

# Rashaud Grimes

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## EDUCATION

### **B.S in Art - Visual Arts**

*Northern Illinois University, Dekalb, IL*

Aug 2019 - Dec 2023 (Expected)

### **Highschool Diploma**

*Muchin college Prep*

## SKILLS

**Portrait Drawing**- 2 years of self-practice and 2 classes where I chose portraits as longer projects with pencil and charcoal.

- My primary skill when it comes to drawing

**Figure Drawing**- 3 years of art classes and self-study. It can be digital or pencil.

**Adobe Photoshop + InDesign**- I attended a class that was centered on graphic design for company marketing, posters, and magazine spreads. I have basic knowledge on how to use the 2 because of it.

**Painting**- 2 years of painting classes with watercolor and oil as the main mediums I learned to use.

-I do not usually paint traditionally anymore, but those skills are incorporated into my charcoal pieces.

**Digital Art (Procreate)**- I am most familiar with using Procreate on iPad to create digital art.

- Close to 5 months studying digital art.

**Critical Thinking** - I spend a lot of time drawing and many hours figuring out how to fix certain things or make the result look better. Portraits are especially taxing since misplacing or making a facial feature too big or small throws the whole piece off.

**Screen printing**- I know the basics of screen printing for paper, t-shirts, stickers, and other merchandise, as well as the design strategies that make them work.