# Mia Bookstaber

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Multi-Disciplinary Design Major University of Utah

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# **EDUCATION**

#### University of Utah, Salt Lake City UT

Bachelor of Science, Multi-Disciplinary Design -Expected May 2027

Relevant Coursework: Design Contexts, Product Studio I, Human Factors, Visual Strategy, Gaming Ecologies

# Skyline High School, Salt Lake City UT

International Baccalaureate (IB) Diploma -Graduated May 2023

# **SKILLS**

#### 2D & Digital Tools

Adobe Illustrator, InDesign, Photoshop, Premiere Pro, Lightroom, Express,

#### 3D & Interactive Media

Unity, Radical Motion, , Blender, Rhino, Figma

#### **Marketing & Communication**

Branding, UX/UI, Visual Storytelling, Social Media Campaigns

#### **Technical & Office**

Microsoft Office, Google Suite, Project Coordination, Mac & PC

#### **AWARDS**

# **Multi Disciplinary** Design | Fall 2024

Studio Design Award Given by Leah Wulfman

#### **EXHIBITIONS**

#### **IRC x Juniper City** Showcase | June 2025

Civic Hall | Switchboard Confluence

# **DESIGN EXPERIENCE**

#### **Digital Reach Agency · Design Intern**

Remote | June 2024-August 2024

Designed visual asset libraries and led creation of internal re-branding concepts; contributed to logo ideation, social media templates, and pitch decks; conducted client design audits and visual research to inform strategy recommendations

#### **Old Cuss Cafe · Brand Designer**

Salt Lake City, Utah | November 2023-Present

Developed and implemented complete brand system including logo, color palette, visual identity guide, and typography; designed social media content, menus, merchandise, and promotional print materials for seasonal campaigns

#### **International Rescue Committee · Design Research Assistant**

Salt Lake City Utah | January 2024-Present

Collaborated with the IRC to research cross-platform game integrations for Juniper City, a game focused on refugee support. Presented visuals at the Switchboard TechConfluence and implemented AI motion-capture custom avatars for anonymous storytelling in Unity

# OTHER EXPERIENCE

#### Residence Hall Association · Marketing Representative

Salt Lake City Utah | August 2025- April 2025

Designed event campaigns and coordinated marketing strategy for campus housing initiatives and poster design for the Lassonde Studios Residence.

#### Choice Humanitarian · Junior Board Member Social Media

Salt Lake City Utah | September 2021- April 2023

Designed social media templates and educational graphics for Choice Humanitarian with a student team.

#### **Freelance Designer & Illustrator**

### Remote | September 2021-Present

Created customized design commissions including digitally illustrated and handpainted artwork across surfaces such as helmets, canvases, phone cases, and accessories. Delivered brand assets, packaging, and promotional materials tailored to clients needs.