Michael Liang

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EDUCATION

California Institute of the Arts, Los Angeles, CA

Bachelor of Fine Arts in Graphic Design

LaGuardia High School of Music & Art and Performing Arts, New York, NY

June 2023

Expected: June 2027

HONORS

Posse Foundation Full-Tuition Leadership Scholarship (2023-2027)

2023

Scholastic Art and Writing Award for Excellence in Art

2020

Honorable mention for homage sculpture using plaster and paint spreading knowledge and recognition about Bob Ross

WORK EXPERIENCE

Cal-Arts IT Student Engagement Specialist

Student Worker

Los Angeles, CA October 2023 – Present

Produced flyer's and online resources to provide technological assistance to all faculties, staff, and students

Respond to university related inquiries to resolve or triage various departmental tickets

Posse Arts Program

New York, NY June 2024 – July 2024

Posse Summer Arts Intern

- Illustrated mixed media animatic to foster outreach to future applicants by illustrating Posse's vision in a enticing way
- Designed eye-catching flyer's to collect summer placement data reaching over 70+ current on-campus Scholars
- Facilitated a weekly networking session with 20+ Posse Scholars to discuss and share our experiences as Posse Scholars
- Shared first-hand experience with Posse National Board to display impact of being a summer intern

#GOBEYOND

New York, NY

Video Production – Business Development Intern

September 2022-February 2022

- Formulated investor decks for environmental sustainability, and logos to attract company sponsors and investors
- Organized and created team hierarchical organizational charts for 25+ employees

Futures and Options Internship Program Intern

New York, NY

March 2022 – February 2023

Acquired meaningful hands-on work experience by gaining opportunities to network and learn from small businesses, nonprofits, government agencies, and multinational corporations

Summer Design Institute HBO Max Pa'lante

New York, NY June 2022-August 2023

Participant

- Led a team of 20 to design multicultural digital marketing campaign pitch aimed to expose diversity within film and arts industry
- Performed 5-minute pitch and presented detailed proposition strategies created by a diverse group of young individuals towards Oscar-Shortlisted film "Namoo" to HBO directors and Erick Oh (producer) to an audience of 70+

EXTRACURRICULAR ACTIVITIES

The Cooper Union's Art Saturday Program

New York, NY

Participant

October 2019 – December 2022

- Achieved proficiency towards art mediums through creation of short film and photo editing gaining accountability through hard deadlines on projects
- Collaborated with peers through rigorous art critique and visiting art museums gaining experience and thorough communication skills

LaGuardia Highschool Art Department

Social Media Director

New York, NY September 2022-June 2023

- Produced compelling graphics using professional software on social media reaching 1,500+ followers
- Led a team of 10 students to promote events, news, and information in the art department across 2,800+ students

LaGuardia Highschool Art Newsletter

New York, NY

Assistant Editor

September 2022 – June 2023

- Designed visually appealing slides for art department's monthly newsletter sent to families and students Reached out to staff, faculty, and students to curate relevant and up to date academic related news

SKILLS

Language: Cantonese (Conversational)

Editing Software: Proficient in Adobe Suite (Photoshop, Illustrator, Premiere Pro, InDesign, XD, After Effects, Blender) Lightroom Classic, Cinema 4D, ZBrush)