

# Joseph Allegro

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## Education

Rhode Island School of Design (RISD) • Providence, RI  
Bachelor of Fine Arts in Graphic Design, Minor of Literary Arts and Studies, 2014–2018

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## Design Experience

Darkroom • New York, NY  
Freelance Type Designer, 2018  
Darkroom brought me on to develop a sportswear client's logotype into a full display typeface.

Merl • USA  
Freelance Graphic Designer, 2018–  
Merl is a design collective, established by myself and four fellow RISD alumni, to encourage collaboration with some freelance and personal work. This includes:

FinTech Sandbox • Boston, MA  
Freelance Graphic Designer, 2018–  
Collaborating with two others, I am designing a new identity for FinTech Sandbox. Previously with this client, we have designed various editorial pieces for distribution.

Finnest • Boston, MA  
Freelance Graphic Designer, 2018  
I collaborated with another member of Merl to design Finnest's new debit card.

Tacoma Opera • Tacoma, WA  
Design Intern, Art Department, 2014  
I built advertising collateral for the Opera's upcoming production at the time. I also served temporarily as coordinator for "Student Night at the Opera."

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## Skills

Software  
Photoshop, Illustrator, InDesign, Premiere, After Effects, HTML/CSS, jQuery, Beginning Processing, Terminal, GitHub, Figma, Robofont, Dragonframe, Keynote, MS Office

Art/Design  
Typography, Editorial design, Poster design, Branding/Identity design, Web design, Type design, Installation/Exhibit design, Curation, Experience design, Illustration, Animation, Puppet/set fabrication, Photography

Writing  
Creative, Professional, Academic, Editing, Teaching

## Further Experience

RISD Graphic Design • Providence, RI  
Teaching Assistant, Color, 2018  
I assisted Color students as they learned to apply color across identity systems and prepare files for print.

RISD Media Group • Providence, RI  
Senior Media Assistant, 2017–2018  
I wrote and photographed journalistically for *Our RISD*, Rhode Island School of Design's outward-facing blog.

RISD Writing Center • Providence, RI  
Writing/Graphic Design Tutor, 2015–2018  
I provided fellow students with tutoring/consultancy on a wide range of writing and visual communications projects.

## Recognitions

The Updike Student Type Design Prize • 2nd place  
Awarded by the Providence Public Library in 2017.

Honors student designation  
Awarded by the Rhode Island School of Design Academic Standing Committee in 2015.