# **MELANIE POIESZ**

## Multimedia Designer | Hungry for a Junior Designer role

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### **SUMMARY**

I believe that good design can move mountains and change human behaviour for the better. Currently in my final year of studying Lifestyle Transformation Design, I am deeply passionate about creating provocative new design concepts for causes and products I support.

### **EXPERIENCE**

#### Airline Ground Staff

#### **KLM**

Koninklijke Luchtvaart Maatschappij operates cargo and passenger flights to over 145 destinations worldwide. I have been working for the world's oldest airline still in operation next to my studies.

- Handling security and passport control during passenger check-in
- Achieved cost saving of €10.000 through preventing an error during an escalated situation with a passenger

#### Personal Shopper

#### P.S. Zoë

I worked for an online personal shopping service that helped busy women save time and look good.

- Fully conceptualised and produced the men's Fall/Winter campaign, directing the photoshoots, styling and editing with 2 models
- Delivered assistance in trend forecasting for the Head of Buying
- Increased number of average sale per box from 27% to 50%

#### Freelance Creative

#### **Moiesz Design**

Starting in my 2nd year I began taking on gigs in Photography, Concept Design and Graphic Design as a freelancer.

- Produced visual content for digital communications of an LA-based beauty brand
- Created 5 logo and branding concepts for SMEs mainly in the gastronomy & food industry for online and print use

#### **EDUCATION**

#### Lifestyle Transformation Design

#### Willem de Koning Academie

## 2014 - Ongoing

- In my program I learned how to conduct research on society's most pressing issues and turn my findings into a product using skills in photography, audiovisual, print, interactive, web and graphic design
- Delivered end-to-end concept design including spatial, multimedia and merchandise aspects for the City of Rotterdam with the aim to foster social cohesion in Agnesiebuurt
- Delivered winning information booklet in print and digital for Erasmus MC to trigger behavioral change in customer's food intake

#### **SKILLS**

**Photography** 

**InDesign** 

**Photoshop** 

Illustrator

## **LANGUAGES**

Dutch

Native

**English** 

Proficient

Spanish

Native

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## **TRAINING / COURSES**

**Introduction to Photoshop** 

**HTML Introduction** 

6-Week Photography Course

### **VOLUNTEERING**

## Photographer

**Restart Network** 

**2018 - 2019** 

I volunteered for a social enterprise that teaches local unemployed and refugees how to code. To help them with their resumes and online profiles I shot and edited professional grade portrait photos of their students (used across digital channels and in print).