# Selin Saracoglu

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#### Education

Selden, NY Suffolk County Community College Aug 2021 - Dec 2023

A.S. in Computer Science GPA: 3.4 / 4.0

New Paltz, NY State University of New York at New Paltz Aug 2012 - May 2017

B.A. in English & Theatre Arts GPA: 3.23/4.0 (Dean's List)

## Work Experience

### Starbucks | Barista Trainer / Barista | Fall 2018 - Spring 2023

- Responsible for serving customers in a fast-paced environment, working as part of a diverse team, and adapting to a dynamic setting.
- Promoted to a leadership role after 8 months, training new employees on all aspects of the barista role, including company policies
  and procedures, daily routines, products, cash handling, and importance of maintaining a positive environment that upheld the
  standards of the company.
- Worked alongside management during each new employee's training period to ensure a smooth and successful transition for the company, and provided feedback, coaching, mentorship, and instruction to all new hires.
- Recipient of Starbucks Partner of the Quarter award in recognition of exemplary efforts and contributions to the team.

### GameStop | Sales Associate / Cashier | Fall 2017 - Summer 2018

- Handled customer queries and provided information about available products and services in a professional and friendly manner.
- Operated the cash register, fielded phone calls as needed, and assisted with new product data entry.

## SUNY New Paltz Theatre Department | Stagehand | Summer 2016 - Spring 2017

- Oversaw and conducted stage operations with the team during various shows and recitals at SUNY New Paltz.
- Troubleshooted problems as they arose to ensure a seamless production.

#### Bay Street Theater | Scenic Artist | Summer 2015 Season

• Worked as the Scenic Art intern to put up four professional mainstage productions for Bay Street Theater's summer season.

### Volunteer / Leadership Experience

## SUNY New Paltz Theatre Department | Paint Shop Leader | Fall 2015 - Spring 2017

• Lead and taught students various painting techniques to produce the department's mainstage shows.

#### Technical Theatre & Design Association | Member / Fundraiser | Spring 2014 - Spring 2017

• Fundraised for attendance to annual United States Institute for Theatre Technology Conferences and other events.

## SUNY New Paltz HvZ Club | Head of Moderators / Moderator / Content Committee | Fall 2013 - Spring 2017

- Elected position where a structured interview process was created, organized, and executed for over 25 applicants.
- Oversaw a team of 18 moderators for events with 150+ participants & fostered relations between student body and campus police.

## **Projects**

## The Land of Sewertopia | Co-Editor & Co-Writer | Spring 2016

• Helped organize & contribute to a student written puppet show in one semester. Produced by SUNY New Paltz Theatre Dept.

#### **Technologies and Skills**

Languages: English, Intermediate Turkish

Programming Languages: Java, JavaFX, HTML, CSS

Programs: Google Workspace, Microsoft Office, Adobe Photoshop, Eclipse IDE, VSCode

#### References

Available upon request