### creative & art direction

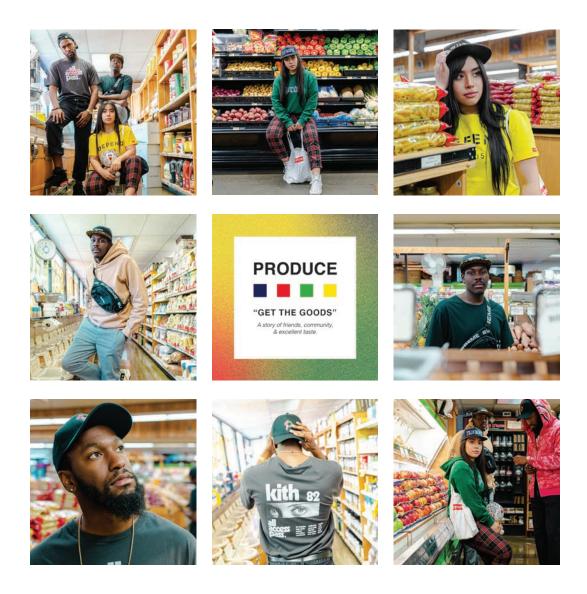
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For the past 5 years, Dylan Santos Green has been working with brands to develop compelling campaigns and brand assets. Dylan's experience in business ownership and startup gives him a unique perspective that empathizes with client needs and expectations, enabling him to communicate using both hemispheres of his brain (creative/logic). Creative direction, photography, set design, experiential event coordination, and graphic design are Dylan's core competencies, and he has applied them across a wide spectrum of products and industries.



# **CAMPAIGN DESIGN - Produce Portland**





**DIGITAL ASSETS & STRATEGY -** Styling and images arranged for extended social media and web use.

# **PROJECT GOAL**

Tell a story through print and digital assets that reflect Produce as a brand, consigner of top-shelf streetwear labels, and hub for community and events.





PRINT ASSETS 24 page look book/zine 2-sided poster



BRAND & SPATIAL DESIGN - Heliotrope Hotel

Orange: Brand "pop" color. Represents the sun (helios)

# HELIOTROPE PNW MODERN LODGING-

Geographic reference + the "what"

Font: Futura Book. Clean, modern, simple







Social Media

The Heliotrope's social media was intended to be a "Bellingham Locals" moodboard. Where th eat, drink, and explore. In addition to producing and managing the creative, I also managed partnerships with local businesses to provide special promotions via our social channels.

#### Interior & Exterior Design

Bring the outside "in" – this was our design principle throughout the project. We found ways to integrate the brand color (orange) in subtle, yet bold ways, along with natural elements (ie: hand-hewn yew tree coat hangers).







Brand Merch



BRAND & SPATIAL DESIGN - I had a unique role in this project. I was a part-owner of the hotel and in charge of concepting the brand, interiors, exteriors, guest experience, events, and marketing. For 18 months I ran these operations and expressed our brand story through the physical space of the hotel. I designed merchandise and print materials strategized to send our brand home with our guests – this included maps of the locale, a locally-made necklace, hats, shirts, bags, and other various print materials.

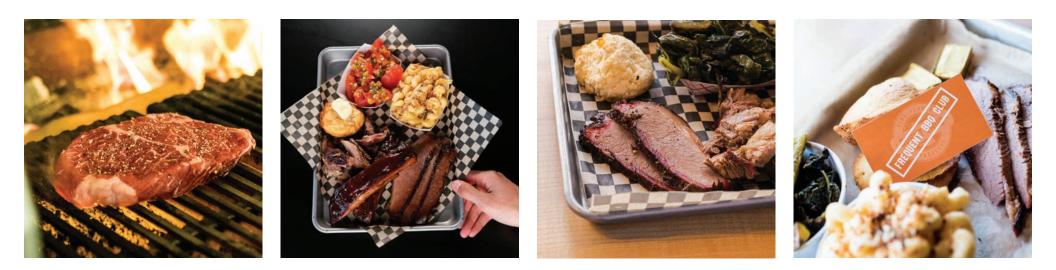
I sold my shares in March of 2019 to pursue new opportunities. The hotel continues to operate as the gateway to the beautiful city of Bellingham.



### BRAND & SPATIAL DESIGN - Burnt Ends

**BRAND & SPATIAL DESIGN -** There's nothing like starting a barbecue restaurant with your high school buddy when you're 25. My role was bringing the culture of Texas-style barbecue to Lynden, Washington. My role included designing a space and front-of-house that embodied this culture, and designing a brand and brand assets that reflected this as well. I managed all marketing, design, and menu development for the first year of operations.

Burnt Ends successfully provides the best barbecue in the Pacific Northwest to its patrons to this day.





**EXPERIENTIAL EVENTS & POP UPS -** For 2 years I worked with the Downtown Bellingham Partnership developing and executing experiential events and pop-ups. I designed and coordinated over 50 events, including a creative morning series (Morning Jam), an entrepreneur's pop-up program (Hatch), a summer series street festival (Downtown Sounds), and a vendor-driven market series (Commercial Street Night Market).

These experiences influenced my vision for bringing visual concepts into a tangible space. I transformed streets into festivals, vacant spaces into interactive retail spaces, and theaters into engaging presentation spaces.

The Downtown Bellingham Partnership continues to champion the needs of the downtown community – however, Hatch and Morning Jam were unable to continue without my presence.



### **Professional Summary**

Over the years I have found many containers for my creativity. I've built brands from the ground up, taken existing brands to new heights, and created experiences that have left a lasting impact. Leadership, communications, reporting, and intimidating boards have never been a barrier – I've approached the mechanics of a project and the creative side with equal vigor.

I believe in creating an *energetic, inclusive, and competitive space* when working on a project. It's critical to hold myself and my team to *high esteem and expect great things* from one another.

I believe in *listening*. The client is an obvious example of this, but the creative body producing the work must be listened to as well. The work itself must be listened to – I've found that *taking a step back and looking at a project upside down* can inform the process in many critical ways.

I believe that there is a spectrum of great design, and *every project has the potential to reach grandeur*. The goal of every project should be to push the dial as far as possible in this direction.

I believe in always learning. I spent 7 years in college, but have learned some of my most important technical and life lessons within high-pressure three-month projects. Having an *open mind, pursuing new information, and seeking influence* provides a new perspective and the ability to create.

*Humility and empathy* have been leading principles that I have always embraced. To balance these, I employ *confidence and leadership* in the work that I do and the manner in which I communicate.

I'm incredibly excited to continue my creative journey in the City of Portland. The mixture of energy, creativity, and community seems to be a melting pot ideal for those who envision wild things and have the gumption to make them real. I look forward to the opportunities I will pursue to work with those paving the way and anticipate impressive outcomes.

More of my work can be found at dylansgreen.com. Contact me at **dylansantosgreen@gmail.com** or **+1(360)201-3331** to request a digital version of my resume and to schedule an in-person conversation. I'm ecstatic to meet you and your team.

To an inspired and inspiring future, Dylan Santos Green

