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Creative and technically proficient fashion development student with hands-on experience in apparel design and brand development. Eager to contribute innovative and technical perspective to a forward-thinking team.

Education

NC State University, Wilson College of Textiles

B.S. Fashion & Textile Management, Fall 2025

Concentration: Fashion Development and Product Management,

Major GPA: 3.417

Guilford Technical Community College

A.A. General Studies, May 2022

GPA: 3.097

Related Coursework

Fashion Design & Product Development | Textile Technology | Principles of Retailing and Supply Chain | Computer-Aided Design (Textile & Apparel)

Experience

Abercrombie & Fitch, Brand Representative

November 2024 – Current

- Assisting customers with styling and outfit selection, showcasing trends and brand aesthetics
- Maintaining and elevating visual merchandising to inspire customer engagement and creativity
- Collaborating with team members to create a welcoming environment that reflects Abercrombie's values

Free World Forever, Founder & Designer

June 2020 – Current

- Designing and producing custom apparel, combining graphic design and sewing techniques to create unique, trend-forward pieces
- Managing brand identity, including logo creation, product photography, and social media marketing, building a cohesive and recognizable aesthetic
- Applying fashion development skills to conceptualize, design, and execute collections, gaining hands-on experience in the apparel production lifecycle

Sherwin Williams, Sales Associate

November 2020 – November 2024

- Provided personalized design consultations, guiding customers in selecting color palettes that complemented their creative visions
- Leveraged creativity and attention to detail to deliver tailored solutions, enhancing customer confidence in design decisions

Activities

Greater Good Textile Group, Club Member

September 2022 – Current

- Taking part in frequent meetings, actively brainstorming ideas, and engaging in activities aimed at advancing sustainability within the fashion industry and on campus

WKNC 88.1, DJ/Curator

September 2023 – Current

- Arranging music sets to showcase the talents of local and emerging artists to the Raleigh community
- Contributing to content creation efforts aimed at promoting and expanding the reach of WKNC 88.1

Hispanic Textile Group, Founding Member

September 2023 – Current

- Connecting Hispanic students at Wilson College of Textiles to celebrate our cultures and push the industry

Technical Skills

Adobe Creative Suite (Illustrator, Photoshop) | CAD Software (Lectra, Gerber AccuMark, CLO 3D) | Garment Construction & Pattern Making | Microsoft Office Suite (Excel, PowerPoint, Word) | Bilingual Proficiency (English & Spanish) |