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Education

2026 BFA Painting Academy of Art University

Awards

- 2024 "Spring Show", Academy of Art University,
— Contemporary Art Award
- 2025 "Spring Show", Academy of Art University,
— 1st place in Figure Painting

Group Exhibitions

- 2024 "New Beginning" — The Cannery Gallery, San Francisco, California
- 2024 "Spring Show" — Academy of Art University, San Francisco, California
- 2025 "Student Show" — The Cannery Gallery, San Francisco, California
- 2025 "Spring Show" — Academy of Art University, San Francisco, California
- 2025 "Chinese Laundry History" — CHSA Museum, San Francisco, California

Bibliography

Academy of Art University, "Meet Artist", Instagram/ Facebook, 2025/7/18

Experience

Oil Painting Teacher

2020.2022 Tonghuo Art Studio

- Responsible for the daily management of students.
- Understanding of students learning situations,
- Giving them comprehensive guidance



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Student representative

2024 - Present | Fine Art Department — Academy of Art University

- A voice for students: Represent the concerns and ideas of the classmates to the administration.
- A bridge between students and staff: Help share information and resources to keep everyone informed.
- A leader in the community: Take an active role in shaping the student experience in your department.

President

2024 – 2026/1/11 | Fine Art Club — Academy of Art University

Established Fine Art Club in 2024. Until now, the club has over one hundred members. The club organized activities: group study sessions, student exhibitions, field trips, museum visits with professors, and festival events, fostering a strong community that encouraged meaningful interaction between students and faculty.

- Lead and Coordinate: Oversee all club activities, set long-term plans, and yearly goals.
- Communication Link: Act as the main connection between other leaders and the school, ensuring the club follows school policies.
- Decision Support: Support and give advice for all club events, making sure each department is on track.
- Problem Solving: Handle any conflicts or issues within the club, helping other leaders solve challenges.
- Motivate and Manage: Make sure all team members feel supported and encouraged, helping them grow their leadership skills.

Instructor

2024 - 2025 | Craftivity

- Plan and lead engaging, being independent teaching and inspired art activities during this period included collaborations with companies such as Google and YouTube to host small-scale art events for 10–16 participants.
- Facilitate exploration, creativity, and inquiry in studio and outdoor environments
- Collaborating with fellow instructors for mutual assistance.