

TEGAN SIMMONDS

4 SKILLS ART DEPARTMENT TRAINEE WITH NFTS

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Art Portfolio:

<https://docs.google.com/document/d/1QR3c-p4BLcqB0Wbsi6KFa9IWewbHwLu5xWcTQmRB4zw/edit>

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I am an Artist who uses a variety of mediums, with experience in sound, video editing and design software. I am currently employed by NFTS as an Art Department trainee, to work on an 8-part drama series with Duck Soup Productions as part of a 4 Skills traineeship programme. I am a highly motivated, enthusiastic, creative, friendly individual who thrives on a new challenge individually or as part of a team and is always willing to learn with great time management, interpersonal skills and attention to detail. My aim is to work on a large scale immersive production where I can put my numerous art skills to the test.

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- Experienced user of Adobe Suite Software, Logic Pro X, Nomad Sculpt (3D), Canva, Apple iMovie, Procreate, Microsoft Office Suite, Wix
 - Versatile artist specialising in graphite hyper-realism, and abstract visionary works
 - Good knowledge of art history, use of materials/tools and colour theory
 - Experienced in craft based arts including painting, clay, woodwork, and textiles

Casting Assistant, TV Drama, Shaheen Baig Casting, Channel 4 - November 2022

- Distributed flyers and open casting call flyers to a specific target group
- Communicated effectively with potential actors about the project

Design Trainee, Hollyoaks, Lime Pictures, Channel 4 - September 2022 – October 2022

- Helped dress sets in preparation for Christmas episodes
 - Made props to dress the sets as well as action props to be used during scenes
 - Went on set and shadowed stage hand assistants
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Art Department Trainee & Location Marshal (Dailies), A Cuban Girl's Guide to Tea and Tomorrow, Ace Entertainment, Netflix - August 2022 – September 2022

- Unloaded and assembled props, furniture and equipment
- Helped assist and dressed the set
- Dealt with public and managing crowds
- Ensured craft table and filming locations were clean and tidy

Self-employed Artist - July 2022 – August 2022

- Designed art to be printed onto t-shirts and hoodies for my clothing brand
 - Made my own accessories using a sewing machine
 - Designed and printed my own art prints
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Industry Relevant Training:

- The Mark Milson Foundation - Film and TV Online Safety Passport Course
 - Coronavirus basic awareness on production training
 - Addressing unconscious bias: basic awareness in the workplace
 - Tackling harassment and bullying at work
 - Introduction to mental health awareness at work
 - Risk Management of Productions
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Other Experience:

Restaurant Crew Member, McDonalds - February 2017 – September 2018
Employee of the Month (December)

Leaflet Distributor, Root Promotions, Bierkeller - December 2016 – February 2017

Bakery Assistant & Checkout Operator, Morrisons - September 2015 – September 2016

Egg Collector, Scaman's Eggs - November 2014 – September 2015

Education:

BA (Hons) Fine Art, Leeds Beckett University: 2:1 - September 2018 – July 2021

Creative Media Production, Access Creative College: D* D* - September 2016 – July 2018
Creative Media Student of the Year (2017)

References available on request.

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