NINA RIVERA

Education

August 2013 – December 2016	University of Tampa, Tampa, FL
	Bachelor of Fine Arts, Cum Laude, December 2016
	Studio Art with a concentration in drawing
2011	Ringling College of Art & Design: Teen Studios Summer Session Participated in a 5-session drawing course

Academic Honors/Awards

University of Tampa Presidential Scholars Award	
University of Tampa Honors Program	
University of Tampa Dean's List	
Friends of the Gallery Award, UT Juried Art Student Exhibition	
Florida Bright Futures Scholar	
Krewe of the Knights of Sant' Yago Education Foundation Scholarship	
St. Catherine of Bologna Art Award	

Work Experience

2014 – Present	The Color Wheelz – Mobile Art Instruction and Parties Instructor Assistant
2013 – Present	The Artwork of Alvaro Torres <i>Creating a digital library of artwork consisting of hundreds</i> <i>of pieces</i>

Exhibitions

2016	HUMANATURE University of Tampa Arts Senior Exhibition Bachelor of Fine Arts graduating seniors exit show
2016	University of Tampa Annual Juried Art Student Exhibition Selected to exhibit three works of art in the Scarfone/Hartley Gallery
2016	Gasparilla Festival of the Arts: Emerging Artist Sold and displayed artwork in the Emerging Artists section
2015	University of Tampa Annual Juried Art Student Exhibition Selected to exhibit two works of art in the Scarfone/Hartley Gallery Received the Friends of the Gallery award for "Tim Burton" piece
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2012 – 2013	FIVE by FIVE: Small Art for a Big Cause Exhibited and sold pieces for charitable event
2011	Ringling College of Art & Design: Teen Studios Summer Session <i>Exhibited several works of art made during the course</i> <i>Artwork and interview featured in</i> Suncoast Living

Activities

2013 – 2015	Neon: University of Tampa's Creative Community <i>Member of the Art Committee</i>
2013	Bakas Equestrian Center – Horses for Handicapped Volunteer – Monthly art classes for the disabled
2008 – 2012	St. Lawrence Vacation Bible School Volunteer – Arts and Crafts class leader, prepared decorations and sets

Skills

Adobe – Photoshop CS6 and CC

Microsoft Office - Word, PowerPoint

Social Media – Instagram, Facebook, Tumblr, Twitter, Snapchat, Pinterest, Blogging

Coding – Basic HTML and CSS