# YOUR STORY MADE UNFORGETTABLE

### **EXHIBIT CONCEPTS OUR CAPABILITIES**

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#### **Exhibit Concepts**

Exhibit Concepts, Inc. is an award-winning event marketing partner that designs, produces and manages experiential environments.

Our team at Exhibit Concepts has been making stories unforgettable since 1978. Our creative, passionate team is dedicated to providing excellent customer experiences and technology solutions for trade show exhibits, corporate events, interior environments, museums, mobile vehicle tours, and experiential engagements.

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### ABOUTUS

Established 1978 — Second Generation Owned **Certified Womens Business Enterprise** Corporate Headquarters in Dayton, Ohio | Chicago 200K+ Square Feet of Production & Warehousing 1,895+ Projects Annually 140+ Employees

#### **AWARDS & CERTIFICATIONS**



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# OUR CONNECTIONS









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## TEAMWORK

From design to project management, our commitment to teamwork employs an integrated and collaborative approach to experiential branding and audience engagement.

Honesty and integrity are the core values inherent to the way we do business.

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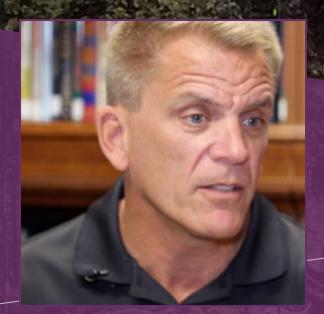


### WHERE WE'VE BEEN

We support our clients wherever the need may be - across the U.S. and around the world, with convenient locations in Dayton and Chicago. Whether your program consists of one major event or you manage a global brand exhibiting in multiple international geographies and cities, Exhibit Concepts has the experience and resources to deliver results.

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**RICK KAISER** Chief Operating Officer Navy SEAL Museum

Exhibit Concepts was able to come in and be a part of our team and that is the biggest compliment that I can give anybody or any group of people.

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**RONNIE GIBSON** VP of Brand Experience

They brought creativity, they brought structure and they delivered on time and on budget something that was truly beautiful and exactly as we hoped.

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**KRISTI COBB** Executive Director of **Elementary Education** Mansfield ISD

I feel like we've built a lifelong relationship with Exhibit Concepts. The biggest blessing is the professionalism and attention to detail. We've given Exhibit Concepts an overall idea of what our vision is and they have made that vision a reality.

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#### LUCY ALLEN Former Museum Division Director

Mississippi Civil Rights Museum

They listen to you. When there's a problem, we solve it together. When we make changes or we decide at the last minute that we needed to go in a different direction, it was always the positive attitude that ECI had.

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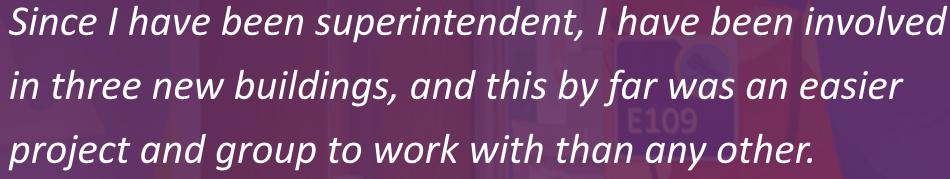
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**ANN LINSON** Former Superintendent of East Noble School



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**RORIE CARTIER** Former Museum Director

National Museum of Pacific War

Walking into those galleries, seeing what's been accomplished between the two parties—the museum and Exhibit Concepts—I mean, it's just, I don't know, it's almost beyond words.

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#### **KIRSTEN TASHEV** VP of Collections & Exhibitions Computer History Museum

We've worked with a variety of different fabricators and there's nobody like them in terms of the quality of their work, the attention to detail.

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**SHERRY YOAKUM Executive Director** Red River Valley Museum

I've told a thousand people, you cannot imagine what it's like to watch this team. They take our ideas and our vision and they bring it to life; but not only do they bring it to life, they make it more amazing than I could ever have imagined.

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### EXHIBIT CONCEPTS 5D METHODOLOGY

Our proven methodology results in solutions that exceed client expectations, achieve better results, meet budget requirements and reduce error and rework. We incorporate dedicated project management resources and automation tools to stay on track, keep our clients informed and coordinate numerous interdependencies in order to produce the most compelling and memorable physical embodiment of a brand.



**DISCOVER** Discovery, Strategy, **Conceptual Planning** 

#### DESIGN

Theme, Visitor Journey, Design, Engagement

**DEVELOP** Prototype, Modeling, Sourcing, Fabrication

#### **DELIVER**

Transportation, Install/Dismantle, Warehousing, Event Management

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#### DEBRIEF

Analysis, Results, Evaluation, Impact, Improvement



# OUR DIFFERENTIATORS



VISITOR JOURNEY

**MESSAGE-DRIVEN STORYTELLING** 

HOLISTIC **APPROACH** 

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#### Commitment to partner success

#### PARTNER **SUCCESS**



#### VISITOR JOURNEY

Obsession with the visitor journey

We don't just say we're attendee-focused; we have experience, insights and design "chops" to back it up.

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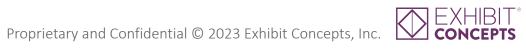
#### **MESSAGE-DRIVEN STORYTELLING**

Experts in message-driven storytelling

Our proven methodology of designing and constructing compelling environments moves your audience to take action.

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#### HOLISTIC APPROACH



We develop project strategies that create continuity, uncover efficiencies and optimize returns that exceed your expectations.

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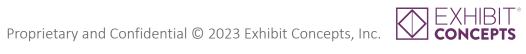
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### PRODUCTION FACILITIES

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# FABRICATION INSTALLATION SERVICES



Award-winning Fabrication / 232,000 ft<sup>2</sup>

- Material Sourcing
- Prototypes, Models, & Proof of Concept
- Value Engineering
- **Technology Integration & Testing**
- Packing & Transportation
- On-Site Installation & Supervision
- Testing, Commissioning, & Training

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# SERVICES CAPABILITIES



Our company is full of creative and passionate people dedicated to providing unique solutions and excellent customer experiences for:

- trade show exhibits
- corporate events
- interior environments
- museums
- experiential education spaces
- mobile vehicle tours
- experiences and engagements
- virtual solutions

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# CUSTOM EXHIBIT ASSETS

Exhibit Concepts has a proven track record of producing and installing top-quality custom exhibit components. Our team brings together some of the best in the business when it comes to award-winning, fabrication. Whether we're working from our own designs or working with a design partner, we're experts at bringing your creative vision to life.

In-house fabrication means we work directly with the design team to ensure valueadded functionality and superior aesthetics to the exhibit as it is being fabricated. We build prototypes, models, and source materials to ensure fabrication goes smoothly, and that what you see in the design phase is what you really get in fabrication.

We also take a critical eye to every opportunity for value engineering, aligning your objectives with your designs and suggesting materials and methods that achieve your goal with the most cost-effective solutions.

- Industry-leading fabrication tools & techniques
- Master carpentry & architectural elements
- Composite fabrication

- Value engineering & cost savings
- Structural systems
- Fabric structures
- Finishing & detailing



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# AVSOURCING



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• Extensive AV & technology experience globally

• Specialty partners for unique AV applications

Integrators perform system builds,

• In-shop equipment mounting, hardware

• Electricians & technicians for control systems,



### GRAPHICS PRINTING



Our graphics technicians specialize in producing quality high-impact graphics to the client's specifications. Our in-house capabilities include digital print output, mounting, laminating and installation. Our digital imaging programs enable us to adjust or enhance client-supplied digital art. Final images can be produced using our digital printers on a wide range of materials including film, paper, canvas and vinyl, as well as direct printing on various substrates. Handling this service in-house means jobs are completed accurately, on time and with cost savings to clients.

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# DESIGN DISCOVERY



**MINI WORKSHOP:** strategy and design direction

**MISSION & VISION:** ties experience to purpose

**GOALS & OBJECTIVES:** 

ties experience to results

#### **TARGET AUDIENCE:**

speaking their language and meeting their needs

#### **STORYTELLING:**

messages that inspire your audience to think, feel, act

#### **PROJECT TACTICS:**

roadmap to transform Design **Discovery into Design Solutions** 



# DESIGN SOLUTIONS

#### **SCHEMATIC DESIGN:**

layout plan, wayfinding, visitor flow

#### **CONCEPTUAL DESIGN:**

concept sketches

#### **CONCEPT REVISIONS:**

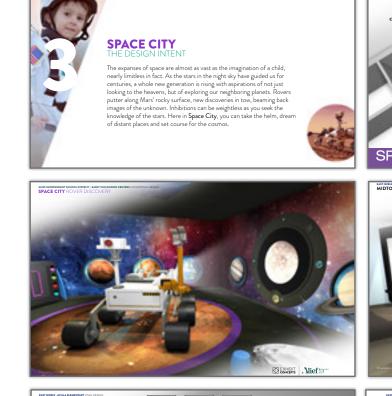
revising concept sketches with your feedback

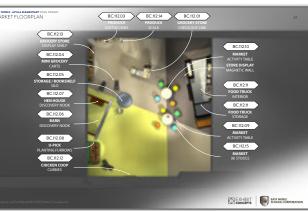
#### **VALUE ENGINEERING:**

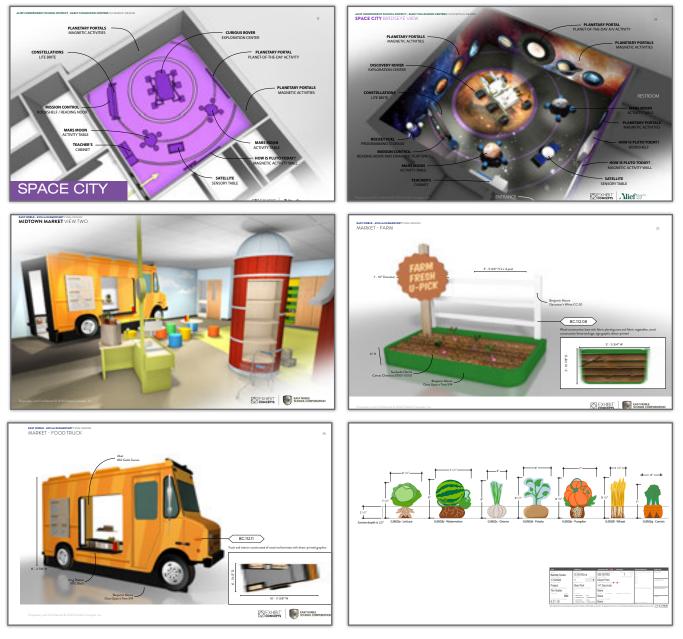
materials, build plans, aligned with budget

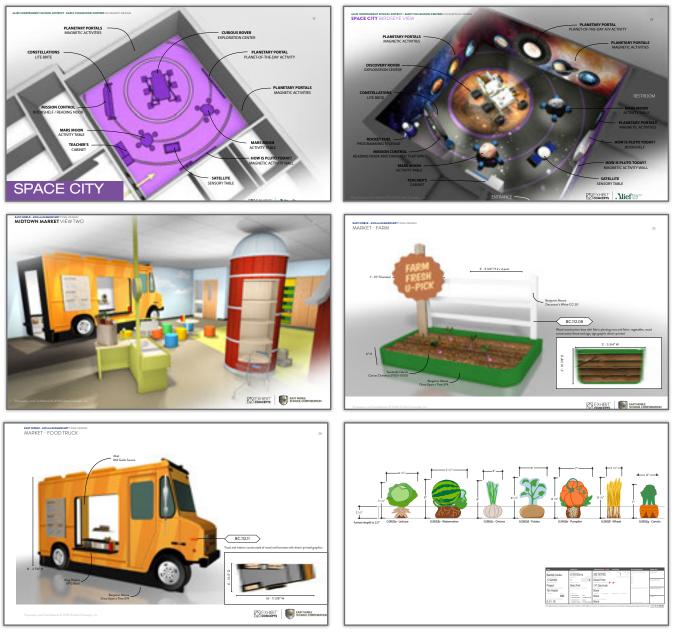
#### **FINAL DESIGN:**

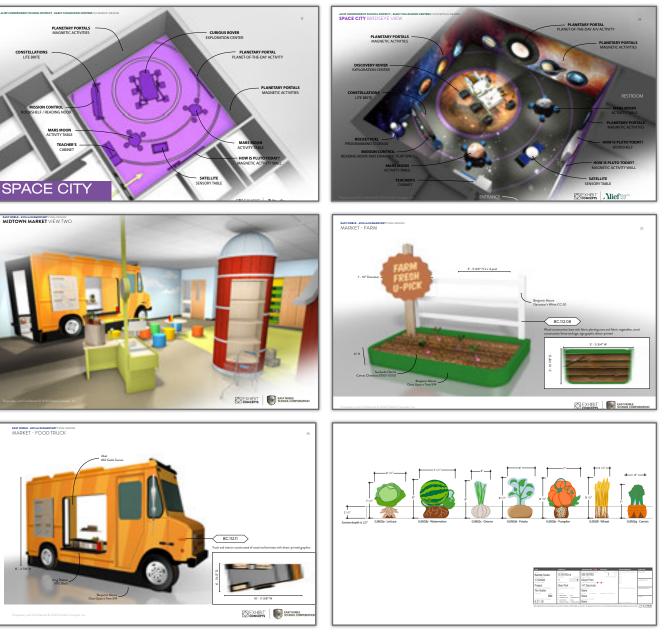
final elevations, floor plans, possibly 3D renders as-needed











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## INTERPRETIVE PLAN



Interpretive Planning is a comprehensive, NAI certified methodology for building visitor experiences that can be used for museums, education centers, historical parks, aquariums, zoos, and many other immersive sites, especially in cases where people go to a space to learn through experience.

- Strategic goal setting
- Resource planning
- Interpretive workshops
- Experience themes and messaging
- Experience mapping
- Audience research

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# VISITOR EXPERIENCE PLAN

Visitor Experience Planning is an outcome-driven approach for building visitor experiences for trade show exhibits, commercial spaces, and events. Each Visitor Experience Plan provides custom solutions that drive your audience to take action, through our THINK-FEEL-DO model.

- Strategic goal setting
- Success metrics
- Resource planning
- Experience workshops
- Experience themes and messaging
- Experience mapping
- Audience research





#### **NEXT** lab

### THE POWER OF MEANINGFUL ENGAGEMENT

In the experiential marketing industry, engagement is the key to generating traffic, securing quality leads and leaving an unforgettable impression on your audience.

Take engagement to the next level with our NEXT Lab<sup>™</sup>! NEXT Lab is a dynamic, experiential and creative team dedicated to developing unique virtual and digital experiences that align with your strategic objectives.

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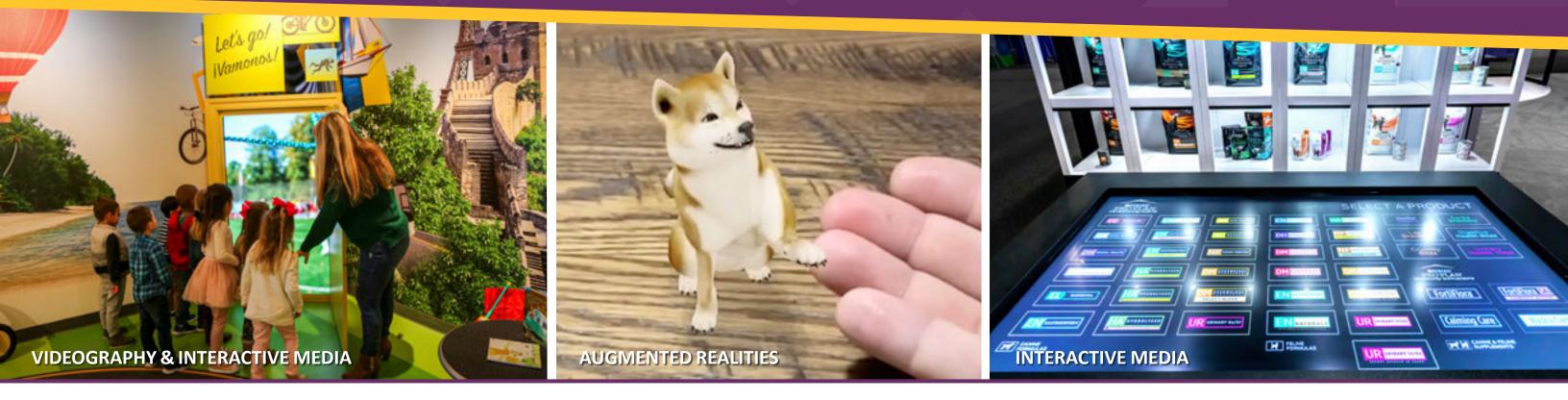






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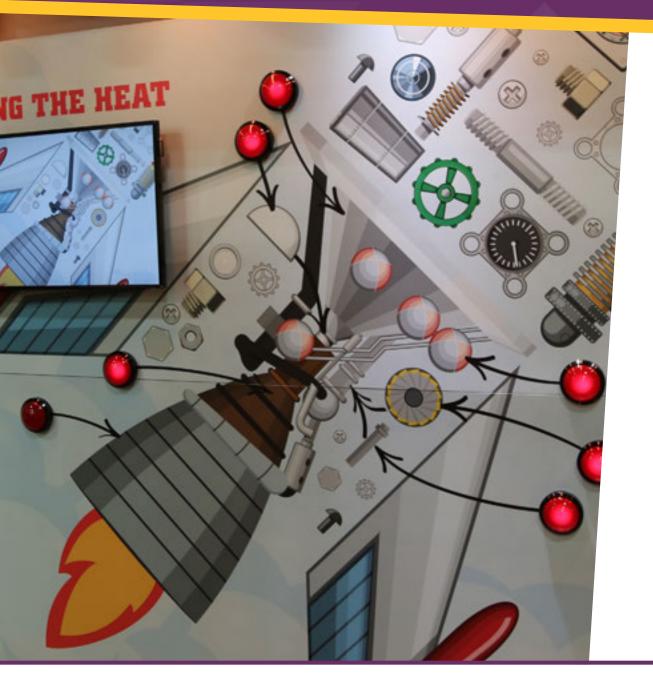
Our goal is to immerse your audience in unforgettable stories that inspire them to act, learn, and grow. Engagement is the key to transforming information into compelling messages and hands-on experiences.



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### **NEXT** lab PHYSICAL ENGAGEMENT Enhance your space with unique interactive elements that draw people in and keep them engaged.



#### **MEDIA PLAYERS**

Devices that play digital content, integrated seamlessly into your environment.

Engagements triggered by motion activation.

#### **IMMERSIVE LIGHTING**

Lighting options that offer customization and interactivity.

#### MANUAL ACTIVATIONS

Engagements triggered by physical action.

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#### **PROXIMITY SENSORS**

#### **MAGNETIC SENSORS**

Engagements triggered by magnetism.

#### **RFID ACTIVATIONS**

**Engagements triggered by** individualized chip technology.



### **NEXT** lab CONTENT CREATION

Content is king! Work with our in-house NEXT Lab studio to bring your message to life with one-of-a-kind strategic media content.



#### **AUDIO & VIDEO PRODUCTION**

Offering studio and remote production capabilities.

#### **PHOTOGRAPHY**

Offering video and still photography services using the latest state-of-the-art technology.

#### **SCRIPTING & STORYBOARDING**

Offering in-house, professional script writing and storyboarding.

#### ANIMATION

Creating professional, one-of-a-kind animations.

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#### NARRATION

Providing professional voice-over services.

#### **VIRTUAL & AUGMENTED REALITY**

Offering services in innovative, nextgeneration graphic production.



### **NEXT** lab DIGITAL EXPERIENCES

Find out how NEXT Lab's tech-savvy team of designers and coders can craft your user experience with unparalleled support and unprecedented detail



#### **boothOS**<sup>™</sup>

Seamlessly connect and centrally manage all in-booth digital content, lead capture, and more.

#### **VExP**<sup>™</sup>

Add a professional touch to your next live experience and digital event. From live streaming to custom-coded websites and everything in between, we have a talented team of industry experts ready to create, edit, and produce your dreams into reality.

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#### GAMIFICATION

Looking to take your engagement to the next level? NEXT Lab is at the forefront of the gamification movement. From custom creations to nostalgic reminders of yesteryear, the only thing that's holding your experience back is a worthy opponent.





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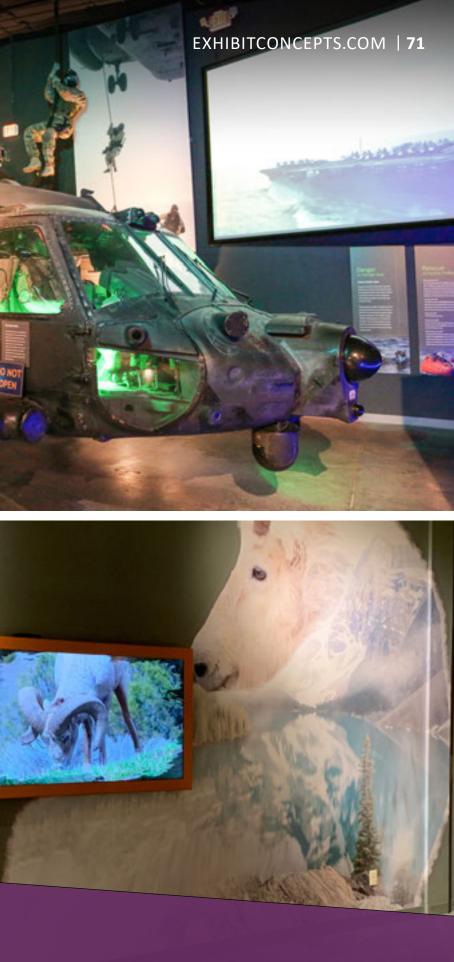


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**COMPUTER HISTORY MUSEUM (left)** NAVY SEAL MUSEUM (top right) **RED RIVER VALLEY MUSEUM, BOND GALLERY** (bottom right)









JACQUES COUSTEAU NATIONAL ESTUARINE RESEARCH RESERVE (left) **GWINNETT ENVIRONMENTAL AND HERITAGE CENTER** (top right) BRUKNER NATURE CENTER (bottom right)





BRADFORD OHIO RAILROAD MUSEUM (top right) MAHONING VALLEY TYLER HISTORY CENTER (bottom right)





AMERICAN MUSEUM OF SCIENCE AND ENERGY (left) **RED RIVER VALLEY MUSEUM, BERRY GALLERY** (top right) THE ALLMAN BROTHERS BAND MUSEUM (bottom right)

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#### A Passion for Knowledge



#### **Experiential Education**

### LEARNINGTHROUGH IMAGINATION

Exhibit Concepts is the leading provider of turnkey solutions for interactive, fully immersive education centers. Since 2003, Exhibit Concepts has transformed traditional educational institutions, for early learners and beyond, into museum-quality interactive learning experiences.

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Experiential Education, Permanent Classrooms

ACADEMY FOR EARLY LEARNERS, Mansfield ISD (left) **INTELLIZEUM** (top right) JESSIE LEE PUMPHREY ELEMENTARY, Goose Creek CISD (bottom right)

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Experiential Education, Convertible Classrooms

ALIEF INDEPENDENT SCHOOL DISTRICT









### WEAREATRUSTED BRANDADVOCATE



Each client is unique but shares a common trait: they want big ideas that deliver big results for their brands and they trust Exhibit Concepts to get it done — every time.



# NEXT STEPS

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**STEP 1:** Feedback on concept direction **STEP 2:** Feedback on budget allocation **STEP 3:** Decision on Exhibit Concepts as a partner **STEP 4:** Finalize design STEP 5: Quote design **STEP 6:** Approve design & quote **STEP 7:** Develop & deliver

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