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Education

Received teacher certification from Middle Tennessee State University in Murfreesboro, Tennessee in; in May of 2018. Graduated with a Bachelors of Fine Arts Degree in Illustration from Northern Illinois University in DeKalb, Illinois; in May of 2013.

Teaching Experience

The Tennessee School for the Blind (Spring 2016): Taught alongside fellow classmates grades 6-12 how to create a collage for our International Kids Guernica Peace Mural Project stop-motion.

The Discovery School (Spring 2016): Taught along side fellow classmates on stop motion using an iPad for the international Kids Guernica Peace Mural Project <https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=515mu9uOll0>

Smyrna High School (Spring 2016): I taught a three week lesson on weaving a rug out of a hula hoop and wooden frame.

Riverdale High School (Fall 2016): I taught a drawing lesson using symbolism in a personal playing card.

Related Work Experience

Freelance Illustrator

Donaye Blake, Artist at DAB Haskal (June, 2014-June, 2015)

Rob Foglia, Realtor at Keller Williams (May, 2014)

Aaron Hoffman, Art Director at TrueOffice.com (Oct-Nov, 2013)

Zach Harrison, Art Director at Zach Harrison Photography (Oct 2016-Present)

The Painted Clay Studio; (August, 2016-Present)

Working part time showing customers how to paint pottery as well as teaching them new painting techniques. Managing the studio by glazing the bisque, loading/unloading the kiln, firing up the kiln and using a slab roller to roll out clay to create pottery pieces for the studio. Also, teaching groups of children how to paint pottery and have fun at birthday parties.

Guest Service Agent, Hampton Inn, Hilton Suites; (August, 2014-May 2016)

Worked full time as an upbeat and friendly guest service agent to offer an exemplary service to our guests. Also, fulfilled the daily clerical duties and demands of the job by handling mail, faxing, copying, scanning, and staying on answering a multi line phone system while keeping a clean and organized front desk.

Illustrator, Leader Graphic Design; (Aug, 2013-Mar, 2014)

Creating informational handouts about the cultural transformation of design in LGD's weekly newsletter. Also, perfected photos through Photoshop editing and retouch to enhance the layout quality. Managed the LGD blog spot and worked on creating interactive folios by working with their creative group conversing over ideas, new concepts and carrying out any suggestions or changes by the art director.

Volunteer Experience

2nd Chance 4 Pets; (Mar, 2014-Present)

MTSU NAEA; (Oct, 2015-Present)

Kids Arts Festival; (June, 2016)

Adobe CS6 Skills

Photoshop

Illustrator

Lightroom

Apple Publishing (iPad)

Personal Skills

Organizational skills

Creative Problem Solving

Punctual

Effective Classroom Management

Awards

2009-2010 2 Year Tuition Scholarship Award for Incoming Freshmen

2010 NIU Foundations Program: Freshmen 10 Award

2012-2013 O'Malley-Pugh Fund Scholarship