JUAN KURTZIAN ART DREFTOR

EXPERIENCE

I'm an art director with six years of experience. I combine my artistic abilities with a perennial curiosity to create visual stories that connect with the audience. My aesthetics are influenced by my art and art history background, which I studied at the School of the Museum of Fine Arts (painting and drawing) and Tufts University (humanities). I enjoy learning new skills and often have hobbies that push my boundaries. On a personal note, I'm a videogame enthusiast; book-buying addict; I enjoy drawing and visiting art galleries whenever possible.

EDUCATION

Miami Ad School

Art Direction New York City, NY 2016 - 2018

Tufts University

BFA - Art; Art History Medford, MA 2003 - 2007

SOFTWARE

Photoshop Illustrator InDesign Premiere Pro Figma Max/MSP

SKILLS

Design Storyboarding Color theory Naming layers

AWARDS

2019 New Blood Wood Pencil - D&AD 2nd Place - New Yorker Cartoon Caption Contest

CONTACT

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EMPLOYMENT HISTORY

VML - Art Director

The Coca-Cola Company New York City, NY 2022 - Present

Freelance - Art Director

Expedia, Guinness, Twinlab New York City, NY 2021 - 2022

Ogilvy - Jr. Art Director

Corteva, British Airways, EY, Zippo New York City, NY 2018 - 2021

Edelman - Intern

New York City, NY Just Water, March for Our Lives 2018