ANTHONY CHASE

ANIMATOR/GRAPHIC DESIGNER/ILLUSTRATOR

Professional Summary:

Recent BFA graduate in Animation & Game Art with a passion for creative storytelling, design collaboration, and professional growth. Experienced in animation, illustration, and graphic design, with a strong foundation in community engagement, team leadership, and problem-solving.

Education:

Pennsylvania College of Art and Design - Lancaster, PA **Bachelor of Fine Arts -** Expected Graduation - May 2025

Major: Animation and Game Art Minors: Graphic Design & Illustration

Harford Community College - Bel Air, MD

Associate of Arts - May 2022

Major: Digital Arts

Key Skills

- Animation & Game Art Character development, 2D/3D animation, environment design
- **Graphic Design** Adobe Creative Suite, typography, branding
- Illustration Digital/traditional drawing, character design, concept art
- **Project Leadership** Team collaboration, mentorship, community engagement
- Creative Problem-Solving Adapting to client needs, managing multiple projects

Professional Experience:

Community Assistant, Pennsylvania College of Art & Design – Lancaster, PA | 2023 – 2024

- **Supported and mentored** on-campus residents, promoting a positive and inclusive community.
- Designed and executed creative programming to foster engagement and professional development.

The Agency, PCA&D – Lancaster, PA | August-November 2022

- Served as the animator and presenter on an interdisciplinary creative team for America 250 PA, producing portfolio-quality design work for real-world clients.
- Applied animation, illustration, and graphic design skills to develop branding and visual storytelling solutions.

Cashier/Customer Service, Ollie's Bargain Outlet – Aberdeen, MD | April 2021 – Present

- Provided **friendly and efficient customer service**, ensuring a positive shopping experience.
- Resolved customer concerns and processed transactions quickly and accurately.
- Adapted to a **fast-paced retail environment**, strengthening communication and problem-solving skills.
- Collaborated with team members to maintain store organization and enhance overall operations.

Cashier/Customer Service, Tim Hortons – APG, MD | June 2016 – March 2021

- Delivered **exceptional customer service** in a high-volume, fast-paced environment.
- Managed transactions, handled cash, and processed orders efficiently and accurately.

- Resolved customer concerns, contributing to **improved retention and satisfaction**.
- Developed **strong communication and problem-solving skills** while working collaboratively with a diverse team.

Youth Leader, Youth Leadership Forum – International & Regional | July 2011 – July 2019

 Organized creative activities and led youth development programs, encouraging collaboration among emerging leaders