Draw a Modigliani Self Portrait

1. Example of standard face proportions for comparison.
2. Cut 24” x 18” paper to 8” x 18” panels. Fold paper to make grid lines. Draw an oval. Add a long neck.
3. Draw an kind of shirt line and shoulders.
4. Add eyes a little higher than normal, and mouth a little lower. Draw two ears.
5. Draw a nose that is stretched to fill the space. Add hair around the oval head. Erase top oval line.
6. Hair options: A solution for drawing short and curly hair. Modify to match your own hair style.
7. Trace with a marker and color. Press hard until you no longer see any white from the paper.
8. A dark color palette will look the most like Modigliani’s paintings.
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[Image of two portrait drawings]