

# KAYLA COLE

GRAPHIC & 3D  
ARTIST

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## EDUCATION

**PURDUE UNIVERSITY HONORS  
COLLEGE,**  
WEST LAFAYETTE, IN | 2021

BACHELOR OF SCIENCE  
Class of 2021  
GPA: 3.89

Majors: Animation, Visual Effects  
Minors: Organizational Leadership,  
Art & Design Studio

## SKILLS

- Adobe Photoshop
- Adobe Illustrator
- Adobe InDesign
- Autodesk Inventor
- Autodesk Maya
- Blender
- SideFX Houdini
- HTML/CSS
- Social Media Management
- Organizational Leadership

## AWARDS

### ADOBE CREATIVE JAM

Top 10 Finalist  
Oct 2019

### PURDUE UNDERGRADUATE RESEARCH CONFERENCE

2nd Place in Interdisciplinary Research  
Apr 2021

## WORK EXPERIENCE

### GRAPHIC DESIGNER

PURDUE CILMAR, WEST LAFAYETTE, IN | JUL 2019 - MAY 2021

- Utilized the Adobe Creative Suite to create compelling, original presentations and graphics
- Worked closely with employer to create multiple iterations of projects to meet client needs in a timely matter

### TECHNOLOGY INSTRUCTOR

EMAGINATION TECH CAMPS, SOUTHPORT, CT | JUN 2020 - JUL 2020

- Taught 3D modeling and animation in Blender through an online environment
- Developed curriculum and organized lesson plans for instructors

### SUMMER CAMP COUNSELOR

GERI SUMMER RESIDENTIAL, WEST LAFAYETTE, IN | JUL 2019

- Collaborated with fellow counselors to build group dynamics and promote diversity and inclusion
- Developed learning activities and team building activities to engage students

## LEADERSHIP EXPERIENCE

### POLYTECHNIC REPRESENTATIVE

HONORS COLLEGE LEADERSHIP COUNCIL | MAY 2019 - PRESENT

- Delegating roles among committee members and establishing events that work to develop a sense of community on campus
- Creating budget plans and managing event finances
- Serving as a resource and mentor for students within the Honors College

### HONORS MENTOR

HONORS COLLEGE MENTOR PROGRAM | AUG 2018 - DEC 2020

- Facilitated healthy group development to create a strong, inclusive team culture
- Appointed to council in 2020 to help develop community and outreach in the program through graphics and social media branding

### STUDENT AMBASSADOR

PURDUE POLYTECHNIC AMBASSADOR | JAN 2019 - MAY 2020

- Formed valuable connections with prospective students through public speaking and presentations

## PRESENTATIONS & PUBLICATIONS

### SENIOR SCHOLARLY PROJECT

HONORS COLLEGE, PURDUE UNIVERSITY | OCT 2019 - MAY 2021

- Created 3D Models and Rigging for characters
- Worked in a 3-person group to conduct background research and analyze data
- Animated and provided voice acting for key scenes