PORTHOLIO

This portfolio is intended to demonstrate my technical communication experience and technical design skills. This document and the work presented in this document was completed using Adobe Acrobat, InDesign, Illustrator, Photoshop.

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Introduction

Y full name is Crystal Morris-Stromberg, though I just use Stromberg professionally.

I am, at heart, someone who loves to organize projects and teams — I earned my PMP (Project Management Professional Certification) in 2022 to prove it. I'm happiest when I can use my ideation and strategic strengths to plan projects, products, services, and teams from the beginning and then release my plan to the people who do their jobs best.

I am a fan of continual improvement and feel the need to drive my team to better efficiency and effectiveness. We don't stop when it's 'good enough.' I'm also profit minded and can spot a win-lose or lose-win proposition from a mile away. I prefer win-win.

My favorite leadership books are Stephen Covey's Seven Habits for Highly Effective People, Brené Brown's Dare to Lead, and Christopher Voss's Never Split the Difference.



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EDUCATION

UNIVERSITY OF NORTH TEXAS

BAS Integrative Studies English, Spanish, Technical Communication Minor: Political Science Certificate: Technical Writing

IN PROGRESS: Masters in Technical Communication

PROJECT MANAGEMENT INSTITUTE

Project Management Professional Certification Fall 2022

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- Microsoft Teams
- Microsoft Office
- Adobe CC
- Smartsheet
- Slack
- Salesforce
- SharePoint
- Constant Contact
- Concur
- Qualio
- SideQuest
- Various VR headsets
- Talent LMS

CRYSTAL MORRIS-STROMBERG

Energy Worldnet, Inc. Director, Education

EXPERIENCE

DIRECTOR, EDUCATION

(June 2020-PRESENT) Internal Promotion

As the department director, I oversee the hiring, development, reporting, and reviews of 20+ personnel, on-site and remote. I lead my team to meet annual goals and new objectives within an annual budget I establish and manage.

I collaborate externally with several committees and advisory boards and internally with the directors, managers, and VPs of other company departments. I am charged with developing new services; maintaining existing services; and establishing project plans, work agreements, and work schedules for custom education services.

Additionally, I serve the company as a speaker for industry conferences and events. I have experience with virtual reality, contract drafting, service procurement, quality management, marketing copy, policies and procedures, learning content management systems, project management, and agile methodologies for software development.

MANAGER, EDUCATION

(December 2017-June 2020) Internal Promotion

TECHNICAL WRITER

(May 2016-December 2017) Internal Promotion

Additional work experience provided upon request

ORGANIZATIONAL INVOLVEMENT

- American Petroleum Institute -Contributing Member
- American Society of Mechanical Engineering
- B31Q Standard -Committee Participant
- Southern Gas Association -Learning and Development Committee Member
- Frontier College Gas Steering Committee -Participant
- IACET Energy Advisory Board -Contributing Member
- Project Management Institute Member
- Area Women's Business Network Member

Résumé

This resume was produced using InDesign. The layout is intended to call the most attention to the left-hand ribbon of information and the description of my current position. The layout design allowed me to make the most of the available space a there are several items I wanted to address that had a short line length.

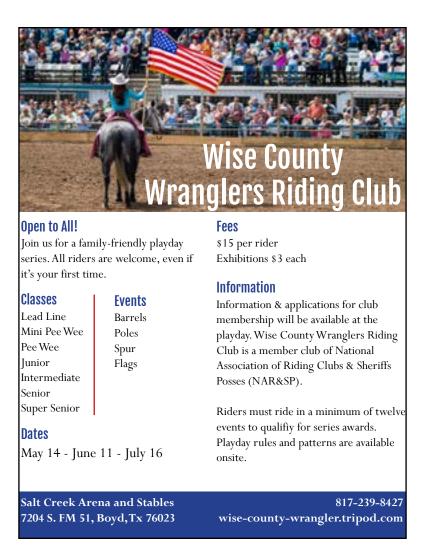


Flyer Redesign

Idesigned these flyers for a graduate-level design class in Summer 2023. The text in this flyer was written by another author (see original on right). The work is an example of working on a grid to create a successful layout, choosing a successful color scheme, and choosing appropriate typography for a flyer. I have included two redesigned layouts and the original flyer.

The finished product required the use of Adobe InDesign, demonstration of design principles, the use of open source media files, and the ability to critique design flaws and correct the work of others.





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Applying Grids

T designed these two layouts using the same design grid Lin two variations. The text in this flyer was written by another author. The work is an example of working on a grid to create a successful layout.

For this assignment, I was limited to using only fonts and layouts to create visual interest. I was working with limitations on the use of colors and graphics.

This product required the use of Adobe InDesign text tools, grid lines, establishing and using a grid, working with design limitations, and demonstration of design principles for fonts.

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When: 10 a.m. Nov. 22 (Tuesday)

Where: Ballroom of UNT's Gateway Center, located on North Texas Boulevard between Eagle Drive and Highland Street (801 North Texas Boulevard)

Cost: Free

Contact: UNT School of Merchandising and Hospitality Management at 940-565-2436

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P.F. Chang's was founded in Scottsdale, Ariz., in 1993 and is named for the company's two founders, one of which was its first chef. With its corporate headquarters in Phoenix, the company has more than 200 restaurants in the U.S., Dubai, Kuwait, Mexico and Puerto Rico, and is the parent company of the casual Pan-Asian restaurant chair Pei Wei Asian Diner. P.F. Chang's also introduced a frozen food line in 2010 and is one of the few restaurant chains recognized by the Gluten Incolerance Group of North America for offering a dedicated menu to diners who must follow a strict gluten-free diet.

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Multi-Page Documents

Twrote and designed this multi-page piece in Adobe **▲**InDesign.

For this assignment, I was limited to a few documents with some reporting numbers and a written quote from the sources. For the design, I used variations in line length, leading, gutter size, and text wraps to achieve the finihed product.

This product required the use of Adobe InDesign text tools, establishing and using a grid, using a content guide for language, and working with source limitations.

The City of Tallahassee Case for Investing in Pipeline Safety

Written by Crystal Stromberg, 2023

THE PIPELINE SAFETY CLIMATE

With the increasing focus on improving pipeline safety and the birth of API's 173 Pipeline Safety Management Systems commended practice in 2015, Operators verywhere found themselves taking a fresh ook at their safety culture and the effects it as on pipelines that are intended to function ithout fail or casualty for upwards of 50 years. API 1173 provides guidance on developing nd implementing Pipeline Safety Management ystems (PSMS) to proactively manage and itigate risks associated with pipeline operations. emphasizes the importance of establishing a trong safety culture, integrating risk managemen rinciples, and continually improving safety

As the industry begins to see the hidden epercussions of safety cultures spanning decades ack. Operators have begun to take stock and ake intentional efforts to safeguard workers and sidents of the present and the future. API 1173 erves as a valuable resource for Operators to align eir safety practices with industry best practices nd ensure the safe operation of pipelines. While API 1173 is not yet incorporated by reference to US federal regulations, its guidance is helping perators strike a new, voluntary balance for safety provements today. By adopting the principles utlined in API 1173, Operators can enhance their afety culture and minimize the risks associated vith pipeline operations, benefiting not only the esent but also the future generations who rely on fe and reliable pipeline transportation.

Tn 2022, the City of Tallahassee made its pipeline safety journey a company focus with three goals in mind. Goal one was to assess Tallahassee's pipeline safety. Goal two was to improve pipeline safety based on the assessment results. Goal three was to maintain continual progress without any backsliding.

was to determine initial pipeline safety perceptions among their workforce and improve the overall safety culture in 2022. In a year-over-year comparative analysis beginning in 2022, the City

outlined in API 1173, **Operators can enhance** their safety culture and minimize the risks associated with pipeline operations, benefitting not only the present but also the future generations who rely on safe and reliable pipeline transportation."

CITY OF TALLAHASSEE'S GOAL

For this project, the City of Tallahassee's first goal

"By adopting the principles

CITY OF TALLARASSEE ONE VENT

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Press Release

I wrote the following press release in 2022. This press release is an example of public relations communications and product release notification.

As the Director of Education, it is often my role to work with the brand team and CEO on new product or service press releases as well as client communications. The finished product requires the ability to learn the new product or service quickly, work with the product development team to determine a release deadline, verbalize the key concepts and value, incorporate trending and optimized wording, interview stakeholders and leadership members to obtain quotes, and incorporate several levels of feedback on a tight deadline.

EWN Gains Traction in Asset Management with Release of Tracer

For Immediate Release

Decatur, TX / February 2, 2022 / Energy Worldnet, Inc. (EWN) announced the launch of Tracer Asset Management yesterday, marking the company's entry into the supply chain and asset management market following a long history of success in Operator Qualification and Compliance.

Tracer, an intuitive product designed to help companies maintain a safe working environment through tracking asset life cycles and maintenance, offers a mobile and desktop platform to equip companies with on-demand access and documentation for asset inventories, inspections, and maintenance. Designed with usability as the guiding principle, Tracer functionality starts with a QR sticker on any tool or chosen asset. A mobile scan of the QR code allows users to access the asset status and service availability or complete inspections and upload photos.

In addition to a live, central location for documenting assets, Tracer also boasts the ability to make links with contractor companies, giving hiring companies the ability to verify safe and approved equipment use by contractors on their worksites all through the use of QR codes and online recordkeeping.

When asked about the service expansion into asset management, Energy Worldnet CEO Coleman Sterling stated that "Tracer was born out of a conversation with one of EWN's longtime clients, a pipeline industry leader. It wasn't necessarily a big jump or ask for us. It's the management of data; it's the application of requirements to a subject, whether that's a person or a tool. Expanding to asset management was a natural step that's very much in our wheelhouse."

While Energy Worldnet holds a long record of service in the oil and gas industry, EWN Vice President of Enterprise Asset Management Jim Schauer pledges that Tracer is apt for companies in any industry or market segment that relies on tracking assets to adhere to compliance measures. Still, Schauer acknowledges the company's soft spot for its home industry, saying, "From Operators to contractors, to regulators, all have said that we, as an industry, need this. If we can have a field tech scan their equipment and instantly know in real-time if that equipment meets their criteria to proceed with the project, that brings me confidence that we are making the world a safer place to work."

To sign up for Tracer Asset Management or arrange for a personal demonstration, visit ewntracer.com

Energy Worldnet, Inc., headquartered in Decatur, Texas, USA, provides a leading workplace management and information access platform for employee training and certifications, evaluation data, supply chain management, regulatory compliance management and consulting, and enterprise asset management services to industries around the globe.

Technical Content

I wrote the following sample in 2016. This writing is an example of technical course content and the use of SMART goals as learning objectives. During my time as a technical writer at Energy Worldnet, Inc. I wrote over one hundred and twenty technical courses. This content is a small sample of the drafted course and an exam question.

The finished product required my skills in file management, editing, storyboarding, photo editing in Adobe Photoshop, script formatting for English and Spanish voiceover, production into the proprietary LCMS (Learning and Content Management System), and final quality assurance testing.

Pilot-Operated, Pressure-Regulating Device—Inspection, Testing, Preventive and Corrective Maintenance

Purpose

The purpose of this course is to teach the learner verification that the pressure-regulating device is functioning within specified parameters after installation and prior to or during placing in service.

This course also includes the repair or replacement, and alteration or refurbishment of the pressure-regulating device, and actions to keep the pressure-regulating device operating safely and efficiently.

Objectives

Upon successful completion of this course, the learner will be able to:

- Select the information that should be identified through review and verification of records
- Identify the process for performing a test equipment check
- Identify methods for visually inspecting pilot-operated pressure-regulating devices
- Identify the process for conducting a performance test
- Identify steps for performing preventive and corrective maintenance
- Identify the steps for adjusting the setpoint

Regulations

The following Department of Transportation (DOT) Code of Federal Regulations (CFRs) and Occupational Safety & Health Administration (OSHA) regulations apply to this course:

- 49 CFR 192.739 Pressure limiting and regulating stations: Inspection and testing (Section a)
- 49 CFR 192.803 Definitions (Abnormal Operating Condition)

SAMPLE EXAM QUESTION

Which of the following is NOT an advantage of using pilot-operated regulators?

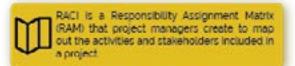
- a) They are more sensitive and accurate
- b) They have a wider setpoint range
- c) They allow increased regulator capacity
- d) They are less expensive

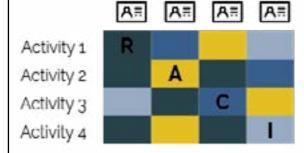
Job Aid Design

Iwrote and designed this job aid in Adobe Illustrator. For this assignment, I used background knowledge from my Project Management Professional Certification and my presentation from a previous speaking event to build the content.

This product demonstrates the use of Adobe CC libraries, as I used my companie's established color schemes. Additionally, I used best practices in line length, alignment, and organization to ensure a visually pleasing and reader-friendly document.

What is RACI and How do I Use it?





How do I build a RACI?

RVCI charts are simple grids that can be created in any word processor or tool for creating tables. When making a RVCI chart, list out your project activities the on the lefthand side of the table and list your stakeholders across the top of the table. Since the RVCI is intended to be updated and refined as you progress, you can start by listing out the big activities and refine as you go. The RVCI is meant to ensure everyone knows their role and everyone is informed, so be inclusive in adding stakeholders whenever possible. When listing stakeholders, it's critical to list responsible, accountable, and consulted stakeholders by name as soon as you know who they will be. This reduces confusion and ensures that every individual knows their unique role.



The R in RACI stands for Responsible. The responsible parties are the stakeholders who have the skills and abilities to complete the work.



The A in RACI stands for Accountable. There is only one accountable person for each activity in a RACI chart. They make sure things are done.



The C in RACI stands for Consulted. The consulted parties are the stakeholders who have the knowledge and expertise to advise on the activity.

The I in RACI stands for Informed. The informed parties are the stakeholders who need to know about or have an interest in the activity.

The RACI chart is a living document that should be referenced and updated throughout the project as roles change and evolve.





Who is a stakeholder?

Stakeholders are people or groups invested in the project. Stakeholders do not have to be internal to the organization. They can be clients, potential clients, subject matter experts, or contractors if they should be responsible, accountable, consulted, or informed about a project or activity, they should be on the RACI chart. Putting all affected parties on the RACI chart ensures that nobody will be left out of or surprised by a project or activity.

Are all stakeholders the same?

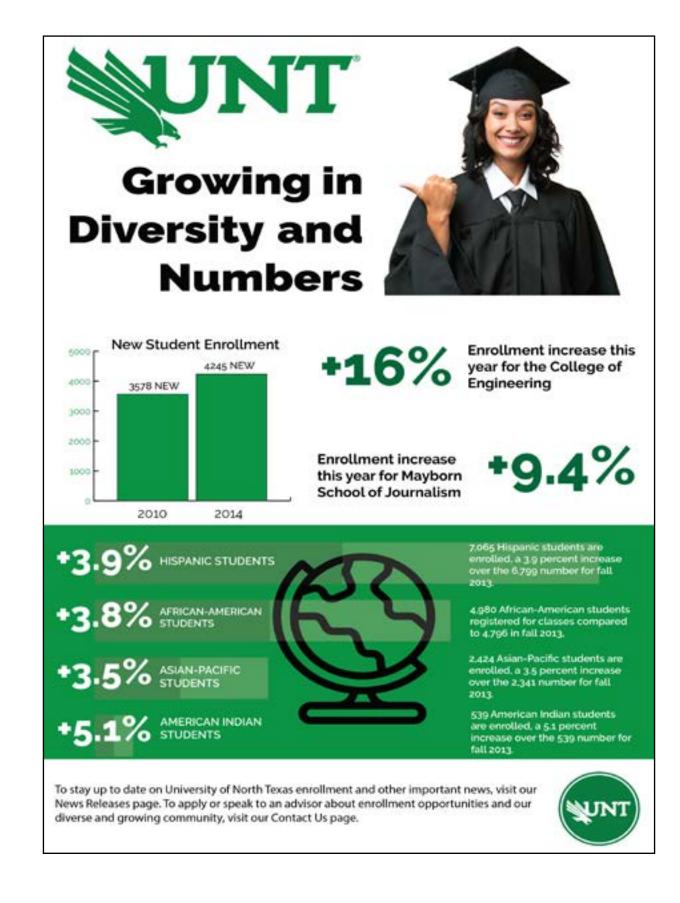
Not all stakeholders are the same. Stakeholders have different interests and responsibilities in the project and should recieve treatment and consideration according to their unique role. For instance, the consulting stakeholder, often a subject matter expert for the activity, should be consulted early and often, but the informed stakeholder may only recieve a single notification that the activity has been completed. The informed stakeholders are usually the biggest group.

Infographic

Illustrator using data reports and a related article.

This sample demonstrates my knowledge of gridding, using appropriate typography, using visual design principles, and creating graphs and charts in Adobe Illustrator.

This product required the use of Adobe Illustrator and the Noun Project icons and demonstrated application of appropriate typefaces, text alignment, consideration for fonts on colored backgrounds, and the use of the color theme tool to ensure the appropriate color scheme.



Postcard Design

I designed this postcard-sized flyer in Adobe Illustrator and Adobe Photoshop.

This sample demonstrates my knowledge of Adobe Photoshop as I removed the background from the goldfish and saved the image with a transparent png to be applied to my Adobe Illustrator flyer. I also used Chat GPT to generate content for the flyer.

For the design elements in this example, I used two typefaces with contrasting style, placed the content on a grid, and used various alignement and leading treatments to create visual interest while maintianing the grid.



Menu Design

Idesigned this menu in Adobe Illustrator. This sample demonstrates my knowledge of gridding, using appropriate typography, and using visual design principles.

This product required the use of Adobe Illustrator. I also used Chat GPT to suggest appropriate menu dimensions (I used tabloid) and generate a list of general menu sections and items. I used some suggestions and left most off.

_Qrmadillo Cafe ___ MENU

Starters

BRUSCHETTA

Fresh tomatoes, basil, garlic, and olive oil on toasted ciabatta bread

\$8.99

SPINACH AND ARTICHOKE DIP

Creamy spinach and artichoke dipserved with tortilla chips \$9.99

CHICKEN SATAY SKEWERS

Grilled chicken skewers marinated in a flavorful blend of spices, served with peanut sauce

\$11.99

ARMADILLO EGGS

Fresh jalepenos filled with cream cheese, seasoned with our secret seasoning blend, and wrapped in bacon before being thrown on the grill

\$7.99

Beverages

CLASSIC MARGARITA

12 oz

\$9.99

SOFT DRINKS AND ICED TEA

Unlimited refills.

\$1.99

ICED CARAMEL MACCHIATO

Espresso, milk, caramel syrup, and ice \$4.99

Main Courses

BACKYARD BURGER

Angus beef, gouda cheese, barbeque sauce, and onion strings on a sesame seed bun with french fries

\$9.99

BABY BACK RIBS

A full rack of ribs with corn, mashed potatoes, and green

\$15.99

GRILLED CHICKEN SALAD

Romaine lettuce, cherry tomatoes, homemade croutons, cheddar cheese, and capers dressed with our famous house dressing (or your choice of Ranch, Italian, or Honey Mustard) \$11.99

GRILLED SALMON

Glazed and grilled salmon with mashed potatoes and broccoli on the side

\$16.99

ARMADILLO GRILLED CHEESE

Cheddar cheese, havarti cheese, and gruyere cheese on fresh sourdough with homemade tomato soup \$10.99

Desserts

BLUEBERRY COBBLER \$5.99

ARMADILLO-STYLE CANNOLI \$4.99



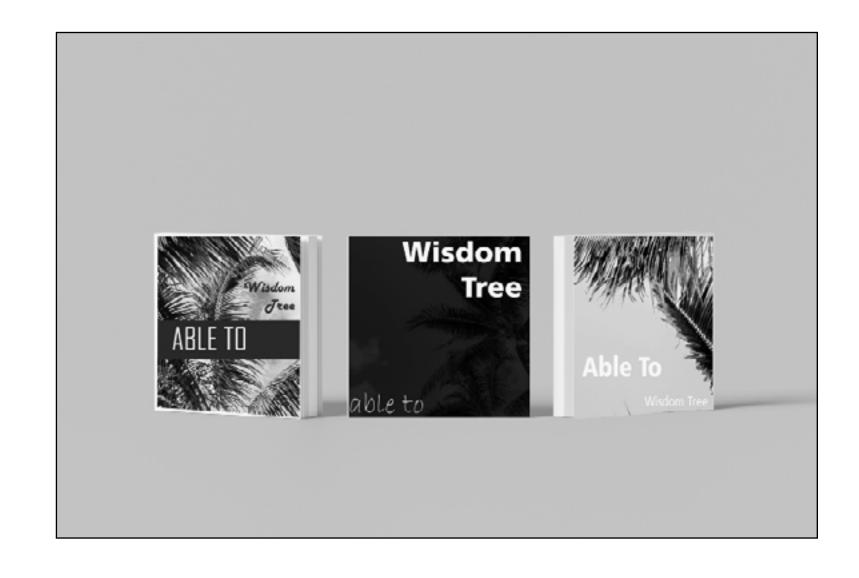
Y'all Enjoy!

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Mockup Design

I designed these album covers in Adobe Illustrator and then used Photoshop to apply them to a mockup template showing a potential finished product.

This sample demonstrates my knowledge of using Illustrator to manipulate images and typography as well as my Photoshop knowledge of mockup capabilities, applying images to templates, and manipulating flat images to fit realistic and skewed mockups.



Invitation Design

Tdesigned this 3" x 5" invitation in Adobe Illustrator.

This sample demonstrates skills in using an appropriate layout and white space, typing along a path, arranging objects in layers, using the paintbrush tool for a watercolor effect, applying appropriate typeface combinations, and using an Adobe.color palette in the cc library.

