

# Ashley Christopherson

Scientific Illustration & Graphic Design

A self-motivated and confident designer who excels at interpreting the requirements of a project by using great communication skills and knowledge of necessary media while also possessing the ability to understand complex information and present work within established timelines.

## Contact Info

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## Education

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### Iowa State University, Ames, IA

#### **Bachelor of Arts, Class of 2017**

#### *Biological/Pre-Medical Illustration*

Designed for students with an aptitude for both science and art; curriculum includes latest artistic techniques, visual design skills, and the business of being a visual communicator.

### Forest City High School, Forest City, IA

#### **High School Diploma, Class of 2012**

## Featured Artwork

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### Journal of Polymer Science Part B

(2016), Cover Image, Volume 54, Issue 20.  
J. Polym. Sci. Part B: Polym. Phys., 54: iii-iv.

### BBC News Online

“Scientists develop dissolving battery.”  
BBC News. N.p., 09 Aug. 2016.

### NBC News Online

“Dissolving Battery Could Help Spies, Environment.” NBC News. N.p., 09 Aug. 2016.

## References

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References available upon request.

## Experience

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### Present

#### **Stellar Ind., Garner, IA** | *Creative Marketing Specialist*

- Create all internal graphic design needs.
- Create and distribute print & digital advertising.
- Create and maintain all internal literature / brochures.
- Work directly with product management for marketing campaigns.

### 2017-18

#### **Target, Ames, IA** | *Guest Service Manager*

- Created a welcoming environment to generate loyalty.
- Maintained day-to-day logistics of front-of-store operations.

### 2015-17

#### **Hashemi Lab & Montazami Lab, Ames, IA** | *Illustrator*

- Prepared illustrations based on provided lab research.
- Prepared graphical abstracts to visually communicate research.

### 2012-17

#### **Gamestop, Ames, IA** | *Supervisor*

- Provided solution selling for guests.
- Maintained organization of sales floor.
- Trained new employees on business practices.

## Skills

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### Design

- Creative Cloud; Photoshop, Illustrator, Indesign, After Effects.
- Scientific illustrations, graphic and multimedia design.
- Animation, 3D modeling, and photo manipulation.
- Traditional mediums; graphite, charcoal, etc.

### Computer / Programs

- Mac + PC Platforms.
- Cinema 4D 3D modeling software.
- Microsoft Office; Teams, Planner, Word, Excel.

### Personal

- Organized, resourceful, and self-disciplined
- Great at empowering others.
- Experienced in meeting deadlines within goals of the project.