

Jack Ray

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Education

Savannah College of Art and Design, Savannah, GA

B.F.A. Illustration, Minor in Concept Art for Games, 2028

Projects

Visual Development Project: “The Wizard of Odd”, 2026

- Developed environments, props, character designs, and keyframes
- Extensive multi-stage ideation featuring silhouettes, loose to more developed sketches, color comps, and final illustrations
- Created world-building for an entire RPG game world from the ground up
- Developed experience working with an art director

Icon Design for Web Applications, 2025

- Designed a set of custom icons for Wreaths Across America’s web applications, including the “Never Forget” icon, for a site with millions of annual visitors
- Gathered feedback from the staff who use each screen and refined the icons through several rounds to final approval
- Delivered vector source files and complete export sets in each size and format specified by the development team

Volunteer Gauge Illustration Series, 2025

- Illustrated a seven-stage progress graphic for cemetery pages on wreathscrossamerica.org, depicting silhouetted families carrying wreaths that gain color as a location approaches its volunteer goal
- Delivered transparent PNGs and the layered Photoshop source; licensed and documented all reference artwork
- Revised the assets on developer feedback to fit the page layout; design selected over a competing concept.

Professional Experience

Freelance Illustration and Graphic Design, 2025-present

- Created logos, icons, and more for Wreaths Across America, Fastport, Semper Forward, and Mission Impossible Software
- Created a traditional painting depicting a meaningful moment for a client

Wreaths Across America, Financial Processing, 2024

- Processed Sponsorship donations and payments to the organization's finance system during the peak fall season
- Inspected submitted checks to identify discrepancies
- Developed a strong sense of attention to detail while handling large quantities of transactions daily

Fastport, IT Intern, 2023

- Delivered personalized skincare and fragrance recommendations in a fast-paced environment.
- Supported in-store events and new product demos, educating guests on product benefits.
- Recognized for strong product knowledge and attention to client preferences.

Professional Skills

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| • Concept Design/Visual Development | • Slack |
| • Illustration | • Autodesk Maya |
| • Graphic Design | • Traditional Media: Graphite, Ink, Acrylics, Gouache, Markers, Colored Pencil, Pastel, Oils, Watercolor, Mixed Media |
| • Certified in Adobe Photoshop and Adobe Illustrator | • Atlassian Jira |
| • Procreate | |
| • Clipstudio Paint | |

Credits and Awards

- Featured in the “Celebrating Art” book, 2014
- Recipient of the Addante Art Award 2018
- Portfolio scholarship from SCAD 2024