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Education

Otis College of Art and Design

(2021-2022) Los Angeles, CA

Degree-seeking: Bachelor of Fine Arts

Major: Digital Media (Emphasis Animation)

GPA: 3.57 / 4.00

Academic Honors: Dean's List 2021-2022

Arizona State University (2023-2026) Tempe, AZ

Degree-seeking: Bachelor of Fine Arts

Major: Art (Animation)

GPA: 3.74 / 4.00

Academic Honors: Dean's List 2023-2024

Projects

"Pipo vs Pelota" 2D Animation

Fall 2024 Semester

- Independently worked on a 30-second animation.
 - Pre-production and Production stages of the animation pipeline.
 - Visual Development, storyboarding, frame-by-frame animation.

Work Experience

Starbucks Coffee Company Tolleson, AZ

June 2023 - September 2024

- Barista with an understanding of perfecting one's craft, customer connection, teamwork, communication, and leadership skills.

Professional Experience

Commissioned Mural, New Age Barber Company, Phoenix, AZ

July 2024

- Commissioned to paint a 6ft by 4ft mural at a local barbershop. Effectively communicated and brought customers' vision to life.

Starbucks Coffee Company Chalkboard Murals Tolleson, AZ

June 2023 - September 2024

- Planned and created original designs for seasonal promotion on a 5ft by 3.5ft wall-mounted chalkboard.
 - Stages of planning a design: sketches, thumbnails, color scheme, and finalized design.

2D Animation Intern Remote

May 2025-August 2025 (Expected)

- Gained hands-on experience in remote animation production while managing weekly progress updates alongside academic responsibilities. Contributed to a collaborative project with a mental health-focused non-profit, adhering to NDA restrictions and film festival guidelines.
- Created character designs, assets, and animations based on provided storyboards and shot lists.
- Refined storyboards and shot lists provided by the creative team.
- Collaborated with team members to implement feedback and improve workflow.
- Developed skills in remote project management, meeting deadlines, maintaining confidentiality, and professional communication.

Skills

Languages

Spanish (Fluent in speaking, reading, writing)

English (Fluent in speaking, reading, writing)

Skills

Customer Service

Digital Communication

Marketing

Digital Content Creation

Digital Compositing

Illustration

Creative Design

Academic Research

Public Speaking

Program Proficiency

Adobe Products: Illustrator, Animate, Photoshop, Premiere, After Effects, Audition, Substance Painter

Google Suite Programs

Maya 2024

Microsoft Office Suite