

Milijana Delic

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Education

MFA FASHION DESIGN, Academy of Art University; San Francisco, CA. Feb 2017-Present

BS DIETETICS & NUTRITIONAL SCIENCE, Benedictine University; Lisle, IL May 2015

Minor in Biology

GPA: 3.2/4.0, Dean's list (2 semesters)

Anthropology Research Abroad: Ecotourism Study (Costa Rica)

Additional Coursework

FASHION DESIGN, College of DuPage; Glen Ellyn, IL Jan-Dec 2016

Courses: Clothing Construction, Pattern Drafting, Draping, Bridal and Couture Techniques

Related Experience

FOUNDER/CREATOR, Vezembroider; San Francisco, CA Jun 2016-Present

- Embroidery business specializing in custom traditional Serbian bridal accessories
- Incorporates sustainable practices such as crochet, thrifting, and repurposing for material sourcing

DESIGNER ASSISTANT, Jinza Couture Bridal; San Francisco, CA Feb-Jun 2017

- Assisted designer with any hand stitching needs: attaching lace, beading or appliqué
- Designed and constructed lace veils

FASHION AIDE, College of DuPage, IL Aug-Dec 2016

- Managed and maintained fashion labs and sewing machines for students and instructors

SALES REPRESENTATIVE, Zara USA; Oak Brook, IL May 2014 - Aug 2015

- Received Best Customer Service Provider Award for 2014 sales year

FLORAL SALES DESIGNER, Topiary Floral Designs; Elmhurst, IL May 2011- Sep 2014

- Designed custom floral arrangements based on customer preferences
 - Ensured survival of plants and flowers by maintaining proper environment for each variety
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Project Work

DRESSER, Academy of Art University; San Francisco, CA Apr 2017

- Spring Graduation Fashion Show

VOLUNTEER, College of DuPage; Glen Ellyn, IL Dec 2016

- Organized and managed jury show for Chaotic Vanities fashion show hosted by Peach Carr

COSTUME DESIGNER, Serbian Folk Dance Groups; Chicago, IL 2012-2016

- Designed and constructed multiple national costumes for Serbian folk dance groups in the Chicagoland area
 - Represented authentic details on garments through traditional methods of embroidery, weaving, and lace application
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Skills

- Fluency in Serbian and Croatian languages
- Proficient with Microsoft Word, Excel, and Powerpoint
- Proficient with Adobe Illustrator and Adobe Photoshop programs
- Currently training in CLO 3D Fashion Design Software