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Summary

Nathan Spotts is a creator of arts, concepts, and entrepreneurship. The current start-up in focus is the On-Chain Press project.

Experience

Founder / Concept Developer

The On-Chain Press

Jun 2022 - Present (8 months)

The On-Chain Press Foundation is a next generation newsroom where all contents are certified and recorded permanently into blockchain networks. Reporting contents are peer-reviewed and stored as NFTs which can be leased and distributed to news organizations and publications, functioning as a verifiable proof-of-source certificate of published data in order to prevent fraud and mis- or disinformation.

Lead Facilitator

The Brainstorm Consortium

Mar 2021 - Present (1 year 11 months)

The Brainstorm is a bi-weekly Twitter Space for people to present ideas, community projects, and modern solutions to modern problems. Got some ideas? Come talk about it! Swing through on the 1st & 3rd Thursdays every month at 9pm EST at @we_brainstorm.

Photographic Specialist

Nathan Spotts, Photon Wrangler

2006 - Present (17 years)

Travel to unique vistas, create inspired and inspiring art with photographs. Publishers/clients include NBCUniversal, Sony Pictures Television, DMG Media, CNN Global, Hearst Media, Imagine Publishing, etc.

Photo Illustrator

Ono Kine Artist Collective

Jan 2013 - Mar 2022 (9 years 3 months)

Create visual multimedia for advertising and editorial needs focusing on photography and digital illustration.

Creative Director

Ono Kine Artist Collective

Jan 2013 - Mar 2022 (9 years 3 months)

Interface with clients, recommend and vet creatives, direct campaigns for relevant talents.



Creative Director / Creative Consultant

360 Properties LLC

Sep 2019 - Jan 2022 (2 years 5 months)

Creating gorgeous imagery and providing above-and-beyond service for clients with any commercial photography needs. Responsible for recruiting and standardizing the visual aesthetic of company photographers, managing and troubleshooting startup company in 2019 - 2020.



Photographer

Airbnb

Sep 2018 - Nov 2021 (3 years 3 months)

Meeting hosts to photograph their Airbnb listings and amenities, showcasing the best of their shared spaces.



Lead Photographer

360 Properties LLC

Sep 2019 - Dec 2020 (1 year 4 months)



Senior Photographer

Virtual203

Dec 2015 - Nov 2020 (5 years)

Creating pristine visuals for high-end real estate listings.



Photographer

PlanOmatic

Apr 2014 - Dec 2015 (1 year 9 months)

Capturing imagery of homes and properties for real estate marketing.



Freelance writer and artist

Imagine Publishing

Jun 2012 - Nov 2012 (6 months)

Creating conceptual photomanipulation artworks and writing tutorials to guide the creation of similar works.



Studio Manager

Cole Barash Photo

Jun 2011 - Jun 2012 (1 year 1 month)

Organize prints, negatives, proofs, and portfolios, financial management and invoicing, scanning negatives with multiple scanners, retouching scans, organizing shoots inc. rentals, assistant, flights, etc.



Driver / Partner

Entree Express, LLC

2007 - 2009 (2 years)

Deliver gourmet foods to clients and events, participate in shareholder meetings.

Education



Academy of Art University

Bachelor of Fine Arts, Photography

2009 - 2013

Learned finer aspects of photographic design and practical technique.



Shasta College

Associates of Arts, Social Sciences/English

2005 - 2008

Studied Music, Psychology, Sociology, and English.



Shasta High School

HS Diploma, Liberal Arts and Sciences, General Studies and Humanities

2001 - 2005

Humanities, Music, and Art programs for all 4 years.

Skills

Photography • Image Manipulation • Art Direction • Graphic Design • Art • Digital Photography • Advertising • Image Editing • Commercial Photography • Digital Illustration