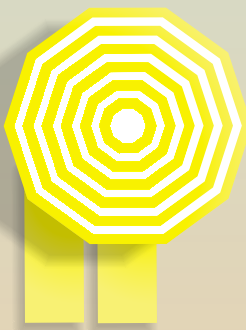




2025 Print Excellence Competition

Awards Annual





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Congratulations to the 2025 Print Excellence Competition Participants!



The **PIAG Print Excellence Competition** recognizes and rewards printing, finishing, and design companies who combine fine craftsmanship, creativity, and cutting-edge technology in order to produce outstanding finished products. The awards program is owned and managed by the Printing & Imaging Association of Georgia (PIAG). The award-winning companies are honored at the 2025 imPRESS Celebration of Print. Their work can be found in this year's Awards Annual and online at www.piag.org.

Judging

A total of 105 entries were submitted across the awards program from ten print companies and four graphic arts schools from around the state. The criteria for judging are registration, neatness and clarity, sharpness of halftones and line drawings, richness and tonal qualities of color, paper and ink selection, ink coverage, difficulty of printing, effective contrast or softness, overall visual impact, creativity and innovation, and finishing techniques.

Divisions

The 2025 competition was judged by company size according to the following divisions:

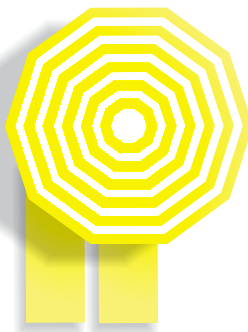
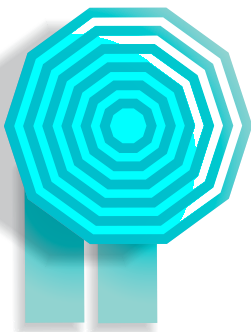
Division 1: 1 - 9 employees

Division 2: 10 - 25 employees

Division 3: 26 - 50 employees

Division 4: 51 + employees

Division 5: Schools



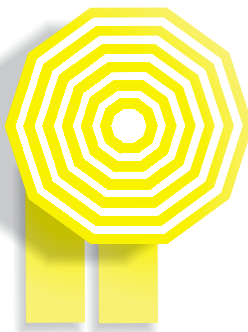
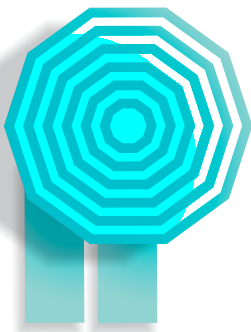
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Peake DeLancey, LLC
Charlotte, NC

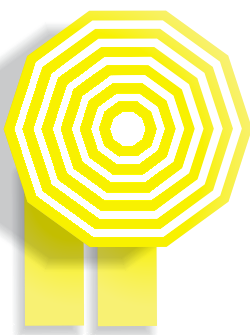
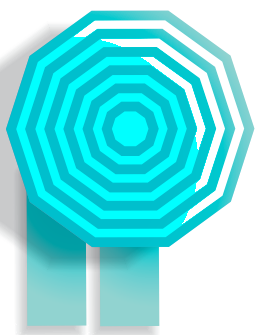
Jeff Stoudt

Retired
Printing Industry of
the Carolinas
Charlotte, NC



Best of Show

Across the Print Excellence Competition, the judges select one entry from the Best of Division winners to be the Best of Show recipient. This piece is judged as the most outstanding and is honored by receiving the most prestigious award within the competition.



Best of Show

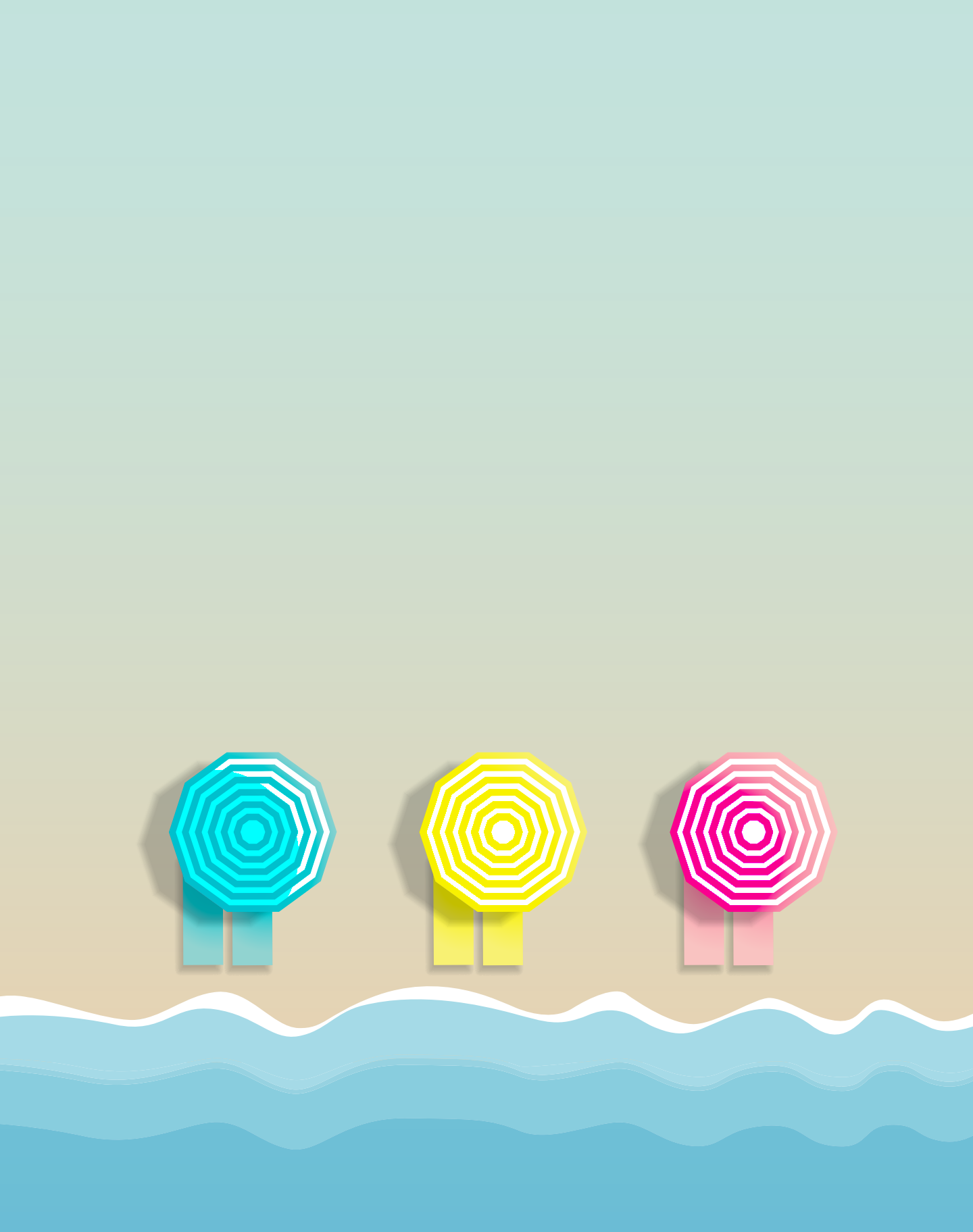


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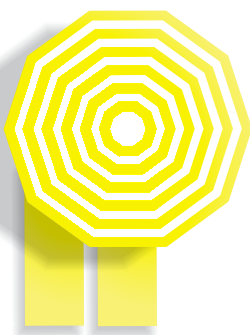
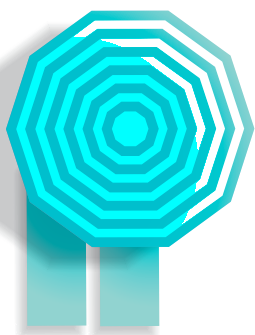
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"2024 Shutze Award Booklet"
Division 4

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Best of Division

During the judging of the Print Excellence Competition, one entry from each division (1-5) is singled out as the Best of Division piece. There are no limitations, other than the piece be the finest and most skillfully produced within its division. Judges rely on one piece to stand out from the pack - and one always does.





Best of Division

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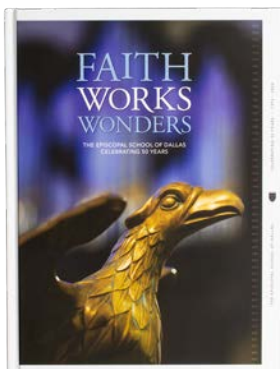
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Gabrielle Lance, Samantha Romano, Caitlyn Suarez
Pope High School
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Sandy Creek High School



Sandy Creek High School

Best of Division



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 Lindenmeyr Munroe

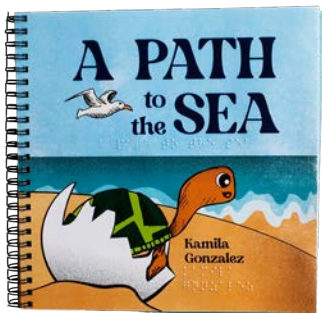


Shayla Sanchez
Georgia Southern University
"Shayla Sanchez A Year Of Cards"



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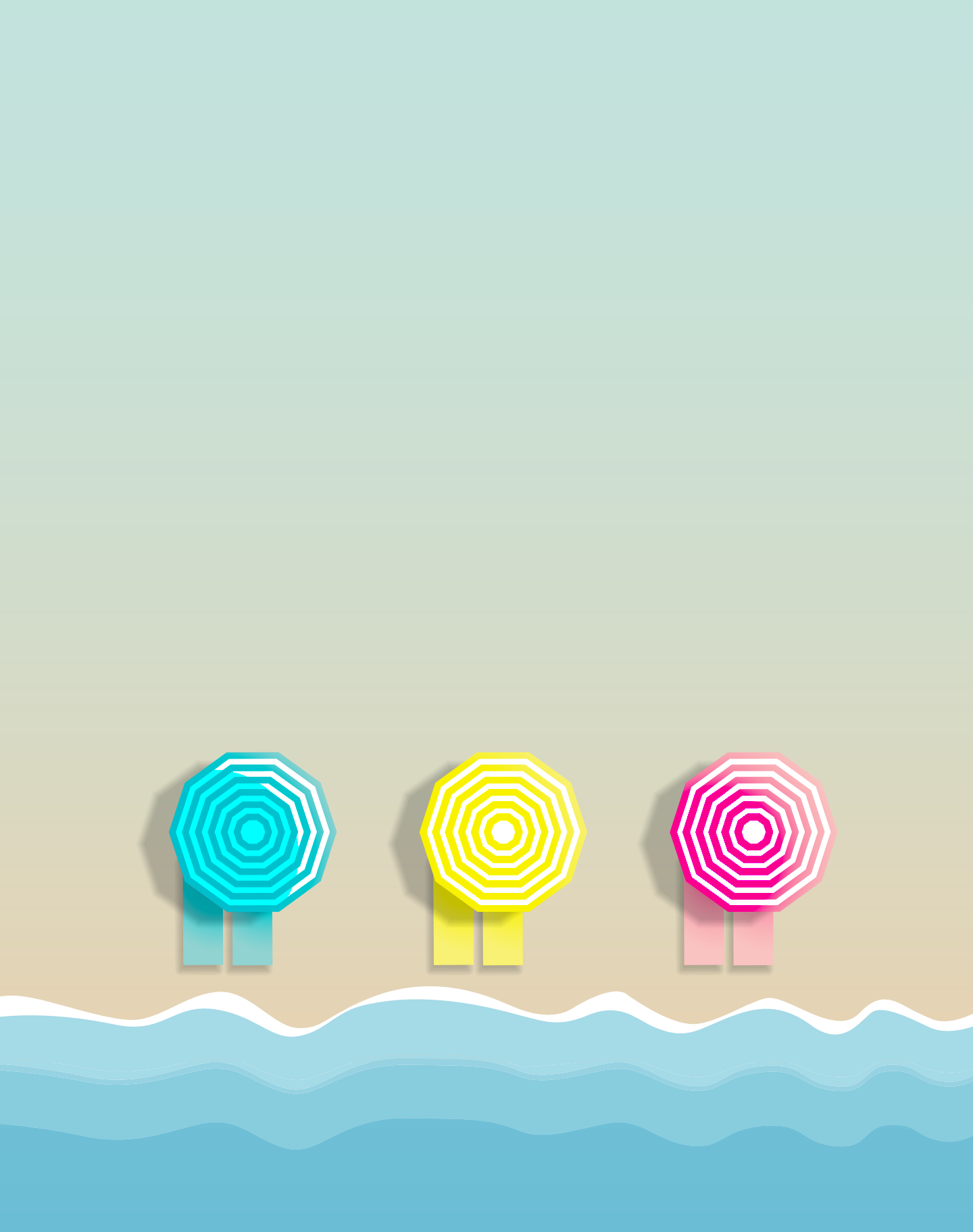
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Kamila Gonzalez, GSU

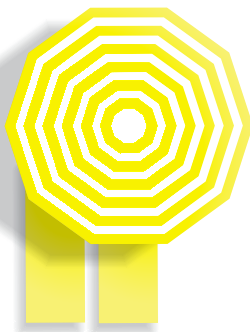
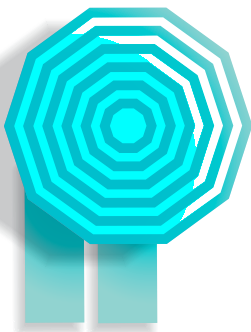


Abby Paver, KSU



Top Gold

Print is capable of taking on countless forms and undergoing numerous processes in order to communicate its intended message. The Print Excellence Competition has defined the following categories to select the very best examples of results, innovation, creativity, and execution achieved through print.





Best Invitation/ Program

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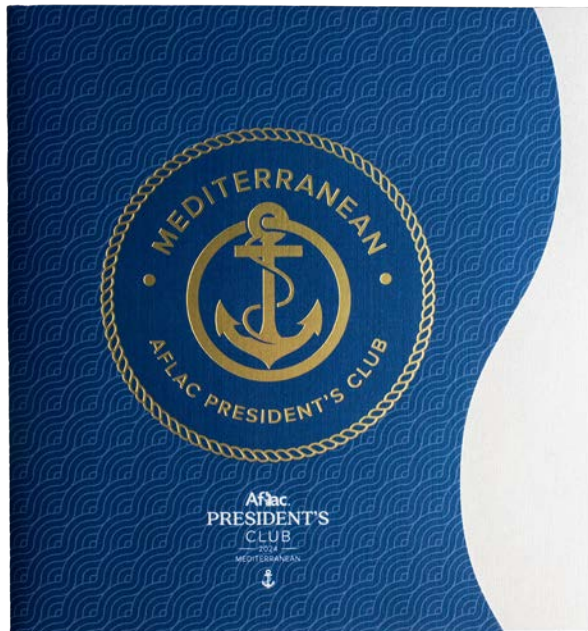
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Most Creative Use of Substrate



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"Aflac President's Club Brochure"
Division 4



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Best Design

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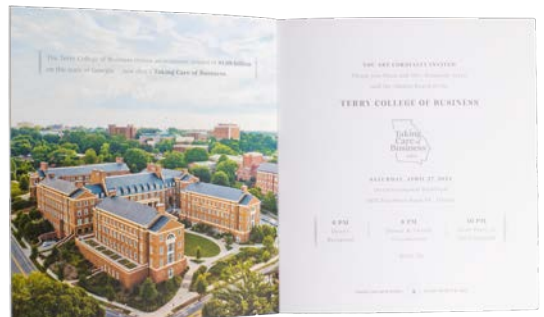


Scott Lithographing
"Lens Display Case"
Division 3

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Best Annual Report



Award Presented By:



Perfect Image
"AUDACIOUS"
Division 2



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Best Calendar

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"Aflac Kansas Northeast Market
Office Desk Calendar"
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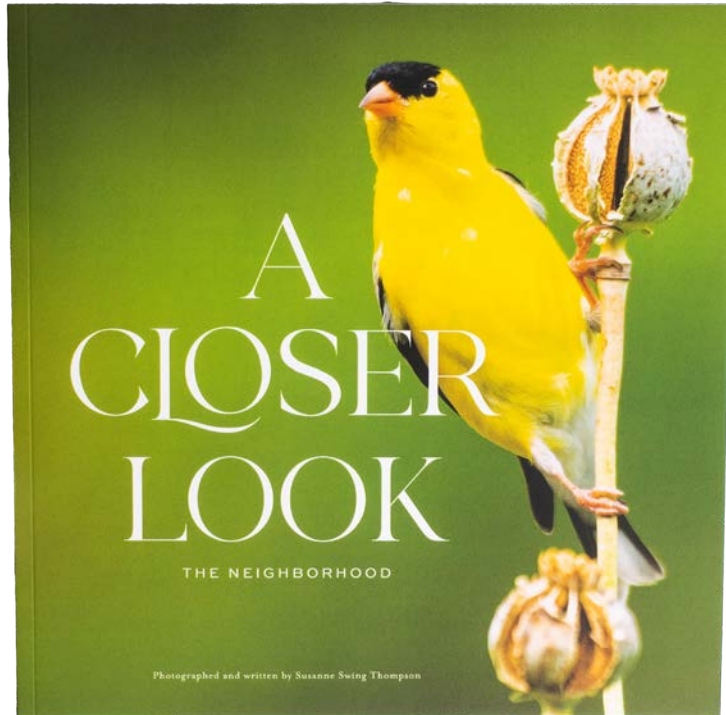
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Best Book



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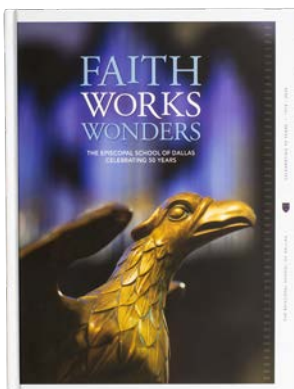
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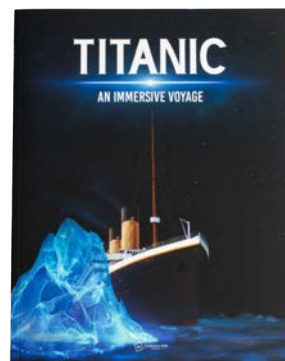
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"Wren A Closer Look Booklet"
Division 4

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Best Finishing

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"Forest Drapery Hardware Clutchcase"
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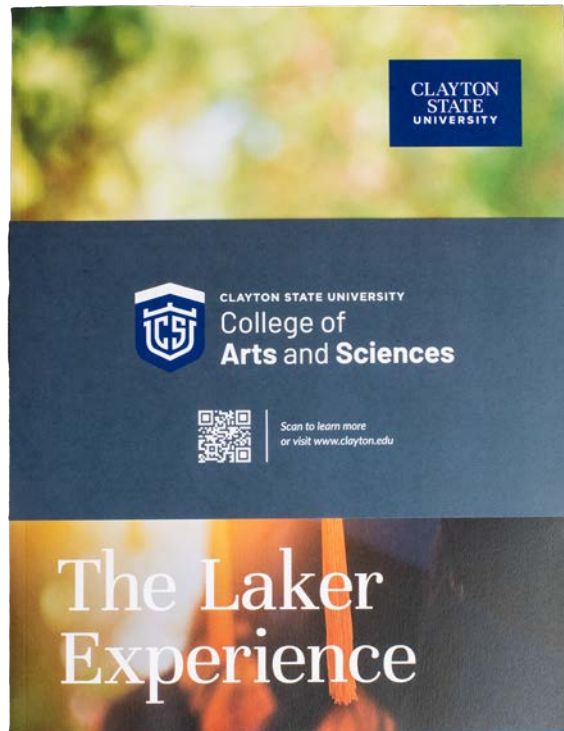


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Best Catalog



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Sull Graphics
"Clayton State University"
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Best Use of Color

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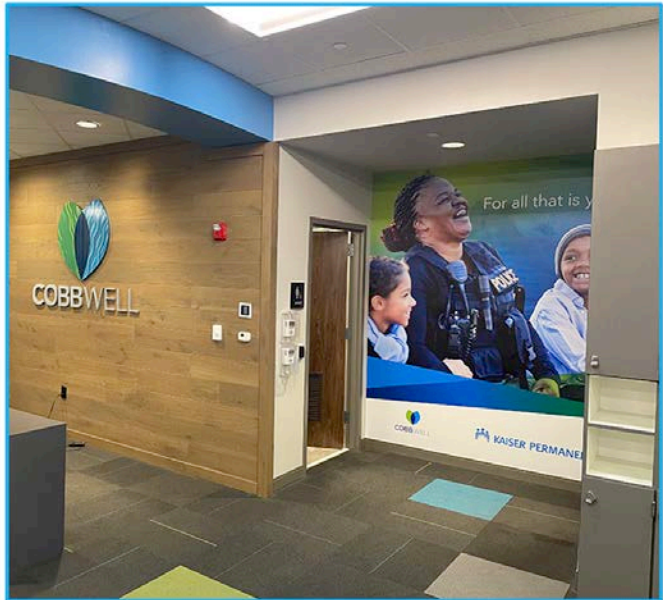
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Best Wide Format

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Presentech
"Kaiser Permanente Pediatrics"
Division 2



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CASE  **PAPER**



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Perfect Image



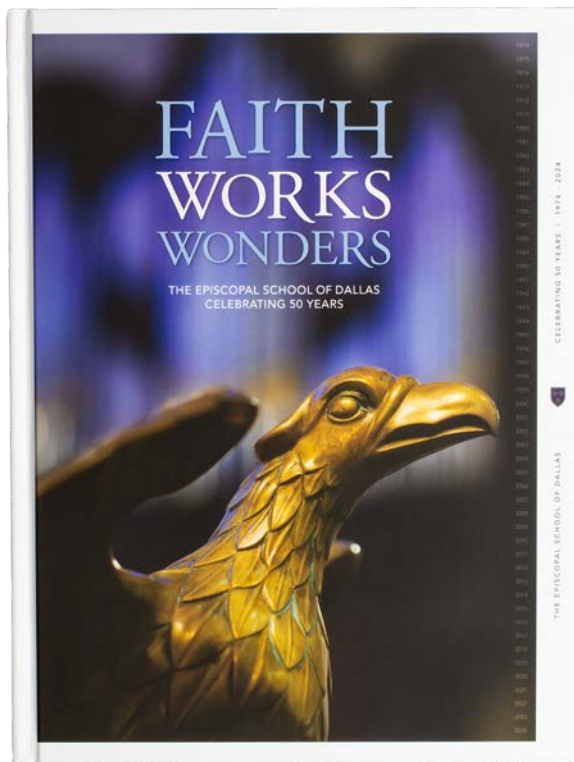
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Judge's Choice



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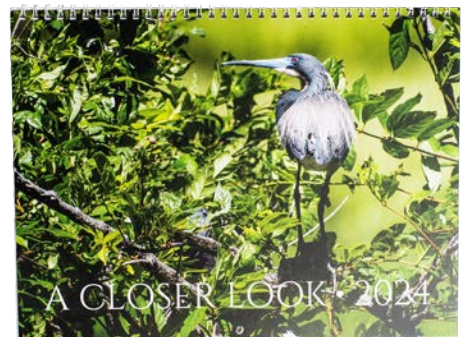
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"Episcopal School of Dallas
Faith Works Wonders"
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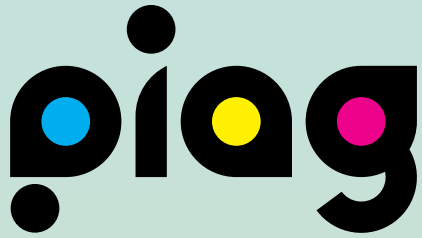


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