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EDUCATION

Ringling College of Art and Design, Sarasota, FL, Bachelor of Fine Arts, Illustration – May 2026 GPA: 3.95/4.0

EXHIBITIONS AND HONORS

- *William Parker Holiday Card Design Contest*, Winner, Sarasota, FL, Fall 2024
- *Fourteenth Annual Student Show*, Madeby Gallery, Ringling College of Art and Design, Sarasota, FL, Fall 2024
- *Illest of Illustration Annual Gallery 2024*, Ringling College of Art and Design, Sarasota, FL, 2024
- *Abercrombie & Fitch Co. Sophomore Summer Summit*, Participant, 2024
- *Skechers Paws for a Cause Design Scholarship*, Finalist, 2023
- *Creatures, Characters, and Curious Places Gallery*, Ringling College of Art and Design, Sarasota, FL, 2023
- President's List, Ringling College of Art and Design, Sarasota, FL, 2022-2024
- *Beaux Arts Student Showcase*, Miami, FL, 2018

ARTISTIC EXPERIENCE

Illustration and Design Student Worker | Ringling College Design Center | Sarasota, FL, January 2024 - Present

- Conceptualized ideas, provided color studies, and developed artwork and typography for the college's premiere magazine publication (*CONXT*)
- Guaranteed the project was delivered before the tight deadline provided
- Ensured the project was meeting expectations by communicating with the design team and giving continual updates

Freelance Illustrator | January 2021 - Present

- Created illustrations and paintings for clients like an extermination company, small businesses, and individual clients
- Conducted various types of research to reach clients' desired visions and goals

Live Artist | Dior | Miami, FL, December 2024

- Live hand-illustrated fashion sketches at numerous Dior Stores for their holiday campaign, creating 6-9 cards per hour
- Followed specific guidelines to meet the requested style requirements
- Communicated with customers during the events to make custom cards to fully personalize the experience

Sophomore Emerging Talent Summit | Kohl's | Sarasota, FL, May 2024

- Won first place by creating an eco-friendly swimsuit line that brought awareness to animals in danger of extinction
- Cooperated with a group of people to create a case study on the span of 3 days to drive new customer acquisitions while being sustainable
- Designed all patterns, mock-ups, posters, sketches, and other designs of the line

2D Design Tutor | Ringling College | Sarasota, FL, August 2023 - December 2023

- Provided guidance to groups of 5-10 first-year students on problem-solving skills and creative solutions using the principles of design
- Offered constructive feedback inside and outside the classroom to help students make successful projects for class

VOLUNTEERISM AND LEADERSHIP

- Club Liaison, Student Government Association, Ringling College of Art and Design, Sarasota, FL, September 2023 - Present
- Vice President, Hispanic/Latino Student Alliance, Ringling College of Art and Design, Sarasota, FL, September 2023 - Present
- President, Illest of Illustration, Sarasota, FL, January 2024 - Present
- Mentor, Ringling Illustration Mentorship Program, September 2024 - Present
- Figure Drawing and Figure Painting Monitor, August 2022 - Present

SKILLS

- Digital Media: Adobe Photoshop, Illustrator, Acrobat Pro, Procreate
- Traditional Media: Graphite, Charcoal, Sculpture, Painting: oil paint, acrylics, gouache, watercolors
- Microsoft Office (Outlook, Excel, PowerPoint, Word), Google Workplace (Gmail, Drive, Calendar, Meet)
- Native Speaker: English & Spanish