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PROJECTS

Kurou Connect, *Video Game* (JANUARY 2024 - PRESENT)

- ★ Solo-developing a spiritual sequel to Cryptid Coffeehouse
- ★ Collaborating with multiple creatives across industries to bring the vision to life
- ★ Released 11,400-word demo on Itch.io in April 2024, clocking 2,100+ plays and 70+ five-star ratings since release

Cryptid Coffeehouse, *Video Game* (SEPTEMBER 2021 - JANUARY 2024)

- ★ Solo-developed and released a 152,000-word Ren'py visual novel
- ★ Surpassed 20,000+ downloads since January 2022 with 500+ five-star ratings and over \$6,300 in sales
- ★ 2022 Game Devs of Color Expo Selection and featured in multiple curated Steam sales

WORK HISTORY

1819 Ground Floor Makerspace, *Lead Prototyping Assistant* - Cincinnati, OH (MAY 2023 - AUGUST 2024)

- ★ Reviewing, slicing, printing, cleaning, and curing 3D prints on both desktop and industrial FDM and SLA printers
- ★ Working with a variety of softwares and types of equipment to help members turn digital ideas into physical creations
- ★ Facilitating tours, certifications, and workshops within the Makerspace and its equipment

Cincinnati and Hamilton County Public Library, *TechCenter and Makerspace Technician* - Cincinnati, OH (JANUARY 2023 - PRESENT)

- ★ Assisting patrons in navigating the web, creating resumes, releasing print jobs, making copies, and sending faxes
- ★ Demonstrating the ability to work with and help a diverse selection of patrons, all with varying ages and backgrounds
- ★ Facilitating Makerspace projects for patrons, aiding them in a variety of different programs (Versaworks, Adobe Creative Suite, various CAD softwares) to produce their desired physical and digital outcomes

EDUCATION

University of Cincinnati, *College of Design, Architecture, Art, and Planning (DAAP)*, *Bachelors in Fine Arts* - Cincinnati, OH (2019 - 2024)

- ★ GPA: 3.55, Graduated cum laude
- ★ Dean's List, Fall 2019 - Spring 2024
- ★ DAAP Ambassador, Spring 2020 - Fall 2023

AWARDS

- ★ Cincy Inno's Inno Under 25
- ★ SEGD DAAP Honorable Mention Award