Artist Statement

I know I still have a long way to go when it comes to art. Yet I am thankful that I always feel inspired to go on because there are other people out there who notice and appreciate my work. Although I draw to satisfy my interest and craving for art, I also share my talent to others. Sometimes, I draw for people or hand my creations as personal gifts to those who are close to me. There were also a few times when I have joined art competitions and have won in some of them. I am aware that I still have a lot to improve though. That is why I never cease practicing and learning my craft. Moreover, I know I need to be patient and firm because there are gifts and talents that only time can give me.

As I approach the end of my high school education, I have thought a lot which course I am going to take for college. I know there are plenty of promising degrees out there. Yet I choose to follow and to excel in my passion - fine arts.

To me, art works especially drawings and paintings possess a certain depth and meaning. The masterpieces which an artist creates is already a great reward for his toils and efforts. Yet more than that, his works are his life. Every sketch of a pencil or every stroke of a brush carries the passion and the inspiration of an artist. His works are the reflection of his beliefs, ideas, and imagination which he creatively fuses and transforms into an expressive work of art. His masterpieces are the window into the profundity of his mind and soul.

A couple of years ago, I have had the opportunity to visit some of the world's greatest treasure houses for art works. I entered Spain's Prado where I saw for myself the masterful works of artists like Velasquez, Murillo, Ribera, El Greco, Zurbaran, Goya, and many more. I roamed around the grand Louvre of Paris where I saw the famous works of notable artists such as Leonardo da Vinci with his Mona Lisa, Raphael, Rubens, Rembrandt, Vermeer, and a lot more. I had also visited a few cities of Italy where I saw the works of art masters such as Boticelli, Giotto and Titian and where I marvelled at the glorious Sistine Chapel by Michelangelo.

These privileges I have had only deepened my desire to become an artist myself. I aspire to be like them, yet at the same time I am aware that I can only be me and that I can only share to the people what I have.

Hence, I then wish to apply at your beloved institution for the fine arts course. I believe that it is in your school where I can hone more my skills. I, for my part, hope to make a significant contribution to your university through my academic performance and through my art.
Image List

1. They Don't Like What They See. Oil on Canvas. 60x100cm. 2016.
2. Hole. Oil on Canvas. 100x100cm. 2015
3. Sensation. Oil on Canvas. 100x100cm. 2015
4. Oi. Oil on Canvas. 100x100cm. 2015
5. Test. Oil on Canvas. 100x100cm. 2015