

As a creative artist, I have loved expressing my artwork visually in any medium, my favorite being watercolor. The subject matter varies depending on what sparks my interest. I have always been interested in Greek Mythology and recently have focused more on creating artworks based on the stories of the Olympians and various characters mentioned in Greek Mythology. I find it fun to create your own versions of myths and or stories and depict them in your own style. From an early age I always created artworks based off characters that already existed in books and fairy tales, along with tv cartoons. My first drawing ever, being the powerpuff girls. I feel that my artwork is not focused on any one person but is universal in that, anyone can view it and interpret it in the way they wish. I have recently wanted to create more afro styled artworks. In my recent work of creating Medusa, I have chosen to make the characters in my series, African American. I felt this just was something I have always wanted to do, as I am of mixed race. Being mixed (Caucasian and African American) I didn't see much representation of me in tv shows, art, and animations. This made me want to create my own versions of already existing characters, with my own twist and style. My role in the world is to inspire and create, knowing that anything is possible. After graduating, I plan to continue working on my arts in hopes of becoming an art therapist and or freelance artist. I am optimistic as I am a first-generation independent college student and finishing will remind me that I can achieve anything if I put my mind to it. Artists can do so many different things, and creativity is becoming rare traditionally and more digitally. I will most likely go from pen and paper to a Wacom and other drawing pads, and share my artwork worldwide using social platforms.

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Artist statement