

## **Donatella Salvia**

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Visual arts undergraduate aspiring to teach and create with young artists alike. Interested in art career opportunities that will expand my abilities and knowledge as an artist and future educator.

### **EDUCATION**

Montclair State University, Montclair, NJ

**Bachelor of Arts, Visual Arts**, January 2026, GPA 3.7, Dean's List

County College of Morris, Randolph, NJ

**Associate in Science, Child and Family Studies**, May 2023, GPA 3.6, Cum Laude

### **RELEVANT EXPERIENCE**

Roxbury Day Care Center, Succasunna, NJ

**Art & Assistant Teacher**, September 2023 - December 23rd, 2025

- Produced a safe and stimulating environment for children between the ages of two and three
- Introduced weekly art classes to the Pre K students following the GOLD learning objectives

Stepping Stones Montessori School, Netcong, NJ

**Assistant Teacher**, December 2022 - August 2023

- Developed and implemented art lessons with children between the ages of six months to six years
- Nurtured children's interests to help guide them academically and independently

Tella's Rings and Things

Handmade goods

**Founder & Creator**, March 2020 - Present

- Participated in over 20 craft and vendor shows over the past five years
- Crafted customized jewelry for Space of Balance sustainable fashion show
- Designed, published, and edits my website, as well as all content for my online profiles

### **SKILLS**

Microsoft Word, Power Point, Outlook; Adobe Photoshop, Lightroom, After Effects, Premiere Pro, Illustrator; Procreate; Website Design; Social Media Management; Photography; Video Editing; CapCut; Canva; Classroom Management; Early Education Curriculum Design

### **ART EXHIBITION**

Finley Gallery, Montclair State University, Montclair, NJ

**The Shape of Becoming**, 2025, Social Media/PR Team

Memorial Courtyard, Montclair State University, Montclair, NJ

**Labyrinths of Matter**, 2025, Curatorial Team

Finley Gallery, Montclair State University, Montclair, NJ

**Interwoven Realities**, 2025, Social Media/PR Team

### **OTHER EXPERIENCE**

CMD & Partners, Jefferson, NJ

**Factory Worker**, August 2021 - June 2022

- Packaged, loaded, and wrapped orders of over 150 products during multiple shifts

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- Familiarized self with Microsoft softwares to create BOL's and communicate with buyers

Plato's Closet, Ledgewood, NJ

***Sales Associate & Buyer***, August 2020 - September 2021

- Photographed products, edited and uploaded images to social media and Shopify sites
- Handled customer transactions both in store at the register and online
- Curated clothing displays for monthly themes and maintained an organized sales floor