# **Chelsea Ortiz**

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### **Work Experience**

2023-Present	Adjunct Faculty, Black Hawk College, Moline, Illinois
2022-Present	CAD Designer, Hazelwood Homes, Geneseo, Illinois
2021-2022	Animation Intern (Remote), Childhood Cancer Society, Wayne, New Jersey
2021-2022	Paraprofessional, Our Lady of Grace Catholic Academy, East Moline, Illinois
2021-2022	After School Tutor, Spring Forward, Rock Island, Illinois
2020-2021	Graduate Assistant, Unified Technology Support, Ball State University, Muncie, Indiana
2019- 2020	Youth Animation Workshop Instructor, Cornerstone Arts, Muncie, Indiana
2018-2020	Graduate Teaching Assistant, Prism Project Animation Director, Ball State University, Muncie, Indiana
2016-2018	Computer Science Teacher, Our Lady of Grace Catholic Academy, East Moline, Illinois
2014-2016	Photography Lab Technician, Photographic Arts, Geneseo, Illinois

## **Work Related Experience**

Fall 2023	Instructor, Applications in Computer Art- ART 190

Spring 2020 Teaching Assistant, Rachel Cohn, Art Orientation

Fall 2019 Teaching Assistant, Heidi Jenson, Art Orientation

Teaching Assistant, Sarojini Johnson, 2D Foundations

Spring 2019 Teaching Assistant, Brad Condie, Drawing for Animators

Fall 2018 Teaching Assistant, Maura Jasper, Computer Art

Teaching Assistant, Maura Jasper, Video Art

### Workshops

2020	vvorksnop instructor,	Youth Tradition	al Animation Course,
2020	Workshop manucion,	Toutil Haultone	al Allimation Course,

Cornerstone Center for the Arts, Muncie, Indiana

2018-2020 Animation Director, Prism Project, Ball State University, Muncie, Indiana

2017-2018 Summer Camp Instructor, Video Game Programming, College for Kids,

#### **Education**

2018- Present Animation Masters in Fine Art (MFA) Candidate, Ball State University,

Muncie, Indiana

2012-2015 Design & Media Art Bachelors in Fine Art (BFA), Northern Illinois University,

DeKalb, Illinois

2009-2012 Visual Communications Associate of Applied Science (AAS), Black Hawk College,

East Moline, Illinois

### **Continued Education**

2020 Visiting Artist, Ball State University, John Pomeroy

2020 Metalsmithing, Ball State University, Jessica Calderwood, ACR 221

2019 Visiting Artist, Ball State University, John Pomeroy

#### **Skills**

Toon Boom Harmony, Storyboard
Autodesk Maya, 3DS Max
Adobe Photoshop, Illustrator, InDesign, Premiere, After Effects, Animate
3D Printing
Laser Printing
Metalsmithing
CAD Design
Chief Architect

### **Conferences & Expositions**

2020 Lightbox Expo Attendee, Pasadena, California

2020 Creative Talent Network (CTN) Attendee, Burbank, California

2019 Creative Talent Network (CTN) Attendee, Burbank, California

### **Exhibitions & Presentations**

2023 Black Hawk College Faculty Art Exhibition, Moline, Illinois

D is for Drama, short film directed by Brad Condie

2021 Black Hawk College Alumni Show, Moline, Illinois

2021 Commiserated: MFA Thesis Show, Ned & Gloria Griner Gallery, Muncie, Indiana

#### **Exhibitions & Presentations Continued**

2020 The Production of the Film: Unwell, Educational Psychology Research Festival,

Muncie, Indiana

2019 Narrative Patterns MFA Show, Ned & Gloria Griner Gallery, Muncie, Indiana

2019 1st & 2nd MFA Show, Atrium Gallery, Muncie, Indiana

2015 BFA Show, Egyptian Theater, DeKalb, Illinois

### **Community Work**

2019 Hurricane Maria Mission Trip, UMCOR, Patillas, Puerto Rico

### Clubs

2019-2021 Cardinal Animation Workshop (CAW), Club President, Ball State University,

Muncie, Indiana

2015 Video Game Developers Club, Northern Illinois University,

DeKalb, Illinois

#### **Awards**

2020 Aspire Creative Project Grant Recipient

2013 Jack Arends Foundation Scholarship Recipient

#### References

James "Andy" Beane Interim Director of the School of Art,

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