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#### ABOUT ME

I am a multidisciplinary artist specializing in live painting, custom sneaker art, cartoon character creation, and youth-focused art experiences. I transform everyday items into narrative-driven, culturally resonant artworks that blend education, street fashion, and visionary expression. My work builds connections across people, art forms, and generations.

#### **PROFESSIONAL EXPERIENCE**

Art with Christy Charlot Mobile/Travel-Based - Founder & Lead Teaching Artist Present

- Launched a mobile youth art program specializing in custom sneaker design, cartoon character creation, and confidence-building workshops for schools, festivals, and community/event spaces.
- Designed and led hands-on art experiences that promote self-expression and artistic development in young creatives.
- Developed branded curriculum, organized live demos, and built strategic partnerships with school leaders and local organizations to scale the offering into a tour-ready experience.

## Eye5 Mktg & Talent, Inc. Salesforce World Tour, *Event Model* 2025 - Present

- Represented Salesforce as lead brand model at an event with over 4,000 attendees.
- Provided upbeat, high-energy guest engagement with performance-style presence.
- Personally requested by client to return for future events.

### The Model Experience VIP Runway Model Present

- Walked for Def Jam Records and Project Runway designers at major NY and LA fashion festivals.
- Opened for celebrity headliners including Lola Brooke, DaniLeigh and Shaun Ross.
- Received praise from designers, stylists and audiences for commanding runway presence.

### Northeastern University - Commissioned Artist

Present

- Selected to license original artwork for branded notebooks distributed to event guests, donors, and university trustees.
- Recognized by senior leadership during a major institutional launch event.
- Re-commissioned for ongoing collaborations after high-level enthusiasm and demand
- Continues to lead branded creative projects for Northeastern, with a focus on cultural storytelling and visual impact

### Live Art Appearances Nationwide - Visual Artist Present

- Customize sneakers and apparel live at events such as Hard Rock Cafe, Black Footwear Forum, Passion Lounge, Apple Store and more.
- Debut new pieces alongside live musical performances and high traffic nightlife events
- Build strong ties with local musicians, creatives and business owners through live activation.

### September 2023 –

#### November 2022 -

March 2020 -

### May 2025 -

June

# Massachusetts Convention Center Authority Boston, MA - Visual Artist June 2025

- Founded and led the first internal employee art club in MCCA history. Exceeded participation expectations, filling the initial conference room and requiring relocation to a higher-capacity meeting room due to strong employee engagement.
- Strengthened collaborative ties and employee engagement.

# CitizenM Boston, MA - Commissioned Artist March 2024

- Hand painted a one of one Timberland boot for permanent display at CitizenM Boston.
- Commissioned for a framed 35x26" "City of Boston" print showcased in the hotel's public art collection.
- Highlighted Boston culture through bold, original cartoon imagery.

### Apple Store Brooklyn, NY - Digital Artist 2024

- Created a Dr Martin Luther King Jr tribute using Procreate and Apple Pencil in front of a live audience.
- Selected by Youth Design Center for Apple's cultural programming initiative.
- Strengthened collaborative ties with Apple and community based art networks.

### Black Footwear Forum Detroit MI - Live Painter 2023

- Painted live for top footwear brands including Nike, Timberland, Reebok, Puma and Adidas.
- Generated custom sneaker commissions from multiple brand and industry contacts.
- Received personal praise from hip hop legends in attendance such as DJ Jazzy Jeff and Grandmaster Caz.

## Heritage Market Boston, MA - Live Painter 2023

- Customized sneakers live in celebration of BIPOC entrepreneurs and creatives.
- Displayed multiple custom commissions to a large community.

### City of Boston - Commissioned Artist

July 2022

- Selected by the City of Boston to create a large-scale public mural on a utility box along Huntington Avenue, directly across from the Museum of Fine Arts.
- Designed and hand-painted a vibrant, eye-catching artwork that has become a public photo landmark and cultural marker in the area.
- The mural consistently draws foot traffic from locals, tourists, and students who stop to take pictures, pose beside it, and engage with the work.
- Numerous interviews and creative conversations were sparked on-site, many of which were initiated by members of the Northeastern University community.
- The piece received interest from a curator at the Museum of Fine Arts and also drew attention from the owner of The Verb Hotel, reinforcing its cultural impact within Boston's art and hospitality landscape.

#### Legal Greens Dispensary Brockton, MA - Mural Artist August 2021

• Created a large scale black and white optical illusion mural inside the dispensary.

### September

January

### October

### July 2021 -

• Garnered attention from hip hop and entertainment industry contacts leading to multiple commissions

#### EDUCATION

Northeastern University, Boston, MA May 2020 Bachelor of Science in Psychology and minor in Sociology. GPA: 4.0

**TALENT INC**, Orlando, FL **2022** Acting, Film and Commercial Scene Training.

#### SKILLS & INTERESTS

**Certifications:** EEC Preschool Teacher Certification, EEC Infant/Toddler Teacher Certification **Skills:** Public Speaking, Acting, Optical Illusion Cartoonist and Illustrator, Live Painting, Teaching, Workshop Facilitator, Sneaker Designer.

**Technology:** Adobe Creative Suite (Photoshop, Illustrator, Fresco). Microsoft Office Suite (Excel, Word, PowerPoint). Audio and Video Technician, Digital Guest List and Booking Platforms, Venue Management Software, Photo/Video Editing, Music Editing Software **Languages:** Bilingual in Haitian Creole and English

Graduated

September 2019 to June