

# francesca nelle

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UNIVERSITY OF NORTH TEXAS, DEPARTMENT OF MEDIA ARTS  
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### *education*

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University of North Texas M.A., Media Arts–Critical-Cultural Studies	Expected May 2026
University of Texas at Austin B.S., Radio–Television–Film, <i>Honors</i>	May 2024

### *research interests*

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Asian American Representation, Intersectionality

Youth & Mental Health, Cultural Studies

### *awards & honors*

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University of Texas at Austin, Honors Day, <i>College Scholar</i>	2024
Moody College of Communication, <i>Digital Media Screening Pick</i>	2023
University of Texas at Austin, Filipino Student Association GoodPhil Cultural Dance, <i>Best Execution</i>	2023
University of Texas at Austin, Filipino Student Association <i>Isang Mahal</i> Talent Show Cultural Dance, <i>First Place</i>	2022
Moody College of Communication, <i>Dean's List</i>	2021–2024
Pegasus Film Festival, <i>Invited to present film project</i>	2020
Texas UIL Film, <i>Semifinalist</i>	2020
Social Awareness Award, <i>Film Recognized</i>	2020

### *teaching experience*

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Foundations of Media Arts, University of North Texas 2024  
(Teaching Assistant to Prof. Tanya Zuk)  
Responsible for assisting with grading for over 60 students

Perspectives on Video Games, University of North Texas 2024  
(Teaching Assistant to Prof. Stephen Mandiberg)  
Responsible for leading and grading a section of 18 students

Dallas Independent School District Summer Explorers, Dual Language Department  
*Dual Language Student Intern* 2022–2024