# Magdalena Cotarelo

Illustration and Design

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#### **EXPERIENCE**

# Resident Assistant, Housing Office

May 2023 - Present

Provide guidance, support, and resources to residents, fostering a positive living environment. Organize and facilitate community-building activities and events. Mediate conflicts and address resident concerns with professionalism and empathy.

# Freelance Illustrator, Buenos Aires, Argentina— Artist

May 2023 - August 2023

Created commissioned illustrations and prints for clients, showcasing artistic talent and versatility. Collaborated closely with clients to understand their vision and bring it to life through visual storytelling. Delivered high-quality artwork within agreed-upon timelines, exceeding client expectations. Demonstrated proficiency in various artistic styles and techniques to suit diverse project requirements.

# Owner & Artist, Micaps Mugs (Self-Employed)

September 2020 - July 2022

Founded and operated a successful ceramic art business specializing in hand-painted cups, teapots, and other ceramic pieces. Demonstrated creativity, craftsmanship, and attention to detail in every piece produced.

## **EDUCATION**

**College For Creative Studies,** Detroit USA — Bachelors In Fine Arts in Illustration, minor in Communication Design - IN PROGRESS

September 2022 - Anticipated Date of Graduation: May 2026

#### **SOFTWARES**

Adobe Illustrator

Adobe Photoshop

Adobe InDesign

After Effects

Microsoft Office

Figma

### **STUDIO SKILLS**

Editorial illustration

**Book** covers

**Branding** 

**Typography** 

## **LANGUAGES**

English

Spanish

## **ACCOMPLISHMENTS**

- -President and Founder Hispanic Club
- -Recipient of the Dean's award scholarship at CCS
- -Original Pieces selected for the Student Exhibition 2022/23 and 2023/24.
- -President's List for the Winter 2023 and 2024 Semester