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Visual Development and Character Designer

Education

Bachelor of Fine Arts, Illustration: Entertainment Arts
ArtCenter College of Design, Pasadena

August 2023 - May 2026

Credits towards a Bachelor of Fine Arts, Illustration
Parsons; The New School, New York City

August 2021 - May 2023

Professional Experience

Character Design Teacher Assistant
ArtCenter College of Design, Pasadena

August 2025 - Present

- Guided and critiqued students' work to improve character design and character acting through drawovers and corrections on line-ups, character turnarounds, and expression sheets. As well as working towards better design through shape language and storytelling.

Museum Group Showcase Artist

The Triton Museum of Art, Santa Clara – Unlimited Imagination: Gabriel Coke & Art students Atelier

May 2025 - August 2025

- Produced a 19" x 25" self-portrait created in charcoal and chalk for a group showcase

Apparel Designer

University of California, Santa Barbara

Jan 2025 - Mar 2025

- Designed the front and back of an annual T-shirt for the UCSB Pride event, producing multiple iterations and mock-ups

Freelance Character Artist

Independent Business, Saratoga

2018 - February 2023

- Designed and sold art
- Handled over 170 transactions

Projects

A Caterpillar in the garden of Spring – 48-hour Animation Jam

October 2025

- Collaborated with 4 other artists to produce a 5-minute short in 48 hours

Skills

- **Photoshop, Illustrator, InDesign, Creative Cloud, Procreate, Clip Studio, MAYA, Storyboard Pro, Google Suite, Character design, Visual development, World-building, Illustration, Product Illustration, Storyboarding, Color scripts**