

Erik Johnson

ILLUSTRATOR

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May 2015-Present. Caricature Illustrator. Kaman's Art Shoppes. Drawing clients, humorously exaggerating their complimentary facial features.

June 2010-Present. Freelance Illustrator. Develop concepts from rough drafts to final artwork in various mediums, working with clients to meet their objectives.

- February 2014. Nickelodeon Studios. Illustrated a series of squirrels as part of a T-Shirt tie in for *The SpongeBob Movie: Sponge Out of Water*.
- June 2012. Clear River Advertising and Marketing. Produced a series of graphic icons used by MidMichigan Health to help categorize components of their organization for, improving the understanding of the scope of services.
- August 2011. Salvation Army. Created line art illustrations for the Grand Rapids, Michigan Salvation Army's website, Angel Tree Project section, to simply communicate the process and encourage participation in their annual holiday toy drive.
- June 2010-December 2011. Sleep Care. Developed humorous illustrations for their website designed to both educate readers on clinical sleep conditions as well as entertain. Thus increasing reader interest and aid in understanding of complex medical issues.

Education

Columbus College of Art and Design, Columbus, Ohio
Bachelor's Degree in Fine Arts, May 2010

- Major in Illustration
- Minor in Art History
- Dean's List 2008
- President's List 2009, 2010
- Presidential Scholarship

Special Skills

- Eidetic drawing abilities with pencil and ink, particularly with faces and figures.
- Knowledge of narrative tropes and visual storytelling.
- Adept in Adobe Photoshop and Illustrator.