

Valerie Scarfone

ARTIST | SCULPTOR | FABRICATOR

Skills

Fabrication

- **Sculpting:** Clay, Fondant, & Gum Paste
- **Carving:** Wax, Plaster, & Foam
- **Mold Making:**
 - **Process:** One-Part, Two-Parts, Injection, Rotational, Slip Casting, Brush-On
 - **Materials:** Silicone, Urethane Rubber, Plaster, Resin, Clay Slip, Liquid Plastic
- Band Saw, Belt Sander, Hand Sander, Drill Press, Soldering, Hand Sewing, Industrial Sewing, Plastic Fabrication

Fine Art

- Drawing, Painting, Color Matching & Theory

Digital

- Adobe Photoshop & Illustrator, InDesign, Premier & After Effects
- Rhinoceros NURBS Modeling, Flamingo Rendering Software, Sculptris, CubeX 3D Printing
- Final Cut Pro, Microsoft Office Suite, Mac

Make-Up

- Beauty make-up, Character Make-Up, Old-Age, Foam Latex Prosthetic Application, Foam Gelatin Prosthetic Application, Special Effects Make-Up

Professional Experience

2017 – Present Fabricator

Monkey Boys Productions | Glenside, PA

- Bleacher Report
 - *Sculpted the shoes and airbrushed the Troell Embiid puppet*
- Saturday Night Live, Season 43
 - Episode 4: *Assisted fabrication of gold carriages for “Baby Step”*
 - Episode 12: *Fabricated a piece for the control stick in “Fighter Pilots”*
 - Episode 14: *Sculpted stone-like model in “Last Call” sketch*
 - Episode 18: *Assisted painting a lobster tail in “Diner Lobster”*
- SeaWorld
 - *Painted and assisted fabrication of the Electric Ocean fish puppets*
- Field Station Dinosaur
 - *Fabricated and repaired two Tyrannosaurus Rex puppets*
- Snow Child Musical
 - *Painted the swan puppet, and fabricated the mane and tail, and assisted in painting the horse puppet*
- Airwick
 - *Molded and cast petals for flowers used in lavender commercial*
- Bronx Boo
 - *Assisted fabrication of feather for a phoenix wings display for the event*
- Little Shop of Horrors
 - *Assisted fabrication of Audrey II puppet number four*

- 2017 **Designer and Sculptor**
Philadelphia, PA
Worked with clients on designing wedding invitation, directions, and RSVP, along with the bridal shower invitation. Created ceramic mushrooms using a plaster mold to make multiples for the table centerpieces.
- 2016 - 2017 **AIGA Philadelphia Education Committee**
Philadelphia, PA
Organize events for design students and attend quarterly meetings
- 2016- 2017 **Career Services Coordinator**
Hussian College, School of Art | Philadelphia, PA
Aid students in job/internship prep and hunting, network with potential employers
- 2016- 2017 **Sculptor**
Unik Cakes | Warminster, PA
Create characters, figures, and flowers out of fondant and gum-paste.
- 2015 **Character Fabrication Assistant**
Blue Forrest Animation | Medford, NJ
Created, casted, molded, and painted figures
- 2014 – 2017 **Adjunct Faculty**
Hussian College, School of Art
Philadelphia, PA
Foundations 3D course projects include: two-part plaster mold with wax castings, life casting then creating facial prosthetic for a special effects make-up, stop-motion creating their own characters, storyboards and final video, 3D printing and modeling, and soft sculpture.
- 2014 - 2016 **Admissions Representative**
Hussian College, School of Art
Philadelphia, PA
Attend college fairs, recruit prospective students, data entry, and clerical work.
- 2014 – 2016 **Volunteer Artist's Assistant**
Fleisher Art Memorial, Color Wheels Program
Philadelphia, PA
Assist with art projects with children in communities around Philadelphia
- 2013 – 2014 **Pre-School English Teacher**
Hess English School
Taipei, Taiwan
Taught English; childcare, & prepared lessons
- 2011 – 2015 **Make-Up Instructor**
Sachem, Bayshore-Brightwaters, Syosset, & Northport Libraries
Long Island, NY
Teach teens basic zombie make-up, how to apply latex prosthetics, & create faux wounds

2010 – 2012 **Anaplastologist**
A Step Ahead Prosthetics
Hicksville, NY
*Life casting, mold making with silicone and polyurethane rubber products,
carving wax, sculpting clay, painting with pigmented silicones, working with
patients*

2009 – Present **Make-Up Artist**
The 40 Year-Old 20 Year-Old
New York, NY
Episodes 1,2,3,4, and 5

CollegeHumor.com
New York, NY
Variety of make-up works

Comedy Central
Long Island, NY
Strong Island – Bootleggers

LandlineTV.com
New York, NY
Hello Dum Dum

Groove NYC Fashion Show
Element
New York, NY

Zombie Killer Force
Web Series
Zombie and beauty make-ups

2009 **Produce Gallery Exhibitions Member**
Temple University, Tyler School of Art
Philadelphia, PA
Install and de-install exhibits, assistant to the curator

2008 – 2009 **Studio Monitor**
Temple University, Tyler School of Art
Sculpture Studio | Philadelphia, PA
Equipment maintenance

2008 **Teacher's Assistant**
Temple University, Tyler School of Art
Metals/Jewelry/CAD-CAM | Elkins Park, PA
Aid students with projects

2007 **Studio Assistant**
Gobbetto – Modern Surfaces

Rome, Italy
Artist assistant for resin projects

2005 – 2009 **Administrative Assistant**
Admissions Office
Temple University, Tyler School of Art
Philadelphia, PA
Tour guide to prospective students, data entry, secretarial work, phone calls

Education

2015 Stop-Motion Animation Workshop
Blue Forrest Animations | Medford, NJ

2015 Anomalies Drawing Workshop
Mutter Museum | Philadelphia, PA

2013 – 2014 TEFL Certification
i-to-i.com

2012 Mold Making Seminar
Smooth-On Inc. | Easton, PA

2009 Certified Make-Up Artist
Make-Up Designory | New York, NY

2005 – 2009 Bachelors of Fine Arts
Metals/Jewelry/CAD-CAM & Sculpture
Temple University, Tyler School of Art | Philadelphia, PA

2007 Rome Study Abroad Program
Temple University | Rome, Italy

Memberships

2017 - Present Philadelphia Horticultural Society
Philadelphia, PA

2016 - Present The Clay Studio
Philadelphia, PA

2016 - 2017 AIGA Philadelphia
Philadelphia, PA

Awards

2009 Alumni Service Award
Temple University | Philadelphia, PA

2007 Dean's List
Temple University | Philadelphia, PA

2007 Rome Scholarship
Temple University | Philadelphia, PA

Exhibitions

2018 Small Favors
The Clay Studio | Philadelphia, PA

2017 Seeing Red
1241 Art Space | Philadelphia, PA

2016 My Philadelphia Story
Philadelphia International Airport | Philadelphia, PA

2009 Basically Functioning
Tyler School of Art | Philadelphia, PA

2009 Metals/Jewelry/CAD-CAM BFA Exhibition
Stella Elkins Tyler Gallery | Philadelphia, PA

2008 Senior Sculpture Show
Penrose Gallery | Elkins Park, PA

2008 Beech
Beech Hall | Elkins Park, PA

2008 Annual Tyler School of Art Student Exhibition
Tyler Gallery | Elkins Park, PA

2008 Video Exhibition
Penrose Gallery | Elkins Park, PA

2007 Student Exhibition
Villa Caproni | Rome, Italy