RINA HYSENI

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About Me

I am a visual arts student working to enhance my creative abilities and pursue a career in visual design, illustration, and storytelling. Through diverse mediums such as photography, writing, graphic design, film, and illustration, I am actively exploring my areas of interest as a high school student, engaging in work-based learning experiences and community service initiatives.

Skills

- Adobe Certified Associate in Visual Design with Photoshop CC 2018.
- Google and Microsoft Suites
- Creative and Artistic Ability (painting, drawing, storybuilding, photography and videography)
- Soft skills: Collaboration,
 Communication, Organization,
 Ability to work under pressure

Awards

2023 | Scholastic Art and Writing
Silver Key for Drawing and
Illustration

Language

English - Fluent Albanian - Fluent

Education

High School of Art and Design, Manhattan Sep 2021 - PRESENT Specialized art high school

- Major: Illustration
- · Relevant Coursework: Illustration, Art History, Computer Arts
- Anticipated Graduation Date: June 2025
- Gpa: 4.0

Experience

BRIC, Brooklyn Youth Media Fellow

Oct 2022 - PRESENT

- Critically evaluated and analyzed films to assess their components.
- Conceptualized and defined the theme, age range, and ideal content for a youth film festival.
- Developed video and image marketing materials to promote selected films
- Empowered the voices of NYC youth through the creation and organization of a film festival.
- Directed content creation efforts to effectively promote and enhance audience engagement.

Cancer Kids First, Manhattan *Club member*

Oct 2022 - PRESENT

- Utilized my artistic abilities to create handmade personalized crafts for young cancer patients, including cards, coloring books, and more gifts
- Efficiently collaborated and communicated with team members to coordinate projects and meet deadlines efficiently
- Dedicated efforts to bring a touch of happiness to the lives of the children

Wollman Rink, Manhattan

Oct 2022 - Nov 2022

Designer of the 2023 winter season mural

- Created digital mock-ups and mural concepts to present clients, aligning with the project's theme, location, and target audience
- Employed acrylic paint to apply the design onto the mural surface
- Collaborated with peers to apply the design to the mural
- Coordinated logistics, materials, and resources for smooth project execution