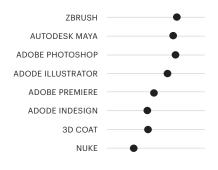


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### **Skills**



## Interests

- Studying Japanese
  Jiu-Jitsu
- Enjoy traditional drawing and painting
- Fluent in English and Vietnamese

### Volunteer & Awards

- 1st place winner in Dog toy Design competition of SmartPetLove, Nov 2019
- Best of Ringling Visual Studies, 2019
- 3<sup>RD</sup> place winner in label design competition of Porter Family Vineyard, April 2018
- Volunteered at Sarasota County Park, "Recreation and Natural Resources", Aug 2015

# Tu Malaspina 3D Modeling Artist / Visual Development

### Education

Ringling College of Art & Design | Sarasota, FL | BA, May 2020

Major: Visual Studies

Senior Thesis Theme: 3D modeling in Zbrush and Autodesk Maya.

Atlantic Cape Community College | Mays Landing, NJ | AA, May 2013

Major: Studio Arts

Courses: Traditional drawings, paintings, sculptings and color studies.

# 3D Modeling/ Animation / Visual Development Experience

**3D Modeler / Visual Developer** | Ringling College of Arts & Design Sarasota, FL | Aug 2016 – Present

- 2D Designed characters and environments
- 3D Modeled characters and environments
- UV Mapping
- Texturing

Animator | Ringling College of Arts & Design, Sarasota, FL | Aug 2016 - Aug 2018

- Designed characters and environments, planned animation with thumbnails, research indoor lighting and developed a schematic to identify lighting needs.
- Bring character into 3D world, binded skin and painted skin weight, animated pose-to-pose.

Storyboard Artist | Ringling College of Arts & Design

Sarasota, FL | Aug 2015 - Aug 2018

• Developed storyboards based on video reference and class critique, edited boards into animatics with sound.

## **Design and Service Experience**

KidFinity Brainstorming Immersive | Ringling College of Arts & Design

Sarasota, FL | Nov 2019 - Nov 2019

- · Developed a brand identity
- · Brainstormed packaging design for a new toy

Director of Design | "Self-Vigilant" E-Com business in Customized Emergency

Kits | Sarasota, FL, March 2017 - Present

- · Completed Logo Design, Company T-shirt.
- · Design banners, brochures, posters, business cards.
- Maintain company web design.
- · Manage posting events in social media.