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**Children's Book Author and Illustrator**  
represented by Charlotte Wenger at Prospect Agency

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**Education**

2011	B.F.A., Illustration, <i>Magna cum Laude</i> , The Fashion Institute of Technology, NY
2009	A.A.S., Fashion Illustration, , The Fashion Institute of Technology, NY

**Books**

Forthcoming 2023	WHAT IF YOU WISH?, HarperCollins
2021	BLOB, HarperCollins <a href="#">Kirkus Review</a> <a href="#">School Library Journal Review</a> <a href="#">The Bulletin of the Center for Children's Books Review</a>

**Awards**

2021	SCBWI Global Winter Conference Portfolio Showcase Honor
2019	NJ SCBWI Conference Juried Art Show, Honorable Mention, Unpublished
2018	NJ SCBWI Conference Juried Art Show, Honorable Mention, Unpublished

**Professional Positions and Activities**

2021-2022	Created art for QueerKidLit mentorship promotion
2020-2021	Asked to contribute art to the Kidlit411 website
2020-present	Illustrator Coordinator for NJ Society of Children's Book Writers and Illustrators (SCBWI)
2020-present	Moderator of weekly KidLitArt chat on twitter
2019-present	Offer professional critique and mentorship to writers and illustrators through my own website and volunteer through various writing and illustrating competitions
2011- present	Freelance Illustrator

Gladys Marcus Library at the Fashion Institute of Technology	
Sept 2016-May 2019	Technologist
Jul 2014-Sept 2016	Cataloging Assistant
May 2011-Jul 2014	Library Clerk

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2013-2105 Contracted to design graphics for the company's email blasts and website

### **Invited Appearances**

March 2022	Author/Illustrator visit at Ross Street School in Woodbridge, NJ
February 2022	Spotlight on <a href="#">KidLit 411</a>
December 2021	<a href="#">Math is Everywhere</a> Blog by Kaitlyn Sanchez
October 2021	Storytime on the Green, Watchung Booksellers, Montclair, NJ
October 2021	<a href="#">Susannah Leonard Hill's Blog</a>
September 2021	<a href="#">Simply Seven</a> with Jeanette Bradley
September 2021	Picture Book Palooza, Cranford Library, NJ
September 2021	<a href="#">Writing and Illustrating</a> by Kathy Temean
September 2021	Guest on <a href="#">CookiePitch Ask Me Anything</a>
September 2021	<a href="#">Perfect Picture Book Friday</a> by Vivian Kirkfield
July 2021	<a href="#">KidLit Panel</a> for OC Art Studios
July 2018	<a href="#">Illustrator Saturday</a> by Kathy Temean

### **Professional Development**

2021	Attended SCBWI Indiana Graphic Novel Conference
2019	Attended New England SCBWI Conference
2018	Mentorship with artist Mike Malbrough
2017	Attended NJ SCBWI Portfolio Workshop Day
2016-2019	Attended annual NJ SCBWI Conference
2015-2018	Attended annual, global SCBWI Conference in NY
2015-2016	Attended Illustrator Evolution Resolution event through NJ SCBWI

### **Professional Memberships**

2019-present	Children's Book Illustrator Group (CBIG)
2016-present	12x12 Writing Challenge
2012-present	NJ SCBWI