

ZAHRA SARFRAZ

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SKILLS

- Teamworking and collaboration
- Organisational skills
- Time management
- Traditional illustration methods
- Print design and illustration
- Digital illustration proficiency
- Creative thinking
- Research skills
- Perseverance and determination

QUALIFICATIONS

- 2025 Bachelor of Arts: BA (Hons) Illustration
Nottingham Trent University - Nottingham
- Dissertation in Surface Pattern Design
 - Second Class Honours (2nd division)
- 2020 Diploma of Higher Education: UAL Level 3 Extended Diploma in Art and Design
New City College - London
- Pass
- 2020 GCSE: Mathematics
Swanlea School of Business and Enterprise - London
- Grade 5
- 2018 GCSE: Combined Science
Swanlea School of Business and Enterprise - London
- Grade 4-4
- 2018 GCSE: English Language
Swanlea School of Business and Enterprise - London
- Grade 4
- 2018 GCSE: Art, Craft and Design
Swanlea School of Business and Enterprise - London
- Grade 4
- 2017 GCSE: Religious Studies
Swanlea School of Business and Enterprise - London
- Grade C

HOBBIES AND INTERESTS

- Traditional and digital drawing
- Painting and photography
- Reading (fiction, fantasy)
- Board games, card games
- Travelling
- Baking

PROJECTS / COMPETITIONS

- Book Cover Design project (The Essex Serpent) - Nottingham Trent University (January - February)
- Surface Pattern Designs for Lion & Leopard - Nottingham Trent University (April - May 2024) - Praise received from CEO of Lion & Leopard, for my Designs
- Featured in Lion & Leopard's online newsletter as one of the top five students with the best designs
- Products designed for Handmade Nottingham - Nottingham Trent University (October 2024 - May 2025)
- Entry to the Cover Design Awards (A Wrinkle in Time) - Penguin Books (January 2026)

EVENTS

- Christmas Market Handmade Nottingham x NTU (06/12/2024)
- Luv it Carousel NTU Symposium (14/02/2025)
- Urban Makers Market (02/07/2025)
- Don't Fear it NTU Symposium (13/02/2026)

SUMMARY

Having completed my BA Degree in Illustration, I am keen to utilise my numerous skills. Being hard-working, adaptable and friendly, I work effectively, both individually and in a team. I am a keen learner, and am motivated to overcome challenges and achieve goals. I look forward to putting my creativity, artistic and organisational skills to good use.