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• Skills

- Hand drawing
- Cultural Awareness
- Prepress and printing
- Visual communication expertise
- Texture painting
- Sculpture
- Photographic editing
- Painted finishes
- Composition
- Commission requests
- Oil painting
- Proficient in Adobe Acrobat
- Mac OS X proficient
- Vendor relationships
- Art history

Visual Artist Arris' Cohen

Emerging artist experienced in acrylic medium and versatile in thematic experimentation. Disciplined and productive creative with diverse and varied portfolio showcasing personal evolution in artistic journey. Willing to take creative risks and push conceptual boundaries. Adobe, Photoshop and Indesign proficiency.

• Work History

2021-06 - Current

Visual Artist

Sir'ra Aesthetics, Columbus, OHIO

- Ordered and maintained adequate supply of materials, supplies and equipment for over 17 paintings and multimedia illustrations.
- Displayed portfolio to show off best work to potential clients and promote skills and value on website and social media.
- Researched drawings of characters and environmental elements for inspiration.
- Created custom drawings and paintings using fine oils, acrylics and charcoal on high quality canvas.
- Participated in creative brainstorming sessions to develop new ideas or improve existing ones.
- Made use of materials, such as ink, watercolors, charcoal, oil, computer software, paints and pencils to complete unique piece for customers.
- Fulfilled and shipped high quality print orders for customers

2021-01 - Current

Visual Animator

Fearless Dialogues, Atlanta, GA

- Worked alongside other experimenters to create unique designs to translate artistic vision into visual medium for 12 different paintings.
- Present artistic rendering to attendees and explain my vision for each piece based on their conversations
- Engaged and enticed participants in talking about critiquing art
- Facilitated any orders that are placed and shipped artistic prints or original pieces
- Liaised with other departments to discuss ideas and create unified goals.

2022-current

Art Educator

All T.H.A.T., Columbus, OH
Franklinton High School, Columbus, OH

- Facilitate 2 hour class sessions twice a week with 10-20 students at each facility
- Work individually with students to complete art projects
- Curate quarterly art shows where the students display their work
- Create connections between gifted students and art organizations that they could benefit from
- Facilitate field trips for students to see art exhibitions for inspiration
- Create murals and art pieces to help beautify and maintain each facility

Exhibitions/Commissions/Awards

- Solo Show with Maroon Arts Group 5/22 "Behind the Seen"
- "Mind, Body, Spirit, and Soouull" Streetlight Guild 10/22
- Urban Scrawl 16 with Franklinton Arts District 10/22
- Mural for Creole2geaux in the arena district 12/22
- Gravity 2.0 mobile mural project with Franklinton Arts District 1/23
- "Arts Beacon of Light" exhibition at the Riffe Gallery 1/23
- "Growth of the Baobab" solo exhibition at William H. Thomas Gallery 2/23
- Featured artist for "Irrepressible Soul" exhibition at the Urban Artspace 6/23
- Solo exhibition "Confluence" at Soleclassics 6/23
- Solo exhibition Bridge Gallery 9/23
- Commission for ODI/YSP at the Ohio State University 10/23
- Mural for Franklinton High School 8/23
- Artist Residency with Urban Artspace August through December 2023
- Mural for Gravity Experience Park and Logo 9/23-11-23
- Columbus Underground top 5 artist of 2023
- Solo exhibition "Fervent Fruition" at Urban Arts Space 1/24
- Mural for Greater Cleveland Food Bank 1/24
- Mural for Columbus Fashion Alliance 2/24
- Black Future Month exhibition 6/24
- Solo exhibition at the OSU Faculty Club 7/24
- Group show NAACP Dayton 7/24