# Sheila Davenport

# GRAPHIC DESIGNER | BRAND ADVOCATE

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### PROFILE SUMMARY

Dedicated and client-centric Graphic Designer and Multimedia Consultant with 15+ years of proven exceptionalism. Background working in investment finance and retail for multi-billion-dollar brands. Strong ability to advocate for a client's vision and hone a creative feel through visual storytelling, typography, color theory, and design principles. Seeking a new challenge to leverage masterful communication and drive revolutionary work.

SKILLS

PROFESSIONAL SKILLS	Graphic Design   Presentation Design   Art Direction   Creative Direction   Visual Storytelling
	Global Project Management   Responsive Web Design   Multimedia   Print Design
	User Interface Design (UI)   Client Services   Customer Relationship Management (CRM)
	Color Theory   Layout Design   Typography   Image Editing   Team Leadership & Coaching
TECHNICAL SKILLS	Adobe Creative Suite (Photoshop, InDesign, Illustrator, After Effects, Premiere, Dreamweaver)
	HTML5   CSS   JavaScript   PDF Accessibility   Microsoft Suite (Word, Excel, PowerPoint)

### WORK EXPERIENCE

### **GRAPHIC DESIGNER**

<u>02/2008 - 08/2023</u> 01/2004 - 08/2023

### Franklin Templeton Investments | San Francisco, CA

15+ years of impact and promotion within *Franklin Templeton Investments*, a  $\frac{250+}{250+}$  billion-dollar global investment management organization and platform. Responsible for optimizing the visual design strategy for measurable results.

- Upholds high brand standards with on-time delivery for regional collateral and assets, including video content, online banners, imagery, advertisements, print ads, presentations, email marketing content, and more.
- Synchronized efforts for global teams spanning Mexico, Hong Kong, Singapore, the UK, and the US by developing email templates, brochures, flyers, print, digital ads, presentations, etc., for a <u>40%</u> increase in design efficiency and a <u>35%</u> increase in project turnaround for multidisciplinary teams regarding future design iterations.
- Transformed basic content into visually appealing graphics, brochures, flyers, PowerPoint presentations, and videos for global marketing campaigns, driving a <u>20%</u> increase in website traffic and client engagement.
- Revitalized global marketing strategy through a rebranding overhaul, driving a <u>25%</u> surge in web and social media traffic with a <u>30%</u> growth in brand recognition.
- Ensured ADA-compliant content and WCAG-approved web materials to avoid violation fines exceeding \$150K. This led to a <u>25%</u> increase in potential sales and staying <u>100%</u> compliant within the project scope.

### **MULTIMEDIA DESIGNER**

- Orchestrated the design leadership on assets, including static graphics, interactive PDFs, animations, video, and web banners, tailored and optimized for different platforms in print and social media.
- Modernized the approach for the 75+-year-old brand while aligning the design guidelines with established styles for recognition and consistency.

### 01/2004 - 02/2008

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### WEB INTEGRATOR | UI DESIGNER

Barclays Global Investors | San Francisco, CA

Promoted once and ensured seamless digital experiences and curated visual storytelling output for Barclays Global Investors, a mutual-fund provider and exchange leader that developed a digital investment product called 'iShares'.

- Designed dynamically generated content for internal websites within the business group for key stakeholders.
- Built and maintained web pages for a website with global reach while overseeing the production project budget. •
- Served as the point-of-contact for clients to define project requirements, UI strategy, prototype execution, mock-ups, and storyboards.
- Trained and supervised newly hired Web Integrators and UI Designers to guide on existing protocols.
- Empowered cross-functional teams and synergized team efforts with aggressive deadlines in a high-output firm.

### SENIOR PRESENTATION DESIGNER

- Designed complex print projects for internal clients requiring high-level design capabilities as a self-starter.
- Supported the production of special presentations for large-scale events such as global conferences, seminars, retreats, • and firm-wide meetings.

EDUCATION

Bachelor of Science, Information Systems Management University of San Francisco | San Francisco, CA

Graduate: Graphic Design Academy of Art University | San Francisco, CA

Internship: Graphic Design

Kaiser Permanente | San Francisco, CA Progressed to full-time Communications Specialist and honed craft for 5 years

## PORTFOLIO

### DaveShe.com

08/2000 - 10/2023 01/1999 - 10/2023

### 01/1999-08/2000