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Dear Portfolio Show Visitor,

It excites me deeply to walk out of PSU (via zoom) with a Film degree and I'm equally as excited to share my portfolio as a reflection of the fruit of my labor and studies. While I continue to explore many components of filmmaking, I have a talent for cultivating visions that often go unseen by dominant society which are essential to challenging harmful norms, uplifting marginalized audiences, and provoking social change. I create based on the belief that queer and trans people of color deserve to be seen and to take up space.

Most of my work is produced on small budgets in a DIY spirit, so I tend to utilize public spaces, my home, friends of mine, and my own body as subjects. I enjoy exploring the possibilities offered by the tools that are not only readily available to me, but also unceasingly inspiring.

I have a ballet, modern, and vogue dance background and often incorporate those disciplines in my work where I push the idea that black trans joy can exist in any location as evidenced by the many sites featured in my reel. I look forward to making art with and for like-minded folks who wish such expressions of possibility to be the world we live in. Thank you for witnessing.

Sincerely,

A bad bitch