

# WALKER PERRY

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## OBJECTIVE

Pursue luxury fashion internships to expand knowledge and create career opportunities in the luxury industry.

## EDUCATION

**Master of Professional Studies: Fashion Management** August 2025 (Projected)  
*Parsons School of Design, The New School* New York, NY

**Bachelor of Science: Fashion and Textile Management** May 2023  
**Art & Design Minor**

**Concentration: Fashion Development and Product Management** GPA: 3.7  
*Wilson College of Textiles, NC State University* Raleigh, NC

*Relevant Courses: Fashion and the Consumer; Marketing Fundamentals in Textiles and Apparel; Retailing and Supply Chain Management in Textiles; Fashion Product Development; Systems and Strategies; Technology and Innovation*

*Honors: Dean's List, Magna Cum Laude*

## RELATED EXPERIENCE

**Fashion Design Certificate Student** January 2024 - Present  
The New School Charlotte, NC

- Conceptualized and created my own fashion flats, illustrations, and garments
- Expanded my knowledge on color theory and fashion history
- Developed and communicated clear stories through fashion styling

**Visual Sales Supervisor, Sales Associate** September 2023 - Present  
Tory Burch Charlotte, NC

- Create weekly and monthly product performance reports and streamline reporting communications with corporate, conveying the store's success and addressing areas of opportunities
- Analyze product sales performance and leverage data in merchandising and selling strategies
- Utilize CRM insights to effectively engage with clients and enhance client experience
- Maintain an organized stockroom and manage product shipment between clients, stores, and distribution center

**Keyholder, Sales Associate** Aug 2020 - December 2022  
Michael Kors Raleigh, NC

- Oversaw and managed team by delegating tasks and ensuring each member is meeting the expectations of the company
- Coached and guided new employees to understand the values, objectives, and strategies of the company

## TECHNICAL SKILLS

- Proficient in Adobe Suite (Photoshop, Illustrator, and After Effects), Microsoft Suite (Word, Powerpoint, Excel)

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### LEADERSHIP EXPERIENCE

#### Designer at Charlotte Fashion Week

**September 2023**

Charlotte Seen: Charlotte Fashion Week

Charlotte, NC

- Expanded on my five piece senior collection by adding six more looks, constructing and patterning all additional looks independently
- Fitted and tailored each additional looks to assigned models chosen from model casting
- Recruited backstage helpers, hair stylists, and make up artists

#### Fashion Dresser

**February 2023**

The Lab NYFW

New York City, NY

- Worked with multiple emerging designers daily by assisting them backstage and ensuring the show meets or exceeds designers' expectations
- Coordinated outfits and prepared models for runway

#### Member of Event Team

**August 2019 - May 2020**

Sullivan Hall Student Council

Raleigh, NC

- Coordinated, budgeted, and scheduled multiple student events
- Collaborated and planned events and meeting with other council members
- Calculated and purchased necessary supplies for each event and meeting