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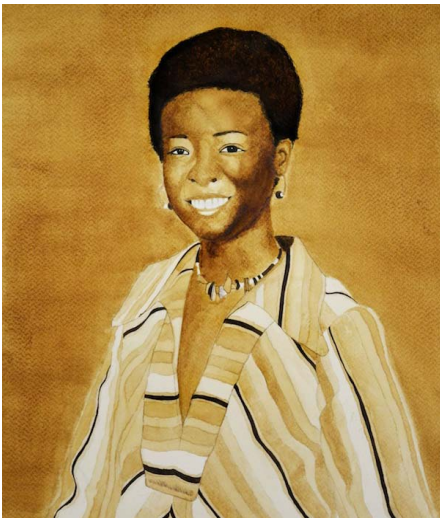


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Having parents and grandparents who were artists, musicians or both gave me an exposure to the arts at a very early age. My mother pushed my baby carriage to the Brooklyn Museum, Botanical Gardens or Wildlife Center, many times each week, which seeded my passion for the arts.

My mother was a musician, author, visual artist, decorator, stained glass crafter and wood worker, and could make or build just about anything. As a child, I was encouraged to create arts and crafts, drawings and paintings.

I began to draw nonstop, and incorporated my drawings into many school assignments. Throughout my high school years, I challenged myself by taking many honors level classes and going above and beyond the requirements. I view each assignment as an opportunity to learn and grow as I prepare for college. I believe that I possess the maturity and focus that will allow me to be a successful college student.



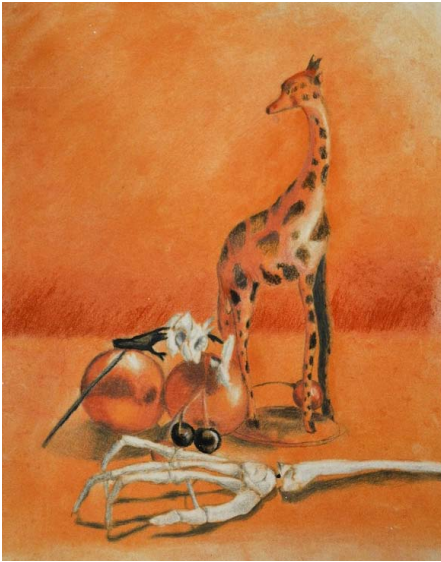
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Sequential Art has been my passion for many years, and upon learning that SCAD offered a degree in Sequential Art, I knew that it would be my college of choice. My summer experience at SCAD was all that I hoped it would be. After completing a degree in Sequential Art, I plan to pursue work in the animation studios, comic publishing, book illustration and teaching.

I sincerely hope that my background and experience will contribute to my success at SCAD, and that graduating will help me to reach my future goals.

