

# Nicole Ricci

Diligent design student seeking an internship to learn from industry professionals and further develop design skills in a creative, professional setting.

## Education

### Montclair State University

Sep 2022 - May 2026

BFA Visual Communication Design

*Minor:* Public and Professional Writing

Certificate in Innovation Design

*Honors:* Dean's List all semesters, 3.99 GPA

*Relevant Courses:* Branding, UI Design, Visual Communication Design Studio I-III, Motion Design

## Experience

### Visual Designer, TEDxMontclair

Feb 2025 – Now

- Crafted cohesive visual identity for TEDxMontclair including merchandise, event-day visuals, and social media graphics

### Designer, Global Citizen Young Artists Collective

Feb 2023 – Sep 2024

- Designed posters within a 6-week timeline highlighting important sociopolitical issues to encourage voter engagement
- Selected amongst 50+ entries to be displayed at the Global Citizen NOW Summit in NYC

### Web Design Intern, Patella Woodworking

Jun – Aug 2024

- Collaborated with Patella's marketing team to redesign and modernize website
- Designed homepage layouts and prototypes using Figma

### Art Intern, One River School of Art + Design

Jan – Apr 2023

- Supported young students by demonstrating art techniques and offering feedback as a teaching assistant in classrooms
- Managed front desk by answering phone calls and organizing customer information in Google Sheets

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## Extracurriculars

### Women's Soccer Team

Montclair State University

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*Honors:* College Athlete Honor Society, CSC Academic All-District

### AIGA - American Institute of Graphic Artists

Montclair State University

Nov 2023 - Now

## Tools

Adobe Illustrator

Adobe InDesign

Adobe Photoshop

Adobe After Effects

Adobe Lightroom

Figma

Procreate

Google Suite

Javascript

## Skills

Design Research

Branding

Logo Design

UI/UX

Typography

Illustration

Editorial Design

Fine Arts

Photography