

Robbert Bishop

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ARTIST SUMMARY

Highly creative and dedicated artist with 4 years of experience specializing in digital and film photography. Proven ability to create compelling and thought-provoking artwork, successfully manage all aspects of a freelance art business, and contribute to collaborative art environments. Featured in numerous juried exhibitions and gallery shows, demonstrating strong artistic merit and market appeal.

EDUCATION

Ohio Wesleyan University, Delaware, Ohio

Graduation Month, Year

Bachelor of Fine Arts: Photography Major, Minor in Film

- GPA: 3.4 | Honors

COURSEWORK

Short list of relevant/higher-level coursework that fits with the type of position for the application.

EXHIBITIONS AND FEATURES

“Personal Growth” | Chicago Growing Arts Gallery, Chicago, IL May - June 2025

- Juried group exhibition featuring 25 artists; showcased 4 photographs, printed and mounted. Placed 2nd and received a \$1,000 scholarship for my arts education

Solo Exhibition: "Cries of a Dying City" | Ross Art Museum, Delaware, Ohio July - August 2024

- Featured 15 original cityscape photos, attracting over 500 visitors during its two-week run

Ohio State Fair “Photography Contest” | Columbus Fairgrounds, Columbus, Ohio September 2023

- Selected from over 200 submissions, received Honorable Mention for "Echoes of the Past."

EXPERIENCE

Freelance Artist & Entrepreneur | Chicago, IL & Delaware, OH

May 2020 - Present

- Independently created and produced a diverse portfolio of artwork, including human/dog photo shoots, digital and physical prints, and tutoring 4 other students on this process
- Managed all aspects of an independent art business, including marketing, sales, client relations, and inventory management
- Successfully marketed artwork through online platforms (e.g., Etsy, personal website), social media, and local art markets, resulting in a 22% increase in sales and 25% increase in online traffic
- Collaborated with clients to understand their vision and deliver custom artwork that exceeded expectations on time and within budget
- Participated in 3 art fairs and pop-up events, effectively engaging with potential buyers and building brand recognition

Photography Tutor | Delaware, Arts Castle

- Tutored 8 middle school students on art of shooting photographs, utilizing a dark room, and entry level photo editing through Canva and Photoshop
- Collaborated with the program director to develop the syllabus and create measurable goals for each student enrolled in the program
- Supported students through the setup, execution, and clean up of their first art show, drawing 100 visitors

LEADERSHIP AND CAMPUS INVOLVEMENT

Fine Arts Student Board | *Vice President*

Month Year – Month Year

Spring Break Service Team | *Member*

March 2024 & March 2025