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Hello. I'm **Pavel**. I'm creative, hard-working, and know how to end a sentence. I also have an uncompromising **passion for art and design**. With years of creative experience under my belt, my goal now is to lend my skills to an organization that seeks, as I do, to make **good change in the world**, and in turn to better myself as a creator and an overall good apple.

Duke University

GPA 3.674 (3.713)   May 2021

Bachelor of Arts in **Visual Arts**
Bachelor of Sciences in **Biology**
Minor in **Computer Science**

Relevant Courses
Graphic Design in Multimedia
Advanced Visual Practice
Fundamentals of Design

Experience

Wellbeing Economic Alliance | Durham, NC   *Aug 2020 —Jan 2021*
Web Designer
Prototyping website to serve as a resource hub for anti-capitalist, community-building efforts.

Freelance Art & Design | Durham, NC, & Columbus, GA   *Oct 2018 —Present*
Designing publicity graphics, videos, and album covers for various student arts groups at Duke.
Using both Adobe and traditional tools to create art for clients.

Duke Innovation Co-Lab | Durham, NC   *Jun 2020 —Oct 2020*
Marketing Consultant
Running social media accounts, developing Co-Lab website, and creating graphics across the website with Illustrator.

Noor Evolutionary Biology Lab | Durham, NC   *May 2019 —Aug 2019*
Research Assistant
Tending to and counting fruit flies, and analyzing data to find patterns in the genetic makeup of populations.

Involvement

Design@Duke   *Aug 2020 —Present*
Founding Member
Creating graphics and helping with outreach for Duke's first student-led design club.

Project Arts (Pre-Orientation Program)   *Aug 2018 —Aug 2020*
Staff Member
Leading collaborative, inter-disciplinary art projects and fostering community in the arts among 45 to 60-first year students.
In Aug 2019, acting as food coordinator, managing a $1200 budget for the 65-member program.

Hoof 'n' Horn Musical Theater Group   *Nov 2017 —Present*
Orchestral Director, *Publicity Head*, *Cast Member*
Directing, conducting, and playing in the pit orchestra (4 productions), as well as producing publicity materials (4.5 productions).

Projects

Project Discover   *Jun—Jul 2020*
Developed website for a Co-Lab program that matches users to available creative/engineering projects.

Graphic Design Magazine   *May 2020*
Acted as art director for a student-made magazine as part of the Graphic Design in Multimedia course at Duke.

Visual Arts Thesis   *Jan—May 2021*
Set of oil paintings done throughout the Spring 2020 semester exploring story, emotion, and form.

Skills

Technical
Microsoft Suite
Adobe CS: Photoshop, Illustrator, XD, Premiere
Python, R, HTML, Java
Figma
Academic Writing

Creative
Digital & Traditional Art, Multimedia Sculpture, Acrylic & Oil Paint, Digital Photography

Administrative
Social Media Marketing, Project Management, Teamwork, Multitasking, Time Management

Language
Russian, Spanish