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Work Experience

Open Market OC

Sales Associate, November 2023 - Present

- ❖ Ensure customer satisfaction and loyalty by providing high-quality customer service
- ❖ Work and collaborate efficiently with a team of co-workers in a fast-paced environment
- ❖ Maintain store cleanliness and ensure that all store displays are organized and coordinated properly
- ❖ Manage the cash register and handle transactions

Women in Animation - Chapman University

Community Relations Coordinator, January 2023 - May 2023

- ❖ Oversaw community outreach and helped make connections amongst members of Chapman's WIA chapter
- ❖ Helped organize and plan club activities with a team of board members
- ❖ Managed the club's Discord server and fostered an inclusive and engaging environment for club members

The Mista Pat Project

Digital Art Intern, June 2022 - August 2022

- ❖ Designed characters and props for various episodes of *Who's That, Mista Pat?*
- ❖ Collaborated with a storyboard artist in order to conceptualize and finalize the designs for each episode
- ❖ Met on a weekly basis with fellow team members in order to give and receive feedback on each other's work

Death Finds a Way (Senior Thesis Film)

Co-Director, February 2022 - May 2023

- ❖ Created storyboards and designed characters, props, and backgrounds for an original thesis film concept
- ❖ Co-directed the film, created layouts, and completed rough animation with a fellow student
- ❖ Organized and set up shots for student volunteers to animate and color
- ❖ Followed a set schedule and ensured that deadlines were met
- ❖ Finalized the film's storyline under the mentorship of Jan Pinkava and John Musker

Self-Employed

Freelance Designer, April 2020 - Present

- ❖ Communicated and collaborated with clients in order to create custom designs that fit their vision
- ❖ Took commission work for character design, prop design, merch design, and personal art pieces
- ❖ Maintained a positive online presence and marketed a personal brand across various social media platforms

Education

Chapman University, Class of 2023

BFA in Animation and Visual Effects, Minor in Advertising

- ❖ Clubs and Societies: Chapman Animation and Visual Effects Club, Women in Animation
- ❖ Courses: Character Animation, Character Design, Storyboarding for Animation, Writing for Animation

Skills and Software

- ❖ Adobe Suite (Photoshop, After Effects, Premiere Pro, Indesign)
- ❖ Toonboom Suite (Harmony, Storyboard Pro)
- ❖ Procreate for the iPad
- ❖ Google Suite (Docs, Sheets, Drive)
- ❖ Microsoft Office Suite (Word, Excel)