



# MAXWELL SOBIESKI

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## SUMMARY

- A dynamic fashion graduate from Parsons School of Design with a passion for couture and contextual design
- Skilled in fashion design and construction with a focus on creative thinking
- Proficient in designing, prototyping, styling, photography, sewing, and fabric sourcing
- Passionate about the historical, philosophical, and scientific research behind meaningful interdisciplinary design

## EDUCATION

**Parsons School of Design** | New York, NY  
*Bachelor of Fine Arts, Fashion Design*

May 2023  
GPA: 3.98

## PROFESSIONAL EXPERIENCE

**Zaldy Goco** | Manhattan, NY

August 2024-Present

*Design Assistant and Builder for Victoria's Secret Project*

- Assisted in the Design process for key pieces of the Victoria's Secret Fashion Show
- Created Patterns, Toiles, and samples for several pieces used in the show and pre-show red carpet event
- Hand finished and embellished pieces including embroidery, crystal setting, and fabric manipulation
- Assisted during on-set fittings and styling sessions leading up to show

**Ralph Rucci** | Manhattan, NY

November 2022 – August 2024

*Assistant Designer*

- Collaborate closely with head designer Ralph Rucci in all aspects of garment creation; from idea conception to production of final pieces
- Aided in the research, development, and production of 6 made to order couture collections
- On-site assistance for high profile client fittings, incorporating client feedback on garment design
- Responsible for material sourcing and quality control
- Lead creator of artwork displays and antique restorations
- Creative input in the design of atelier and residence of Ralph Rucci

**The Dialective** | Brooklyn, NY

September 2023 – Present

*Freelance Design Partner*

- Collaborator in the creative vision and design philosophy and branding
- Key contributor of the designer lineup for the 2023 New York Fashion Week showroom
- Contributed to the creative direction and scouting for various photo shoots

**Randi Rahm** | Manhattan, NY

June 2022 – August 2022

*Studio Assistant*

- Aided in the creation of two collections and dozens of custom orders
- Created hand embroidered finishes on a multitude of custom gowns and wedding dresses
- Assisted in pattern making and cutting for the creation of Tech Packs
- Managed the collection of supplies and materials used in the construction of custom pieces
- Re-organized and cataloged entirety of in-house archives and fabrics

**Anthony Baratta** | Manhattan, NY

August 2015 – August 2020

*Design Assistant*

- Developed inspiration boards for Spring 2019 cruise line, co-produced with Max Mara
- Proposed an abundance of furniture design and placement choices for multi-year design projects
- Researched and recommended historical architectural accents and structural layout for 25+ client projects
- Assisted in the photography of client homes for magazines (*Connecticut Home and Garden, House Beautiful*)

## ADDITIONAL PART TIME EXPERIENCES

**Munder Skiles** , *Design Assistant*

June 2020 – August 2021

**Norman L. Kleeblatt** , *Freelance Design Advisor*

June 2021 – September 2021

**Dienst + Dotter** , *Gallery Assistant*

June 2021 – August 2021

