art Director

November 2021 - April 2023

- Concepted and produced partnership commercials
- Managed, edited, and created social content while designing an in-feed brand refresh

#### Freelance Creative | Photography and Art Direction

2017 - Present

Clients: Brooklyn Track Club, Save Face, Facebook, Scener, The BeatBox RVA

#### Periscope | Art Director Intern

June 2021 - Sept 2021

- Concepted a creative campaign for Michelina's Foods
- Designed digital assets for Minnesota Lottery

## CONTACT

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## **AWARDS**

#### **VCU Strategic Workshop**

Runner-up • Fall 2020

#### **Jefferson Hotel Research Competition**

Finalist • Spring 2020

#### Reena Shrestha Memorial Scholarship

Recipient Fall • 2019 - Spring 2020

#### Klugman Scholar Fund

Recipient • Fall 2019 - Spring 2020

# INVOLVEMENT

# 4A's MAIP (Multicultural Advertising Internship Program) | Fellow

June 2021 - August 2021

### Richmond Ad Club Mentor Program | Mentee

Spring 2021

# **EDUCATION**

#### Virginia Commonwealth University (VCU)

B.S. Marketing - Brand Management da Vinci Center - Venture Creation Certificate

# **TOOLS & SKILLS**

Adobe Creative Suite

Figma

Photography / Videography

Microsoft Office

Google Suite

# **ESSENTIAL STATS**

- Street skater turned road runner
- Comfort meal = Spam, eggs, and rice Q
- Total days of anime watched: 43 ■

