

A photograph of a pink building with a red-tiled roof and a small dome, set against a clear blue sky. The building has several windows and a small balcony. The text "Visual Media Design 105" is overlaid in a large, dark red, serif font.

Visual Media Design 105

Hello everyone!!

My name is Alex. Nice to meet you!

The main reason why I joined this class is because I want to learn more about digital design! Although my major is something completely different right now (I'm a history major), I've always liked learning about design!! For this project, I decided to use the font families Zilla Slab and Limelight.



Visual Media Design

Fall 2020

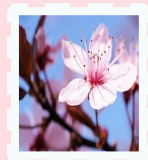
HEAD IN THE CLOUDS

REAL LIFE

FANTASY



For the photoshop final, I decided to do a collage involving clouds and the sky! I'm a person that likes to dream and I thought it would be a fun thing to photoshop. With this project, the hardest part was making the background of my selfie transparent. That part took up most of the time because I had to do it manually! Other than that, I did not really have any problems. Overall, it was a very fun project for me to do because I have had a little background experience with photoshop before and it definitely helped with what I wanted to do.



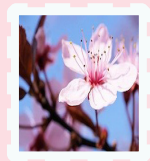
Adobe Photoshop

Photoshop Final

Monster on Vacation

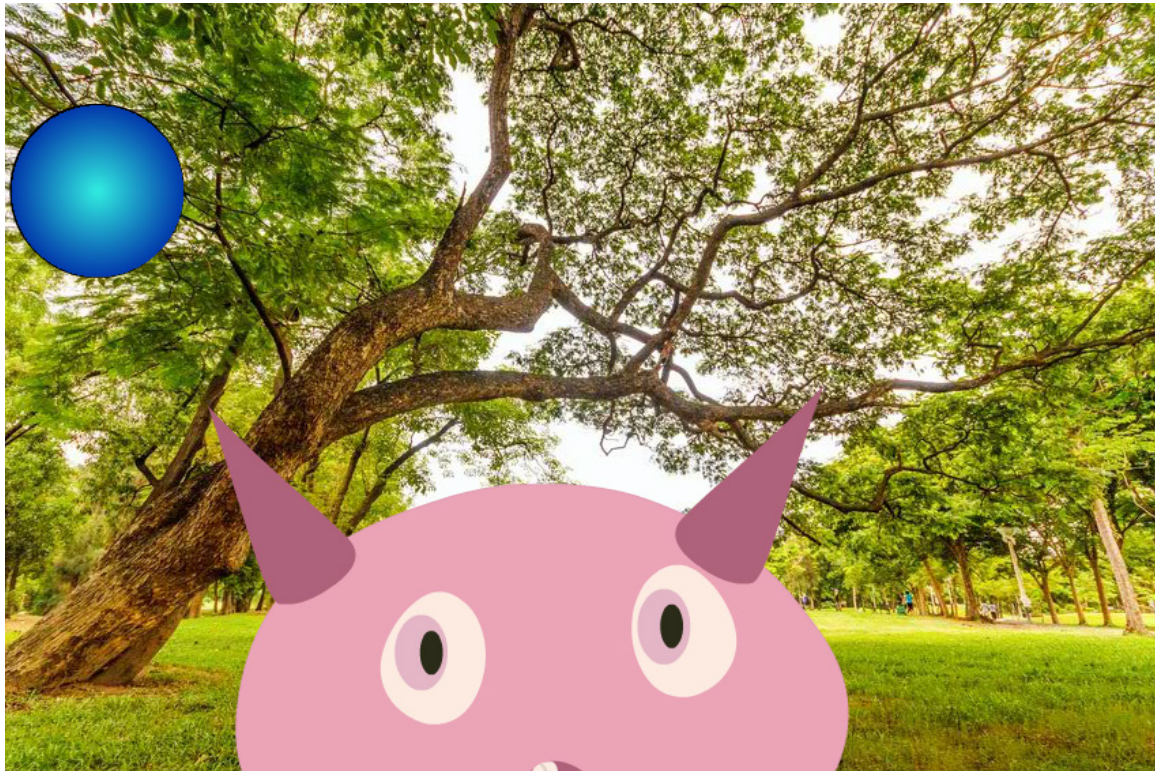


For the vector final, I decided to create a monster for the project. After many doodles in my notebook I decided on what kind of creature I was looking for. My first creature was a friendly cat-owl! The process took a while for me to translate this into illustrator because the plans with the cat-owl fell through, but I had a pink creature that I also drew a few times. Despite the few setbacks, I really enjoyed the idea of a monster touring cities on a vacation. I ended up really liking how the final product turned out to be!



Adobe Illustrator

Vector Final



For this animation project, I decided to use the pink creature that I used from the Adobe Illustrator project. Originally, I had planned a bit more elaborate animation. I wanted to do a scene with the creature reacting to multiple bubbles at night time. However, with time constraints and skill level I decided to go for something much more simple. I decided to go with a bubble going by and the creature popping it! This project made me realize how much work and care goes into animations and it made me appreciate all of the animated media I see even more.



Adobe Animate

Time Based Media Final