

# SAM DOUTHAT

ENTREPRENEUR  
GRAPHIC ARTIST  
PHOTOGRAPHER

## Education

Bachelor of Fine Arts  
Northern Illinois University  
DeKalb, Illinois  
Emphasis: Visual Communication  
May 2025  
GPA 3.94

Associate in Applied Science  
Rock Valley College  
Rockford, Illinois  
Emphasis: Graphic Design  
May 2021  
GPA 3.7

## Experience

Visual Merchandiser  
Target  
Rockford, Illinois  
Oct. 2012 - Jan. 2019

- Design eye-catching displays
- Implemented plan-o-grams
- Installed merchandising displays
- Managed backroom & stock

Transportation Specialist  
US Army  
Rock Falls, Illinois  
Feb. 2009 - Feb. 2015

- Evaluated risks associated with operations
- Kept accurate records of inventory & mileage
- Performed routine inspections & maintenance
- Transported personnel & supplies

## Internships

Graphic Design Intern  
Rock'N Vodka  
Rockford, Illinois  
Fall 2021

- Assisted with website & blog updates
- Helped develop & execute design concepts
- Prepared layouts for print & advertising campaigns
- Prepared images to for social media & blog posts

Membership Services  
Sam's Club  
Watertown, New York  
Feb. 2010 - Oct. 2012

- Answered incoming calls & direct to appropriate departments
- Maintained accurate records
- Performed store opening & closing procedures
- Provided information on membership fees, policies & services

## Awards & Honors

- Phi Theta Kappa
- Society of Collegiate Leadership & Achievement
- Future Philanthropists Award  
Associates of Fundraising Professionals

## Extracurriculars

- RVC Students of Service
- Operation Blessing  
Disaster Relief

## Programs

- Adobe Illustrator
- Adobe InDesign
- Adobe Photoshop
- BirdFont
- Figma
- HTML
- Microsoft Excel
- WordPress

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