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#### **Education**

• California State University, Long Beach

Aug. 2018 - May

2023

Bachelors of Fine Arts, Illustration

• GPA: 3.7

• Awards: President's Honor List, California State University Long Beach

2020-2023

### Galleries

• CURIO April 2023

BFA Senior Illustration Gallery, California State University Long Beach

• INSIGHTS May 2023

School of Art Gallery, California State University Long Beach

All School of Art students were eligible to submit artwork to display, I was 1 of 5 Illustrators to have their artwork chosen for this gallery.

#### **Art Experience**

• Studio Assistant Manager

Nov. 2019 - Present

## Color Me Mine, Long Beach

- Proficient in kiln/glazing techniques to ensure the ceramic projects of customers came out perfect
- Supervised staff, and managed studio operations including opening and closing procedures
- Hosted parties for customers of all ages and made sure that everyone had a memorable experience

• Illustrator May 2021 - March 2022

## **Cures of Colors, Los Angeles**

- Strategized with a team of art directors and illustrators to create cohesive artwork that would later be published into educational coloring books
- Created a holiday card series for children using Photoshop, Illustrator and Procreate to be sold on the Cures of Colors website

### **Teaching Experience**

• Elementary School Art Instructor

Dec. 2019 - March 2020

#### **Art Innovators, Los Angeles and Orange County**

- Followed protocols for ensuring the safety of elementary school age children in a classroom setting
- Developed creative weekly lesson plans that would teach children a new element or principle of art, as well as introducing them to new mediums.
- Encouraged and inspired students to be creative and ask questions

#### • Online Kids Art Instructor

### Self Employed. Los Angeles

Sept. 2020 - Feb. 2020

 Adapted to new teaching techniques and criteria for instructing online classes after COVID-19 shut down schools  Networked and promoted my classes to local Elementary Schools and teachers who did not have an art instructor

### **Volunteer Work**

## • Volunteer Staff

### Ithaca Science Center, Ithaca New York

May 2017 - Aug. 2017

- Educated elementary age children on various sciences through fun hands-on activities and demonstrations
- Oversaw daily operations checking that all guests followed directions, answered questions, all while also enjoying their visit

# **Skills**

Photoshop | Illustrator | Procreate | Computer Skills | Creative Thinking | Great with Children | Time Management Networking | Problem Solving | Organization | Confident