# **CARLOS MARTINEZ**

Art Instructor, Concept Artist, Illustrator, Multimedia Painter

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### **Education**

CareerFoundry Atlanta, GA
Full-Stack Web Development Certification February 2022-Present

Savannah College of Art and Design Bachelor of Fine Arts in Painting

Atlanta, GA Conferred June 2018

- Specialized in traditional media (oil paint) and illustration (digital art), with a focus on realism
- Engaged in electives concentrated on game design, illustration, concept art, and 3D modeling
- Participated in showcases and workshops to exemplify traditional media painting
- Led a team of multimedia artists to organize showcases at the Mammal Gallery and Trois Gallery

#### Skill Set

Software	Adobe Photoshop, Adobe Illustrator, Fusion 360, Blender, Maya, Unreal Engine 4, 3DS MAX, Microsoft Office, PaintTool SAI, Procreate, Traditional media
Skills	Traditional and technical art techniques, Modeling, Rigging, Concept Art Development, Ideation, Storyboarding, Prototyping, Transferable Presentations, Project Management, Organization

#### **Work Experience**

#### **Fusion Academy Alpharetta**

Alpharetta, GA

Art Instructor

January 2019-Present

- Designed visual imagery and graphic designs for multiple Fusion academy websites, while incorporating functionalities and features
- Provided instruction to students on 2D design, from using traditional media to digital software such as Adobe Photoshop and Illustrator, in addition to alternatives such as Procreate and PaintTool SAI
- Provided instruction to students on how to use 3D modeling software such as Blender, Maya, 3DS MAX, and Unreal Engine through various short to long-term, collaborative projects
- Worked with a team of 10+ instructors to provide an education service for clients and to ensure quality for each task presented

Freelance Atlanta, GA *May 2018-Present* 

- Designed artwork using traditional and digital media based on client specification
- Created character concepts and illustrations for storybooks, and assisted clients with publishing
- Created marketing and promotional artwork for various clients such as game art, albums, and billboards
- Worked closely with clients to ensure the artwork is at its utmost quality
- · Assisted clients in establishing the style of art projects

## **Leadership Experience**

Fusion Academy Alpharetta Art Lead Alpharetta, GA October 2019-Present

- Coordinated and implemented group learning workshops where other instructors had the opportunity to learn from one another via Zoom meeting rooms
- Built and maintained relationships with 30+ employees to ensure growth within the organization's art department. Communication would be kept through e-mail and by phone
- Evaluated employees in the art department by celebrating areas of strength, providing opportunities for areas of growth, and presenting opportunities offered within the organization
- Collaborated with senior management through an agile mindset. Used Jira to complete and track the progress of team projects