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SKILLS

- Communication
- Collaboration
- Creativity
- Improvisation
- Client Needs Assessment
- Microsoft and PowerPoint
- Public Speaking

EDUCATION

DIGITAL MARKETING CERTIFICATE

Yale University | Online
2021

BACHELOR OF FINE ARTS | PUPPETRY

University of Connecticut | Storrs, CT
2015 – 2018

Norwalk Community College

Norwalk, CT
2014 – 2015

Gettysburg College

Gettysburg, PA
2012-2014

PROFESSIONAL SUMMARY

BFA in Puppet Arts graduate bringing diverse knowledge from interior design, theater, and freelance art industries. Creative and detail-oriented, committed to creating a high-quality finished product. Past jobs required teamwork, organization, and interpersonal skills.

PROFESSIONAL EXPERIENCE

COMMISSIONED ARTIST

New York, NY | 2020 – Present

Hired for commissioned sculptures for peoples' homes. Masks from thermoplastic, and floral sculptures from crepe paper.

- Market myself through Instagram, go to clients' homes with a swatch board and measuring tape, and problem-solve to create a beautiful outcome.
- Through finished products, I have been able to get work from word of mouth and created a successful business.

FREELANCE ARTIST

New York, NY | 2019 – Present

Props/Sculpt Freelance Artist

- Fabricator/builder for Chopard Christmas windows with Milkyway Studio.
- Props and costume fabricator and PA for Bravo Watch What Happens Live for their Halloween episode.
- Fabricator for shadow puppets and sets for Songs of the North by Hamid Rahmanian.
- Art PA for Group Nine Media for Thrillist shoot with IKEA.
- Created paper floral window displays with Dead Flowers LLC for the Anna Sheffield jewelry store on Bleeker St.
- Lead fabricator for paper flowers and leaves for installations at 41 Madison with Metallic Fern and Dead Flowers LLC.
- Props maker/sculptor for Standard Transmissions Productions for the 2019 Macy's Christmas Windows.

INTERIOR DESIGN ASSISTANT

Orrick and Company | Greenwich, CT | 2016– 2019

- Directly worked with interior designers, vendors, and clients.
- Liaison between designers, accountants, marketing team, and vendors.
- Helped come up with ideas for marketing and social media posts.
- Created tables, spreadsheets, took pictures and measurements to keep client books updated.
- Edited CAD drawings, and hand drafted top views and elevations.
- Kept office, swatches, and client books organized, and prepared for client meetings.
- Helped set up houses for photographers, and for clients to move in.