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Digital Arts

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Portfolio: https://krystalscott96.wixsite.com/da-portfolio

Senior Project: https://fmx499.santiago.bz/kscott/

Artist Statement

As a graduating senior at the University of Tampa majoring in digital arts, I wanted to challenge myself to create something more difficult than anything from the pass. So, I decided to create not just one building, but a whole city in a futuristic theme. This project helped me to find out what my weakness and strengths are in 3D modeling, and I believe I also grew from the experience.

The challenges I faced during the process of this project was at the beginning. Creating ideas and designs for the buildings is where I struggled the most. I would spend days or weeks trying to figure out what my next building would look like. Like when writing an essay, it was hard for me to start, I didn’t know where to begin. I feel that if I had better practice in sketching out designs and drawing schematics, the designing process would have been a lot smoother.

On the other hand, I feel that this project showed my strengths as a 3D modeler. I am confident in creating buildings, structures, and appliances in Maya. I also find that I enjoy creating 3D modeling where it is something I want to do and can see myself in the future.

The University of Tampa helped to bring me to the level I am at today. The most helpful classes that geared me toward my interest for 3d modeling was 3D Animation 1, taught by Dana Corrigan, and 3d modeling and printing, taught by Doug Sutherland. These classes and professors helped me to develop my skills and love for 3D modeling. I don’t know what I would be without them.

I really look forward to the future after graduation. I want to develop my skills more in digital arts and 3d modeling my going to grad school. I see myself as a 3D modeler, either for an animation company, innovation and invention, or gaming. Coming here helped me figure out who I am and what I want to do for my career, where I would be proud to call myself a University of Tampa Spartan Alumni.