

Kayla Kale Huang

Animator/Storyboard Artist

EXPERIENCE

Artisan Labs - 2D Animator/Game Artist

2023

Created and animated 2D assets for a Roguelike Card Game

Provided art direction and guidance to developers regarding style, design and production

FUTAKU LLC - 2D Animator/Storyboard Artist

2021-2023

Collaborated with the director and team to produce various 2D animated projects; Such as the short film "It Was a Good Day" as promotion for the Union LA x Air Jordan 2 "Rattan" sneaker line, "Surname Quintana Roo" music video, "Art Force" pilot etc.

Worked extensively in Toon Boom Harmony to animate, clean up and color characters and in Toon Boom Storyboard Pro to board sequences.

NHK WORLD JAPAN - Musical Journeys - 2D Animator

2022

Utilized Adobe Animate to animate, clean and color assets for use in a music education short series "Musical Journeys with Midori, Mack and Cheese" created by Midori Goto

Freelance - Colourless - Lead Animator

2021

Animated, supervised and assigned tasks to a team of 8 and provided necessary technical and artistic support to produce a 7 minute short film.

Designed character model sheets and turnarounds for use in the film.

Developed detailed storyboards in Storyboard Pro and edited/timed animatics.

Loma Linda University - Educational Technologies - Intern

2017-2020

Animated short educational videos using the Adobe Creative Suite for professors at Loma Linda University.

Collaborated with the University Educational studio, By Design Labs, for creative projects.

Loma Linda University - Health Interactive Studio - Intern

2017

Worked in a team of 7 to create various 3-D models that were usable for video games and developed skills in the programs Maya, Substance Painter, and Substance Designer.

PROJECTS

Fast Forward to Forever - Short Film - Character Animator

2022

Collaborated with a team of 20 and provided detailed and cinematic 2D animated artwork for use in a 7 minute short film.

EDUCATION

CSU Long Beach - Animation/Illustration BFA

2020

University Honors Program

Emile Cohl Atelier

2022

Career Accelerator Program - Storyboarding

Andy Cung - Intro to Storyboarding for Animation

2023

Fountain Pen Productions

2023

Apprenticeship Program - Storyboarding/Animation

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SKILLS

Advanced: Adobe Photoshop, Animate, Illustrator, Bridge, After Effects, and Premiere Pro

Advanced: Toon Boom

Harmony and StoryBoard Pro

Proficient: Maya, Blender, Substance Painter, and Substance Designer

Proficient: Procreate, TVPaint, Unity, ShotGrid

ACTIVITIES

Rise Up Animation - Mentee

Women in Animation - Member

Asians in Animation - Member

SOCIAL

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References available upon request