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EDUCATION

Pratt Institute | Brooklyn, NY

Bachelors in Communications Design (Emphasis in Illustration)

Expected 2028

Northwood High School | Irvine, CA

Graduated 2024

GPA: 3.9 Unweighted

EXPERIENCE

Northwood High School Costume Co-Head

Production: *Puffs* | Irvine, CA

Feb. 2024 - Mar. 2024

Production: *She Kills Monsters* | Irvine, CA

Sept. 2023 - Nov. 2023

Production: *Willy Wonka* | Irvine, CA

Nov. 2022 - Feb. 2023

- Curated entire cast of costumes
- Designed and made costumes for production
- Led and organized team of 10 members to complete objectives
- Supported backstage as costume consultant

Northwood High School Paint Crew

Production: *The Theory of Relativity* | Orange County, CA

Feb. 2021- May 2021

- Collaborated with others to paint all sets of the production
- Designed and painted the main panel (part of the permanent set)

Pratt Institute PreCollege Intensive

Student | Brooklyn, NY

July 2023 - Aug. 2023

- Communications Design and Foundations courses
- Committed to 4 weeks of intensive study

UCLA Costume Design PreCollege Program

Student | Los Angeles, CA

July 2022 - July 2022

- Designed costumes for prospective production of *She Kills Monsters*
- Conducted dramaturgical research

AWARDS AND CERTIFICATES

INSIDE LVMH Certification

Online Course

Nov. 22 - Dec. 9 2023

- Completed 30 hours of exclusive content on the fundamentals of the luxury industry and LVMH
- Learned about “Creation and Branding, Luxury and Society, Retail and Customer Experience, and LVMH and the Luxury Industry”

Northwood High School Charter Oak Award

Irvine, CA

April 2023

- Each teacher can only award this to two students a year

Irvine Fine Arts Exhibition At City Hall

Irvine City Hall, CA

Apr. 3 - July 21 2023

- Judged and selected by LA artist Francisco Javier Palomares to be displayed in Irvine City Hall ([Gallery](#))

Royal Academy of Arts Young Artists Summer Exhibition

London, UK

July 2020

- Selected as 1 out of 2 students eligible to enter from the school and work displayed in the RA archives (royalacademy.org.uk)

SKILLS

- Procreate
- Adobe Suite
- Sewing and Making/Reading Patterns
- Drawing/Painting
- Gel X Nail Art/Application