

# D. DWIGHT ROGERS

## Graphic Designer

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## EXPERIENCE

### Director of Strategic Productions

5/2016 - Present

#### Deaf Pathway Global

Brentwood, TN

- Design, produce, and brand formats for Bible App, Translation App, and Website
- Produce and manage development of graphics for all aspects of DPG's operation including: DPG translation processes, develop Deaf Theological Center materials and promotional materials
- Develop annual report and marketing materials
- Conduct ASL Bible Translation and storytelling
- Collaborate with Director of Strategy Relations and initiate design and development of social media postings
- Manage Database (Airtable Platform) - record storage files, and support centralized database development
- Lead Operations and technical problem-solving challenges with colleagues

### Local Church Planter - Honorary

1/2023 - Present

#### Columbia Deaf Church

Columbia, TN

- Storyteller / Bible instruction weekly, mentor church members
- Oversee sacraments (Baptism, Communion)
- Lead Church in monthly outreach activities
- Oversee church tithes and funds
- Track and report church mission impact

### International Church Planter

11/2009 - 03/2016

#### International Mission Board - Deaf Affinity

East Asia, South Asia

- Church Planter: Evangelism for Deaf People
- Strategy Leader / Logistics Coordinator for Delhi / Mumbai Teams
- Coach: Sign Roots Training
- Coordinator: Volunteer Teams, Deaf World Shake (Students) - 2012 to 2016
- On-Site support for StoryOne Camp

### Trainer / Support Team

02/1997 - 01/2010

#### Walmart Distribution Center

Laurens, SC

- Trainer for new employees working on unloading, encoding and reporting
- Unload cases and verify order quota
- Record inventory
- Improve data processing speed by streamlining computer data entry and managing sorter efficiency

### Creative Marketing

05/2004 - 01/2009

#### Temple Baptist Church

Simpsonville, SC

- Marketing: design logos, billboards, bulletins, newsletter, banners, and various media to promote outreach / church growth
- Coordinate lights and multimedia for weekly church services
- Stagecraft: behind-the-scenes work creating stage environment, lighting, sound and scenery for programs, events, and live productions
- Increase worship engagement by designing weekly media for congregation services

### Youth Service Worker I

05/1995 - 01/1997

#### Tennessee School for the Deaf

Knoxville, TN

- Responsible for planning IEP curriculum and goals
- Leadership responsibility in field trips and learning activities
- Communicate positive and negative concerns to parents of students
- Foster students' independence by tutoring / teaching essential living skills

## SUMMARY

I am a reliable, ambitious, team player who is passionate about using multimedia platforms to convey concepts visually and accurately within Deaf and Hearing communities. My background includes extensive experience in project management, design, and production. I bring expertise in sign language translation and resource development, with a focus on innovative strategies to reach various people groups. My work in evangelism has strengthened my understanding of cultural differences, and I am committed to fostering belonging and building meaningful connections that align with mission-driven goals.

## KEY ACHIEVEMENTS

### Effective Project Management

Successfully manage 20+ multimedia projects annually.

### Resource Optimization

Increase production efficiency through innovation resource strategies at Deaf Pathway Global.

### Impactful Design Initiatives

Implement graphic designs, icons, and resources for global translation, and church plants.

## SOFTWARE PROFICIENCIES

Adobe Creative Suite • Canva •  
Apple's iWork suite • Office 365 •  
Airtable • Clickup • VS Code

## CERTIFICATION

Deaf Theological Center  
StoryOne Camp - Level 4 of 5

## EDUCATION

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### SEMINARY

2014

#### Deaf Theological Center

Brentwood, TN

- Deaf Theological Center (Accredited by Union University)
- Seminary Certificate - 15 credits

### Associate of Arts Degree - Graphic Design

2002

#### Greenville Technical College

Greenville, SC

- Dean's List (1999 - 2002)
- Walmart Scholarship

### Associate of Science Degree - Electrical and Electronic Engineering

1994

#### Northeast State Community College

Blountville, TN

- Dean's List (1991 - 2004)
- Student Representative: Recruit Deaf high school students

## EXTENDED TRAINING

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Currently Enrolled: Full Stack Engineering (codecademy.com)

## INTERESTS

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Missions, Biblical History, Cultural Learning



Travel, Hiking, Geocaching

## LANGUAGES

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American Sign Language

Native



Indian Sign Language

Proficient



Chinese Sign Language

Advanced



English

