

# ISABELLA TAYLOR

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## Education

College for Creative Studies, Detroit, MI

BFA, Interdisciplinary Art and Design, May 2025

Areas of specialization: Studio Lighting, Fashion Photography, Film Production, Fashion Apparel

## Skills

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| ● Adobe Photoshop | ● Capture One     | ● Pattern Making |
| ● Adobe Bridge    | ● Strobe Lighting | ● Sewing         |
| ● Adobe Lightroom | ● LED Lighting    | ● Crocheting     |

## Study Abroad – Paris & Antwerp

*College for Creative Studies, Fashion Department* | June 2023

- Assisted with a fashion photoshoot at the Eiffel Tower
- Visited the original houses of Hermès and Louis Vuitton
- Toured major art and fashion museums across Paris and Antwerp

## Work Experience

### Social Media Marketing Team

*College for Creative Studies – Detroit, MI* | May 2024 – Present

- Create Instagram Reels, Stories, and written content to engage college audiences
- Collaborate on-campus campaigns using trends, basic graphic design, and storytelling
- photographing events strengthening creative marketing skills through hands-on content creation

### Studio Hand

*The Eightfold Collective – Detroit, MI* | May 2024 – Present

- Open/close studio, assist clients and maintain equipment and space
- Support shoot setups, resolve technical issues, and ensure smooth operations
- Built strong client service, problem-solving, and time management skills

### Assistant Photographer & Studio Manager Intern

*Carlson Productions – Royal Oak, MI* | Aug 2024 – Dec 2024

- Supported shoots, lighting, and Photoshop editing for commercial clients
- Managed studio logistics and collaborated with art directors and stylists
- Traveled for large-scale shoots; developed scheduling, budgeting, and communication skills

### Photography Intern

*CCS Fashion Department – Detroit, MI* | Jan 2022 – Apr 2024

- Captured product and apparel imagery for student work and runway events
- Shot on seamless and creative sets; partnered with brands like Carhartt and Stuart Weitzman

### Team Member

*Joann Fabrics – White Lake, MI* | Oct 2020 – May 2023

- Worked at cutting counter, register, and stocking; built retail and customer service skills
- Set up seasonal displays and maintained store organization

## **Exhibitions**

*2023 Annual* Student Exhibition, CCS, Walter B. Ford Building, Detroit MI, Juried

*2024 Annual* Student Exhibition, CCS, Walter B. Ford Building, Detroit MI, Juried

*2024 Fashion Historical Costume Exhibition*, Detroit Institute of Arts, Detroit MI, Juried

*2025 Annual* Student Exhibition, CCS, Walter B. Ford Building, Detroit MI, Juried

## **References**

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