

# Micah Beahan

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## *Education:*

### **University of the Arts, Philadelphia PA**

Pursuing BFA in Illustration with a minor in Film, Class of 2022

3.7 cumulative GPA. Deans List all semesters. Some notable courses included:

Image/Time, Text and Image, Color Theory, Drawing Natural Forms and Anatomy, Sophomore, Junior, and Senior Portfolio Studios.

## *Skills:*

**Software:** Adobe Photoshop, Illustrator, InDesign, and Premiere

**Illustration:** digital, watercolor, colored pencil, ink.

## *Relevant Experience:*

### **Graphic Design Intern for Nostalchick's Fashion Boutique (Summer 2020)**

Creating graphics for newsletters and social media. Updated various social media platforms.

Conducted brand and marketing research

### **Graphic Design Intern for Elements Media Network (Fall 2021)**

Creating graphics, logos, and promotional flyers for Elements Media Network's television and radio stations. Designing merchandise mockups, assisting with designing murals in the physical EMN studio, attending pitch meetings with staff and interns to gain direction for projects and consistency of branding.

### **Freelance Artist (Current)**

Various commissions including pet portraits and event poster designs.

## *Leadership & Recognitions*

### **Student Ambassador for Admissions at University of the Arts (2018-2020)**

Conducted tours of the university for prospective students. Performed various office/administrative tasks.

Helped with set up of events for accepted/prospective students.

### **Fellow with Pennsylvania Student Power Network (Fall 2019)**

Participated in city/statewide meetings and conference calls addressing current civic events in our schools and communities. Canvassed and attended local activist events.

### **Student Presidential Advisory Board Member at University of the Arts (2019)**

Nominated and selected to join a group of 12 students who met with the University President to provide feedback and discuss changes the student body would like to see made. Involved figuring out which ones to prioritize and how to achieve them.

### **Illustration Faculty Award (2022)**

Awarded to 2-4 students of the graduating illustration majors at The University of the Arts each year for quality of work, perseverance, significant improvement and leadership in the classroom.

## *Employment:*

### **Skytop Lodge Floral Shop (2016-2018)**

Decoration for weddings, special events, and seasonal displays. Floral arrangement, merchandise maintenance general shop upkeep

### **Skytop Lodge Activities Department (2018-2020)**

Ice skate rental sales/ice rink supervision. Set up and supervision of various family recreation activities and craft projects around the hotel.

## *Volunteer:*

### **Indraloka Animal Sanctuary (October 2016-present)**

Animal Caregiver - feeding, socializing, and general care of rescue farm animals.

Supply Drive Coordinator - working with staff to determine needed supplies, setting up donation boxes, making social media and schoolwide calls for donations. (Fall 2017)

### **Laundry Crew with PHL Laundry (July 2021-present)**

Collecting, washing, and preparing clothing for unhoused and housing insecure individuals in the Philadelphia area. Preparing and distributing "care packages" of laundry supplies.