

Samantha Hernandez

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Education

Savannah College of Art and Design (SCAD) • Savannah, GA
BFA Sequential Art & minor in Storyboarding June 2016

Skills

- Illustration	- Adobe Photoshop
- Sequential Art	- InDesign
- Storytelling	- Google Workspace
- Digital Art	- Microsoft Office
- Character Design	- Computer skills
- Traditional Drawing	- Organization
- Traditional Painting:	- Time Management
Watercolor & Oil	- Adaptability
- Lightroom	- Detail-oriented
- Illustrator	- Research

Languages

Fluent: English, Spanish, & French

Elementary: Japanese & Korean

Exhibitions & Honors

November – December 2018
The Arts Gallery: Student Open Exhibit
Exhibited a watercolor mixed media painting in the student exhibition gallery at the Collin College Spring Creek campus.

2012 & 2013
Featured artist in SCAD Days/Open House
Displayed a series of traditional art pieces as examples of the foundation studies for prospective students during the 2012 Fall quarter & 2013 Winter quarter.

Experience

Freelance Illustrator • June 2016 – Present

Creating illustrations commissioned by private and public clients & bringing their ideas to life. Details on projects and clients available upon request.

Art Teacher • North Richland Hills Centre • June 2018 – March 2019

Offering 8-week art sessions – private and group. Topics were: Design, Drawing Techniques, Scripting, Mini-Comics, and Children's Books.

Penciller (Tight Roughs) • Henry Barajas • June 2017

Tight-roughed the first six pages of his independent comic, Tata Ramos.

Storyboarder & Character Designer • September 2014 – May 2015

Created the storyboard and animatic. Designed the characters in the short-animated college film project, "Cowboy Dreams".

Publications

October 2021

• Backyard Pollinators: A Partnership with Plants

Three illustrations featured; including back cover illustration. An educational coloring book, showcasing key & diverse pollinator species across North America.

November 2019

• All Along the Atlantic: From Open Oceans to Cypress

Swamp Four illustrations featured. An educational coloring book that celebrates marine life along the Atlantic coast.

• Adorably Spooky: Inktober 2019

A collection of 33 ink illustrations depicting sweet and charming tale of a black cat encountering that which lurks in the night. Illustrations were made during Inktober.

November 2018

• Hatchlings: A Coloring Book Anthology (Coloring Nature)

One illustration featured. An educational coloring book of North American birds & their hatchlings. Emphasizing the importance of the bond between children & parents.

February 2017

• Fleet Saves the Prince

A story that takes a spin on the usual "Knight saves the princess". This children's book tells the tale of a heroic frog bard who saves her gecko prince from a greedy opossum.