


# NICOLE DICICCO

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## + EDUCATION

**Lipscomb University** | GPA 4.0  
Bachelor of Animation

**Abilene Christian University**  
Bachelor of Fine Arts with a  
concentration in Painting and  
Graphic Design

## + SKILLS

- ToonBoom Harmony
- Traditional Animation
- Photoshop CC
- Illustrator CC
- InDesign CC
- After Effects CC
- Affinity Designer
- Affinity Publisher
- Storyboard Pro
- Procreate
- Maya
- Substance Painter
- Unreal Engine
- Illustration
- Painting
- Sculpture
- Printmaking
- Google Suite
- Microsoft Office
- Mac & Windows

## + HONORS & AWARDS

- Tony Hawk Skateboard Design | 2021
- FlipaClip App Start-Up Animation | 2020
- FlipaClip Contest First Place | 2019
- Intercollegiate Art First Place | 2018
- Phi Eta Sigma Honors Society | 2014 - 2018
- The W Club Honors Society | 2014 - 2018
- Grace Museum Art Competition | 2017
- Student Art Competition | 2016 - 2017
- Departmental Art Scholarship | 2014
- Hope Scholarship | 2014
- John C. Stevens Award Scholarship | 2014
- Ambassador of High School | 2014
- Scholastic Art Competition Gold Key | 2014
- Scholastic Art Competition Silver Key | 2014
- Frist Art Museum Contest | 2012

## + EXPERIENCE

### **Dead Sea Squirrels LLC | Lead Animator & Background Artist | 2021 - Present**

- Work alongside the animation studio, "Mukpuddy," in the future episodic series
- Work with ToonBoom puppet rigs, hand-draw scenes, create instructional videos, give feedback, and create organizational documents
- Plan and draw layouts, create color scripts, and paint final layouts
- Work in a fast-paced studio environment
- Additional duties include: compositing, character design, and rig building

### **Pencilish Animation Studios | Animation Intern | 2023 - Present**

- Animate on various Pencilish products, such as Dustin and Cat Facts, using ToonBoom puppet rigs and traditional hand-drawn animation
- Create artwork for future shows in production and social media
- Collaborate with the team and receive feedback from head, Tom Bancroft

### **Tennessee Titans | Designer | 2022**

- Worked with Tony Bancroft to re-design the Tennessee Titans kid's team logo of their mascot, "T-Rac"
- Created custom logotype and final vector deliverables

### **TOPPS Garbage Pail Kids Animation | Assistant Animator | 2021**

- Worked with "Andymation" to create animated flipbooks for TOPPS Garbage Pail Kids short, "Mad Mike: Fury Load," directed by Adam F. Goldberg
- Created the storyboards, key frames, and in-between animation

### **BTC Inc. | Lead Illustrator, Animator, & Designer | 2018 - 2020**

- Designed magazine layouts, article illustrations, and cover artwork
- Managed bitcoinmagazine.com and provided digital graphics
- Worked with external clients and created brand guides
- Designed event deliverables in print and digital form
- Created weekly infographics
- Collaborated with team members to create custom design solutions
- Created animations for various video products

### **Solo Exhibition | 2018**

- Seeking, The Center for Contemporary Arts, Abilene, TX
- Created artwork, produced event marketing, displayed artwork, and set up the event reception

## + PUBLICATIONS

- XP-Pen Partnership | 2021
- Quantum Tech HD | 2020
- Bitcoin Magazine | 2019
- Tennessee Magazine | 2012