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EDUCATION

Montclair State University | Bachelor of Fine Arts in Illustration

Relevant Coursework: Products and Zines | Cartooning | Text and Image | Art of Visual Narrative | 2D Animation | Animated Illustration | Character Design | Intro to Marketing

Honors & Awards: Dean's List (All Semesters) | Nominated for 2023 Zankel Scholar Competition **GPA:** 3.7

EXPERIENCE

Freelance Artist

@froggy_bboi | Edison, NJ

September 2020 - Present

- Built and developed a small business of my own merchandise
- Engage and network with customers and future clients
- Consult with commissioners on their desired product such as colors, styles, shipping, etc.
- Table at multiple markets and festivals such as MOCCAfest
- Illustrate and present artwork in small exhibitions

Legislator

Montclair State University Japan Club | Montclair, NJ

September 2023 - May 2024

- Created social media posts and posters to promote club events
- Pitched ideas for future events and general body meetings

VOLUNTEER WORK

Volunteer

SI MoCCA Arts Festival 2024 | New York, NY

March 2024

- Scanned tickets and put on wristbands
- Engaged with people of interest and exhibitors
- Gave guidance around the venue

Volunteer

NJ SCBWI Words and Pictures Reunited | Montclair, NJ

June 2023

- Engaged with other writers in workshops
- Handed out papers and supplies to the audience
- Managed time of workshops

EXHIBITS

Thesis Art Show

Finley Gallery | Montclair, NJ

April 2024

"Memories and Things" Zine Collection

Junior Exhibition

Finley Gallery | Montclair, NJ

March 2023 - April 2023

"Moustache and Beard Competition Mock Poster"

Semester Kick-Off Student Art Exhibition

Finley Gallery | Montclair, NJ

January 2023 - February 2023

"Not So Lonely" Zine

SKILLS & INTERESTS

Skills:

English | Tagalog | Adobe PhotoShop | Adobe After Effects | Procreate | Collaboration | Communication | Illustration | Graphic Design | 2D Animation | Creativity | Storytelling | Marketing | Organization