**ANITA JOB**

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**EDUCATION**

**Minneapolis College of Art and Design**, Minneapolis, MN May 2024

*Bachelor of Fine Arts in Illustration*

Minor in Teaching Artist

GPA: 3.75

**SKILLS**

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| **Design*** Apparel Graphics
* Book Covers/Interiors
* Children’s Book Illustration
* Concept Design/Sketching
* Digital/Traditional Illustration
* Editorial/Spot Illustration
 | * Infographics
* Layouts
* Lettering
* Raster/Vector Art
* Storyboarding
* Surface/Pattern Design
 | **Teaching Artist*** Activity Planning/Facilitation
* Classroom Management
* Curriculum Development/Adaptation
* Demonstrations/Tutorials
* Educational Material Design
* Lesson Planning
* Supply/Material Management
 | **Software*** Canvas
* Google Suite
* Illustrator
* InDesign
* MS Office Suite
* Photoshop
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**EXPERIENCE**

**Freelance Art Studio**, Minneapolis, MN August 2020-Present

*Independent Artist/Designer*

* Ideate, draft, and create one-of-a-kind artwork including painted portraits in oil and acrylics, digital illustrations, and custom event posters.
* Utilize Photoshop, Illustrator, InDesign, and wide array of traditional mediums to design impactful and visually appealing works of art, marketing and managing them for sale via self-managed virtual storefront.
* Communicate with clients to produce custom designs and finished pieces in alignment with their specifications.

**Abrakadoodle Inc.**, Plymouth, MN August 2022-April 2023

*Elementary Art Teacher*

* Instructed children in visual art techniques including acrylic and watercolor painting, observational drawing, and multimedia collage during youth art camps and children’s art classes.
* Planned lessons and led educational activities for groups of up to fifteen children in grades K-6, adapting instruction methods and lessons as-needed in order to ensure individual students’ learning needs were met.
* Led art technique demonstrations and tutorials to introduce new concepts and activities.
* Effectively managed the classroom, responding appropriately and constructively to any behavioral issues in order to resolve conflicts.
* Identified necessary materials prior to lessons and placed supply orders with vendors, ensuring all supplies and equipment remained stocked, organized, and accessible at all times.

**Metro Thrift**, St. Paul, MN May 2021-August 2022

*Retail Associate*

* Greeted customers and assisted them in identifying clothing to match their desired stylistic choices, ensuring exceptional customer service was provided at all times.
* Purchased used clothing items from individual visitors, curating the selection to match store goals.
* Monitored cash register transactions to ensure accuracy during peak shop hours.

**EXHIBITIONS**

**Tranquility Gallery**, Hopkins, MN May-August 2023

*Wood Innovations*

**Minneapolis College of Art and Design**, Minneapolis, MN April 2022

*Made @ MCAD*

**ADDITIONAL EMPLOYMENT**

**Fresh Beans Cafe**, Minnetonka, MN June 2020-May 2021

*Barista*