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Education

University of Michigan - Ann Arbor, MI
Stamps School of Art & Design
BFA May 2017; GPA: 3.7

Skills

Traditional Drawing
Digital Illustration
Concept Development
Character Design
3D Modeling, 3D printing
Sculpture / Installation
E-Book Creation
Story Boarding

Software

Photoshop
Illustrator
Zbrush
Maya
InDesign
Final Cut

Experience

2016 Fall - Present

Gwydion Inc- Ann Arbor, MI

Illustrator, 3D modeler

I create concept art and 3D assets.

2013 - Present

The Gargoyle - University of Michigan Humor Magazine

Art Director, Business Manager, Illustrator

I direct artists in creating illustrations for articles, apply for funding from the University of Michigan and have created several cover illustrations.

2015 - Present

Veritas Health, LLC 790 Estate Drive, Deerfield, Illinois

Freelance Scientific Illustrator

Create illustrations of the body in various exercise poses for digital media.

January Winter 2016 - Spring 2016

School of Education, University of Michigan

GRIP (Geometry, Reasoning, and Instructional Practices)

Illustrator & Graphic Designer

Helped design a website including the creation of characters used in their applications.

Awards, Achievements & Exhibitions

Close Encounters Exhibition, 2017
Guy Palazzola Memorial Award, 2015
Undergraduate Juried Exhibition, Award of Excellence, 2015
Design winner of University of Michigan's 2015 New Year's card
Stamps Creative Work Award, 2014
Dunlap Scholastic Award, 2014
National Gold Key Award, Scholastics Art & Writing, 2013
