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#### **EDUCATION**

<u>Ringling College of Art and Design</u> BFA, General Illustration | Minor in Creative Writing | GPA 3.7 | Graduating 2026

• Academics in illustration basics, traditional drawing, painting, editorial, literature studies, history, and typography/graphic design.

## E.C. Glass Highschool diploma | GPA 3.7 | June 2022

- First place in a local creative writing competition.
- Gold Medal in the 2018 Le Grand Concours French National Exam
- Runner-Up in E.C. Glass Artist table

<u>Burren College of Art | Ballyvaughan, Ireland | 4-week study program in the ecology of the land and sustainability through art | July 2024 | Final Grades: A...B</u>

- Studied the use and maintenance of different artistic mediums using environmentally conscious materials in art, and their impact on the environment.
- Researched and put together a presentation on the conservation of water and rock in the Burren, took multiple courses on the geography and history of Ireland, visited multiple historical locations, kept a plein-air sketchbook/nature journal, and researched and interviewed locals about their connection to art.
- Ideated, created, and curated a series of artworks that combined acquired knowledge of the Burren to present cohesive paintings in a gallery, managed deadlines while juggling courses maintained an organizational system, and researched culture and folklore.

#### **EXPERIENCE**

### <u>Tiny Docs</u> - Social Media Illustrator | February 2023

- Illustrated five pieces advertising the company for social media, drew pre-existing characters with themes given, worked to push the artwork while maintaining the characters in-model, and developed graphics that appeal to the largely younger audience.
- Created illustrations that fit the company's visual style while adding a personal twist to help them stand out. Graphics included artwork for St. Patrick's Day, Springtime, Healthy Eating and Habits, and Artwork Submission encouragement.

#### **SKILLS**

Languages: Fluent English and Spanish, Conversational French.

**Proficiency**: Illustration, Observational Drawing, Painting, Illustrator, Adobe Photoshop, Premiere Pro, Clip Studio Paint, Procreate, Traditional/Digital Drawing, Time Management, Creative Solutions and Problem Solving, Organization, Communication, Teamwork, Detail-Oriented, Archery, Creative Writing

**Advanced**: Typography, Sculpture, Graphic Design, Pen and Ink, Linocut Printmaking, Voice Acting, Social Media Management and Content Creation

