ISABELLA TRAMA

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Tools

- · Autodesk Maya
- Adobe Substance 3D Painter
- Unreal Engine 5
- Unity

- Toon Boom Harmony 22
- · Adobe After Effects
- Adobe Photoshop
- · Adobe Premiere Pro

Experience

Dec 2024 - Current LA. California

Animation Program Director - National Student Leadership Conference

- Develop and facilitate an Animation curriculum for 100 high schoolers across two 9-day intensives.
- Create lesson plans and simulations in the field of Animation.
- Coordinate field trips, guest speakers, and daily events.
- Hire, train and lead a group of 4-5 Team Advisors.

Aug 2024 - Current New York, NY

Convention Vendor & Independent Artist | @buni.bell

- Sell original artwork and merchandise at conventions & marketplaces.
- Oversee inventory, pricing, and budgeting for sales events.
- Design and produce artwork, packaging, and promotional materials.
- Network with artists and industry professionals to expand reach and visibility.

June 2024 - July 2024 New York, NY

Team Advisor - National Student Leadership Conference

- Led two groups of 16 2D animation students in animation software, techniques, and leadership skills.
- Supervised students on field trips to industry-leading studios like Nickelodeon Studios, The Mill, and Pratt Institute.
- Acted as resident advisor (RA) and oversaw and supported students on my floor.
- Developed strong rapport with students, leading to positive feedback and engagement, enhancing their overall experience and personal growth.

Education

Spring 2025 3.93 GPA

Bachelor of Fine Arts in Digital Arts; Concentration in Game Design

New York Institute of Technology

- T.K Steele Scholarship Recipient | Presidential Honor Roll: 2022-2025
- President of The Digital Arts Club (DAC)
- Member of The National Society of Leadership and Success (NSLS)
- Member of The Caucus of Designing Games in Emerging Technology (DGET)
- · Member of NYC ACM SIGGRAPH
- · Coursework: 2D Animation, 3D Design, Visual Concept & Storytelling, and Game Design.

June 2021 3.8 GPA

Career and Technical Endorsed Diploma in Computer Animation

Gerald R. Claps Career and Technical Center

- SkillsUSA Student Government President
- Member of the National Art Honor Society (NAHS)

Accomplishments

- "Best Game" & "Best Game Concept Art Direction" at the NYIT 2023 Animation Game Festival, "Gemini's Deck"

 Led a team of 7 artists in developing a 2D fighting game, managing production, and creating concept and background art.

 Produced the final trailer for festival submission.
- "Best 2D Game" at the NYIT 2022 Game Jam, "Fighting Game"

 Worked as a background artist for this side-scrolling fighting game made in 6 hours.
- Founded and led the NYIT Digital Arts Club (DAC) as President (2024 2025)

 Organized events, secured funding, ran meetings, and connected students to industry opportunities, including conventions.