

JESSICA HOLT

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EXPERIENCE

FEBRUARY 2024-
PRESENT

Studio Seminara, Assistant Patternmaker - Brooklyn, NY
Assemble drapes, complete pattern corrections, and draft patterns for various clients and companies.

NOVEMBER 2022-
NOVEMBER 2023

LAPOINTE, Product Development Assistant - New York, NY
Developed over 600+ samples. Assembled proto & sample cut tickets and passed off to factories, ensured timely delivery of all tech packs, raw materials, trims, etc to factories for development timelines, assisted in placing trim orders, kept inventory of fabric & trims, communicated and coordinated with overseas factories, tracked spending to stay in budget, attended fittings and took detailed notes for technical designer and patternmakers' reference. Managed the development of PR duplicates.

AUGUST 2022-
SEPTEMBER 2022

Agboby (Formally Black Boy Knits), Design & Development Coordinator- Brooklyn, NY
Assisted with the design and development of current and new styles, coordinated with factories and vendors, developed patterns, constructed final samples, designed embellishment patterns and embellished garments.

FEBRUARY 2021-
JUNE 2022

Christopher John Rogers LLC, Design and Development Coordinator- New York, NY
Assisted design and product development team through communication with domestic fabric and trim vendors, sourced domestic fabrics and trims, domestic sample houses, helped manage development timelines, fabric and trim inventory, recorded and maintained product specifications through development, provided guidance to production team on adopted styles, developed embroidery for both domestic embellishment vendors and overseas.

AUGUST 2021-
JUNE 2022

LC Apparel Consulting, Design Development Coordinator & Production Assistant- Brooklyn, NY
Coordinated the planning, design, and development of sample requirements to establish product and/or customer specifications, draft bill of materials, source fabric/textiles for 80+ projects.
Worked with Production Coordinator on budget analysis and preparation for client's production, Managed production activities to meet manufacturing objectives.

MARCH 2021-
AUG 2021

La Réunion, Design and Production Assistant - Brooklyn, NY
Constructed products for retailers, assisted with the design & development of new and current styles, assisted with production tasks (Quality control, packaging, shipping, etc.)

SUMMER 2018

Global Brands Group Women's Apparel- Women's Knitwear Design Intern- Manhattan, NY
Assisted with design and development, created technical flats, conducted market research, managed and cataloged inventory using PLM. Designed a product, developed a comprehensive product pitch, & placed 2nd

SPECIAL PROJECTS

JUNE 2022

Hanifa SS22 Lookbook Photoshoot/Filming

Assist with dressing models, steaming garments, and on set alterations

SEPTEMBER 2021

VMA's Lil Nas X Wardrobe Assistant, New York, NY

Embellished shorts for Lil Nas X and his dancers to wear in a performance for the VMA's.

JAN 2020-
PRESENT

Freelance Work

Work with various clients to develop concepts, designs, logos, and/or garments for their brands.

EDUCATION

FALL 2015-
SPRING 2019

Bachelor of Fine Arts in Fashion Design

Virginia Commonwealth University, Cum Laude

SRISA Study Abroad Fashion Program

Fashion Forecasting & Italian Fashion History

Attended Pitti Filati Men's and Women's Knitwear Trade Fair

SKILLS

- Advanced Draping
- Pattern making
- Construction
- Tailoring
- Embroidery
- Embellishment
- Fashion Illustrations
- CLO3D
- Tech Packs/ Technical Flats
- Print Design
- Garment Fittings
- Market Research
- Trend Forecasting
- Dropbox
- Google Drive
- Adobe Suite (Photoshop, Illustrator, InDesign)
- Product Lifetime Management Software (PLM)
- Microsoft Office
- Zoom