

Quarantine application – INTERZONE

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1 Topmentor choice	Yuko Shimizu
2 Second choice	Phil Hale
3 Third choice	Henrik Uldalen
Another option that might interest you	Edward Povey
Introduce yourself	My name is Ian and I'm a painter and illustrator. I focus mainly in portraiture and surrealist narrative illustration. Very focused on color relationships and characterless narratives using personal iconography and symbolism.
Do you have a project in mind at this time?	I want to explore pure color and drop figures all together, Ive also been doing the preparatory work for a series of large narrative paintings

Tell us why you want to join Quarantine	The opportunity to be completely closed off and have nothing else to focus on but art sounds like a fantastic experience. I also can't pass up the opportunity to be mentored by some of the best in the biz right now and to learn along side all the other talented participants.
Briefly describe your Artistic and Creative difficulties	I have trouble focusing on one consistent style to form a consistent series. I have the artistic version of ADD where I can't focus on one style for very long. This has prevented me from cultivating a consistent artistic voice
What are your inner demons?	creative block, insecurity
Anything else you want us to know?	
Fluency in English	Poet
✓I have read the Quarantine"INTERZONE" program	1