

RACHEL RACANELLI

ILLUSTRATOR - DESIGNER
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EDUCATION

RINGLING COLLEGE OF ART AND DESIGN, Sarasota FL
BFA in Illustration, May 2014 GPA 3.04

Key Courses

Concept Development, Traditional Animation, Computer Animation, Figure Painting/Drawing, Painting, Illustration, Animation preproduction, Writing for Young Adults

EXPERIENCE

INSTRUCTOR

July 2014- Current

Kids N' Art, Frisco TX

Responsible for prep work for each class, including managing student projects, cleaning studio, and handing makeup dates. In charge of instructing students ages 6-12 in techniques in the fields of drawing, painting, and mixed media. Responsible for leading events on and off-site without management presence, and answering questions and concerns from parents and walk-ins in a fast-paced environment.

PRODUCTION ARTIST INTERN

May 26-July 3 2014

Janimation, Dallas TX

Worked with a production team in the fields of animation, compositing, illustration, storyboarding, concept, and design, for companies in and outside of the Dallas area, such as the Dallas Arboretum.

DIGITAL ILLUSTRATOR

Summer 2012

Werewolf Calendar, by order printing

Illustrated two werewolf themed digital paintings for the month of October, one of which was featured in the annual release of the Werewolf Calendar, featuring art by chosen illustrators.
<http://werewolfcalendar.com>

STORYBOARD ARTIST

2008-2011

Ringling College, Sarasota FL

Created several one minute animatics for concept class and created two polished two minute animatics with a partner for thesis before transferring to Illustration. Work included fast turn around times on assignments, and the skills to communicate effectively with a partner to illustrate and execute story ideas.

SKILLS

Proficient in Adobe Flash, and Adobe InDesign); Master in Adobe Photoshop, Adobe Illustrator. Knowledgeable in Microsoft Office Suite, Autodesk Maya (Lighting, modeling, rigging, animation), CSS, HTML, and HTML 5

AWARDS

Illest of Ill Student Juried Show for "Spaced Out" - 2013

Illest of Ill Student Juried Show in second place for "Directions" - 2012

Best of Ringling in Painting for "Recline" and "Slice of Light" - 2012