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EDUCATION

SAVANNAH COLLEGE OF ART AND DESIGN / SAVANNAH, GA / 2018-2021

BFA IN ILLUSTRATION, CONCENTRATION IN SURFACE DESIGN

- Graduated Summa Cum Laude with a cumulative 4.0 GPA
- Nominated for the Top 23 Best Foundation Studies Works Fall 2018
- Recruited storyboarder and makeup artist for two senior thesis films
- Created a pattern for a student in the SCAD Fashion Show 2021
- Accepted to be a student ambassador pre-pandemic

RUTGERS UNIVERSITY / NEW BRUNSWICK, NJ / 2017-2018

- NCAA Division I rower for Rutgers University
- Was the first ever Fine Arts student to ever join the Rutgers Rowing Team, which was established in 1864
- Earned a 3.87 GPA and made the Dean's List as a student athlete
- Ranked in the top ten for most efficient rowers on the team and made the Second Varsity boat as a first-year student

INVOLVEMENT

HADDONFIELD JAPAN EXCHANGE / 2014-2015

- Learned about Japanese lifestyle and culture of students from Kasukabe Girls' Senior High School
- Hosted a Japanese student and showed her the American lifestyle
- Maintain contact as penpals with them and their families

NATIONAL HONOR SOCIETY / 2015-2017

- 4.2 weighted GPA
- Services include volunteering for local musical productions, cleaning up trash from local parks, and making food for the poor in Camden, NJ

NATIONAL ART HONOR SOCIETY / 2017

- Painted chairs for the Haddonfield Public Library
- Promoted our services at local fairs

TRI-M MUSIC HONOR SOCIETY / 2015-2017

- Excelled in four choirs and musical theatre
- Sang and played music for the elderly in retirement homes

NATIONAL SPANISH HONOR SOCIETY / 2016-2017

- Painted murals of the flags of Latin America

RUTGERS WOMEN'S ROWING / 2017-2018

- Cleaned up trash and packed food at the Neighborhood Center in DeLand, FL

SCAD SERVE / 2018-2021

- Packed groceries for the low-income elderly
- Made dreamcatchers with and for cancer patients in the hospital

SKILLS

ART: Surface Design, Graphic Design, Editorial Illustration, Fashion Illustration, Fibers, Character and Concept Design, Animated Illustration, Fine Arts (multimedia)

SOFTWARES: Illustrator, InDesign, Photoshop, Premiere Pro, AfterEffects, Microsoft Office, Procreate

CERTIFICATION

I have passed all of my Praxis exams, and my Certification of Eligibility application is currently pending approval for the Alternate Route Program.

EXPERIENCE

Baldwin Preschool (2023-Present) / *educational assistant*

- Helped my Lead Teacher to run the classroom and to teach lessons
- Assisted the Elective Teachers with their curriculum
- Created a positive and exciting environment for all students
- Emotionally supported and helped students with behavioral issues and trauma to develop and to express kindness and love

Freelance Illustrator, Designer and Makeup Artist (2019-present)

- Completed murals, patterns, character designs, infographics, logos, and portraits for national and international clients
- Did makeup for clients for proms and other special occasions

Mustard Seed Childcare (2022) / *enrichment arts teacher*

- Ran my own classroom with my own STEAM curriculum
- Worked with students in a small, hands-on classroom environment
- Taught students to use their imaginations, to encourage creativity, and to use critical thinking skills

Haddonfield Crew Club (2022-present) / *assistant rowing coach*

- Taught middle school students how to row in the spring
- Ran the first ever Fall Learn To Row program by myself
- Helped create a fun learning environment to encourage students to find their passion and join the team when they reach high school

Sabrina's Cafe (2021-2022) / *hostess, server, hospitality assistant*

- Greeted customers to their tables, took dine-in and takeout orders, accommodated customers, and answered any inquiries
- Helped out around the restaurant while hosting by teaching myself to bus tables and run food whenever we were short-staffed
- Upgraded to Hospitality Assistant, a new position created based off of my work ethic, that served as an assistant manager

ULTA Beauty (2018-2020) / *seasonal beauty advisor*

- Helped clients find the right beauty products for them
- Ran the cash register and helped with inventory

Markeim Arts Center (2017) / *artist assistant*

- Volunteered to help maintain the studio and assist the teachers
- Taught arts and crafts to kids at workshops and parties

AWARDS

CHOIR

- First place in the Pennsylvania Renaissance Faire (2015)
- Madrigal Scholarship (2017)--received for outstanding achievement by simultaneously participating in four choirs

HADDONFIELD CREW CLUB

- Three Varsity Letters
- Thirteen medals, including a 3rd place SRAA Nationals medal
- Haddonfield Crew Bulldawg Award for Determination (2016)
- Two-Year Varsity Letter Award (2017)
- Three-Year Varsity Letter Award (2017)

RUTGERS UNIVERSITY

- Recruited and given an NCAA Division I athletic scholarship

SAVANNAH COLLEGE OF ART AND DESIGN

- Received academic scholarship for portfolio and resume
- Received an additional yearly scholarship for academic performance