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Illustrator and Concept Artist

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Soft Skills

Open to Constructive Criticism

Accountability

Creative Problem Solving

Responsible

Organized

Innovative

Detail Oriented

Confident

Personable

Leadership

Industry Experience

Concept Art Intern at Tiny Rainbow Studios, character designer of NPCs for Whisper Pines (Farming RPG), May 2023 – June 2023, project postponed by head developer.

Founder of Eggtoastdraws (Commissions), Dec 2020 – Present

Intern, Digital Art & Design Program, Center for Advanced Technical Studies, 2019-2020 – handled projects with clients, ran fundraisers and conducted business transactions.

2-Year Digital Art & Design Career and Technical Education Program, Center for Advanced Technical Studies, 2017-2019 – worked on complex projects utilizing multiple Adobe programs to simulate artist/client relationships.

Job Shadow at Promotion In Motion Inc., July 2019 – one-week job shadow in Graphics Department of candy company. Designed sample packaging for their Welch's Fruit Snacks and Nuclear Sqworms products.

Proficient in Photoshop, Illustrator, InDesign, Adobe Dimensions, Adobe XD, Clip Studio Paint, Procreate, Keynote, PowerPoint, Word, Excel

Educational Experience

BFA in Illustration and Concept Art for Animations and Video Games; graduated in November 2023 with 3.9 GPA; Dean's List Honor Student (Sept 2020 to Nov 2023)

General Education included art history, public speaking, and presentation courses.

Major Curriculum included digital illustration, animated illustration, anatomy, perspective, rendering, materials, techniques, and a mix of conceptual, editorial and publication illustration.

Workplace Experience

Ambassador at Maple Street Biscuit Company in Savannah, GA March 2024 – Present – Responsible for taking customers' orders, keeping the front of house sanitary and visually appealing, filling the role of barista and effectively and efficiently delivering customer drink orders.

Sales Associate at Nourish in Savannah, GA, June 2023 – Sept 2023 – Responsible for checking customers out and keeping the store organized, and responsible for extensive product knowledge, ultimately giving customers the best service possible.

Ben and Jerry's, June 2022 - September 2022 – Ice cream scooper, cashier, housekeeping

Poke Bros, November 2021-December 2023 – Store cashier/Poke Bowl Assembler, responsible for taking and assembling in-person and online orders.

The Michaels Stores, Inc., July 2020-October 2021 – Cashier, shelf-stocker, and sales associate.