

MARIA ALEJANDRA BARRAGAN MAFFE

PROFILE

Self-motivated and highly organised creative graduate with numerous years in the field of art. A rapid learner of processes and tools applicable to artistic operations, I love to take on challenges and find artistic solutions by understanding the questions that are asked and prioritizing the tasks at hand to meet the objective.

Adept at delivering quality and original pieces to various clientele while also being diligent in my approach, I present a friendly and approachable persona, whether in person, via email or over the phone.

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SOFT SKILLS

Teamwork
Client relationship
Verbal communication
Prioritisation
Working to deadlines
Adaptability
Time management
Organisational skills
Flexibility
Working under pressure

CORE SKILLS

Developing digital artwork and artistic content across numerous platforms and styles.

Proficient at using specialist tools such as Procreate, I-movie, Premier pro, and Adobe Photoshop.

Great at adapting to specific tools, including Cricut for craft, Polymer clay for Jewellery, and transfer paper for t-shirt printing. Able to visualize and conceptualise ideas before creating them. Photography and editing skills for large events.

Self-motivated series of drawings, paintings and work that shows of my skills and versatility.

EXPERIENCE

8 years of experience working in art related field.

Produced unique jewellery and ornaments from polymer for my shop.

Commissioned specific styled drawings for Clients through my shop.

Collaborated with local church to take, edit, and print photos for special events.

Worked with MarathonFoto to take an extensive series of photos that captures runner's mood.

Self-motivated projects on Esty selling various arts and craft. Created and sold t-shirts with specific designs from clientele.

EMPLOYMENT (CREATIVE)

Etsy [Freelance]

Sept 2020 – Current

- Create unique Arts and Craft for sell.
- Self-motivated venture
- Commission customer specific pieces.
- Organise and management to work around a tight schedule.
- Self-promotion, self-taught on many different aspects opening an online store.
- Stress management, Marketing, patience, and positivity
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MarathonFoto [Freelance]

April 2013 – April 2017

- Capture the excitement and jubilation of the runners at start and end of races.
- Working accurately, quickly, and efficiently due to the turnover of participants.
- Developing good relationship with clients.
- Seasonal and occasional.

***Portfolio Available.**

LANGUAGES

English
Spanish

HOBBIES & INTERESTS

My Family is my greatest joy
Music and Films
Arts and Craft
Travel

EMPLOYMENT (OTHER)

ZSL London Zoo [Admissions representative]

April 2015 – March 2018

- Administrative tasks
- Working in various departments, Admissions, Car Park, and Retail.
- Maintaining supplies and inventories for daily use.
- Monetary transactions, BACS, Cash, Vouchers, CC.
- Training new and existing colleagues.
- Selling and upselling to maximise revenue.
- Maintaining and displaying stock.
- Interpersonal and communication skills.

NEI Enterprise | M&M World | Mosimann [Sales Assistant]

July 2012 – April 2015

- Working and interacting with customers.
- Performing as part of a team and individual.
- Cash handling and digital transactions.
- Customer service roles dealing with various clientele.
- Maintaining stock.

EDUCATION

Kinston University [BA Art & Design]

Sept 2011- July 2014

- Drawing Systems.
- Contextual Studies.
- Digital Applications.
- Workshop placement.

Seevic College [AS & A-levels]

- AS Fine Art.
- As Photography.
- A-level Fine Art.
- A-level Photography.
- A-level Spanish.

The Sweyne Park School [GCSE]

- 8 GCSE including English, Math, and Science