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EDUCATION_____

Ringling College of Art & Design, Sarasota, FL Bachelor of Fine Arts, May 2023 Major: Computer Animation, GPA: 3.52/4.0 Graduated with Honors **Southern Regional High School,** Manahawkin, NJ High School Diploma, June 2019, GPA: 3.84/4.0 National Art Honor Society, National Honor Society Relavant Courses- AP Art, TV Production, Multi-Media

CG EXPERIENCE

Director/Writer, Ringling College of Art & Design, Sarasota, FL, — January 2022 - May 2023

- Directed and wrote the CG Animated Short Film, <u>Bear Hugs</u>- a 2 minute Thesis film about a teddy bear who is on a mission to get to a special someone for Christmas all while encountering people that want to have him along the way.
- Experienced a year and a half process consisting of Story Development, Visual Development, 3D modeling, Texturing, Animation, Lighting and Compositing, & Post Production.

3D Generalist, Ringling College of Art & Design, Sarasota, FL, — August 2019 - May 2022

- As part of animation courses, produced 20-second shots to demonstrate weight, force, and character emotion:
- Designed characters and environments, planned animation with thumbnails and reference
- Modeled and textured characters, environments and props, lit scenes, animated pose-to-pose
- Developed a strong understanding of scene creation, topology, groom/hair creation and simulation, 3D material workflows, and creating stylistic or realistic textures

LEADERSHIP EXPERIENCE_____

Founder, Bear Hugs Inc. New Jersey, Delaware and Pennsylvania Area, - 2007 to Present

Co-Founded charity with mom and sister to deliver teddy bears to sick kids in the hospital during the holidays.

- Produced and distributed flyers to local companies, schools, and the community.
- Raised charitable funds by, running several pancake breakfasts and managing tents at a local Fall Fest.
- Distributed over 5,000 teddy bears to Nemours Children's Hospital, Delaware, Children's Hospital of Philadelphia, and the Martin Truex Jr. Pediatric Care Center at Southern Ocean Medical Center.

Directed a Short Documentary, Student Television Network,— November 2018- January 2019

- Was 1 out of 5 regionally selected schools to produce a short documentary to show at STN's Film competition in Seattle, WA.
- Coordinated the interviewees, made sure they were comfortable as well as prepared before shooting.
- Script supervised, planned the shots and compositions, and wrote the voice over of the documentary.
- Edited the footage, created lower thirds and graphics.

AWARDS/ACHIEVEMENTS_____

Multiple Film Awards- *Bear Hugs*, animated short film received several awards across the world in film festivals (click for list) or IMDb Ringling College: Deans' Scholarship -awarded to students who demonstrate a high level of academic and creative talent.

2nd Place- Short Story- From Student Television Network film competition.

Best Opening Title Sequence-Animated the winning title sequence for the New Jersey 10 Day Film Contest

Outstanding Senior "Art"- For achievements in art, graphics, and design.

Outstanding Senior "Modern Media" - For achievements in film, graphics, and modern media.

SKILLS

Software: Proficient in Maya, Arnold, Premiere, Photoshop, Procreate, ZBrush, Substance painter, and Nuke. **Traditional skills:** Skilled in realistic drawing, figure drawing, painting (digital & traditional), and storytelling.