

molly keefe design + creative strategy

# EDUCATION

#### SYRACUSE UNIVERSITY College of Visual and Performing Arts BFA in Communications Design 2023

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S.I. Newhouse School of Public Communications Public Communications Studies Minor 2023

SYRACUSE UNIVERSITY | London, England Study Abroad Spring 2022

### AWARDS & INVOLVEMENT

GDUSA | 2023 American Graphic Design Awards My winning entry entitled: "Spirits: New Orleans Voodoo Liquor"

GDUSA | 2023 American Graphic Design Awards My winning entry entitled: "EAZE: Acupressure Relief Jewelry"

SYRACUSE UNIVERSITY | Magna Cum Laude Graduation Honors 2023

SYRACUSE UNIVERSITY | Dean's List

Honored 2019-2023

**SYRACUSE UNIVERSITY** | AIGA NY CHAPTER American Institute of Graphic Arts 2020–2023

### SYRACUSE UNIVERSITY | Alpha Chi Omega

Active Member 2020-2023

# EXPERIENCE

### FREELANCE HAIR & MAKEUP | Creator, 2017 - Present

Turned experience, creativity and passion for Irish dance into a freelance hair and makeup business. Promoted expertise within the New England dance community and provided services to hundreds of dancers competing in regional, national and worldwide Irish dance competitions. Marketed services via social media channels to expand business for weddings, proms, and special occasions.

#### UNION STRAW RESTAURANT | Server, 2022 - Present

Hired as a server for the 2022 summer season learning customer service, teamwork, multitasking, problem solving and communication skills. Pitched creative design expertise to manager and designed promotional materials highlighting weekly food and drink specials on a regular basis.

#### DOORDASH | Dasher, 2020 - 2021

Through problem solving and adaptability, turned to food delivery during the height of the pandemic.

#### MANSFIELD SUMMER CAMP | Counselor, 2018 - 2019

Designed daily schedules, creative games, and age-appropriate arts activities for dozens of campers aged 5-12. Managed campers through daily routines and kept record for the town of Mansfield, MA recreation department.

#### SKIPJACK'S RESTAURANT | Hostess, 2016 - 2018

Began working before the age of 16 as hostess for an upscale dining restaurant in Patriot Place, located in Foxboro, MA. Worked throughout high school as a hostess greeting customers, communicating with servers, designing seating rotation schedules, and managing phone reservations.

# CREATIVE SKILLS

Adobe Creative Suite Advertising Brand Identity Branding Concept Development Copyrighting Creative Strategy Packaging Design Problem Solving Publication Design Social Media UX/UI Design

# INT<mark>ERESTS</mark>

Cosmetology Dance Painting

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