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| I’ve always loved making, watching, and producing art. I am a hard worker. Passionate about my art. I will create and envision your idea and make it come to life. I have experience, practice and knowledge in traditional media and digital painting. If you’re an author, I will work with you to bring your ideas to life, with beautiful, eye-catching illustrations. I paint portraits also. If you want a mural done, or your own idea specialized just for you, please contact me! I’d love to work for you! CONTACTPHONE:336-858-9351WEBSITE:www.jessicawrike.wordpress.comwww.othersideoftheprism.weebly.comEMAIL:Jwrike86@gmail.comHOBBIESReading/ listening to audiobooksCrochetingSewing |  | Jessica WrikeFreelance Illustrator/Artist Children’s Book Illustrator & Author

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| EducationArt Institute of Pittsburgh (Online Division)April 2014 – August 2017Certificate in 2D Animation Major: 2D AnimationGPA: 3.07Awarded the Academic Achievement Grant by AIO. Over $1,000 to help with my tuition.Featured in an article titled, “2D Animation Grad Featured by Barnes and Noble as Local Artist,” by The Art Institute of Pittsburgh.Website link:aiostudent-life.com WORK EXPERIENCE**Self-Published “A Collection of My Most Recent Works”**(October 2019**)**Created Cover and interiorSet up book design **Collaborated with Author on “ The Greener Pond” Children’s Book**(May-August 2019)Illustrated authors ideas Designed front and back coversResponsible for book designSelf published book for author**The Purrfect Place (Non-Profit Rescue Organization)/ Volunteer**(October 2018-Present)Set up websiteCreated Facebook PageSet up PayPalLinked PayPal to website and Facebook pageSent in necessary paperworkPost, promote, advertise and keep up with Facebook pageVolunteer at Events**Self-Published/ Author and Illustrator**Published Fourth Book (January 16, 2019)*The Purrfect Place Coloring Book*Created the cover of the book, except for the logos.Placed logos, sized images for cover and interior, Fixed for trim size & edited in Photoshop.Illustrated the interior pages of the book.Available @ Amazon.com**Self-Published/Author and Illustrator**Published My Third Book (December 7, 2018)*The Growing Ups of Aurora Josephine*Created a story and illustrated a personalized bookfor a client.Available @ Amazon.com, and Sunrise Books in High Point, NC**Freelance Artist**Portrait Work (October 2018)Titled: *Bliss*Painted a black and white portrait of my client’s sister’s son.Materials: black, grey and white acrylic paint/Various brushes and art tools**Self-Published/Author and Illustrator**Published My First Children’s Book (February 2018)*My Colorful Alphabet Book*Sketched first in pencil, went over in pen and markers. Cleaned up in Photoshop.Materials: Copic, Tombrow and Faber-Castell markers, Micron and Copic markersAvailable @ Amazon.com, and Sunrise Books in High Point, NC**Self-Published/Illustrator**Published an Adult Coloring Book(July 2017)*A Dreamer’s Wonderland*Added color to cover using Adobe Photoshop.Hand drawn, using Micron and Copic illustration pens.Available @ Amazon.com, and Sunrise Books in High Point, NC**Volunteer work** (2016)Designed, sewed about 40 bears for UNC Chapel Hill’sChildren’s HospitalDesigned, sewed fidget blanket for a friend withtraumatic brain injury**Design Work** (2014 -2016)Special orders: designed, sewed pillows, blanketsSKILLS |

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