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I am an award winning, focused, enthusiastic and professionally minded animator specialising in 2D Animation.

I am interested in and skilled at Illustration digitally and traditionally, Stop-Motion, Rostrum Animation, Character Design, Concept Art, Visual Development and Graphic Design. I can also use Cinema 4D. I will be delighted to offer my skills and creativity in these areas and look forward to exploring and expanding my knowledge further.

EDUCATION

2017 - 2020 [London College of Communication (UAL), UK]
BA (Hons) Animation (First Class Honours)

2016 - 2017 [Central Saint Martins (UAL), UK]
Foundation Diploma in Graphic Design (Distinction)

2014 - 2016 [Kimbolton School, UK]
A-level A* (Fine Art); A (Music); C (Biology)

2009 - 2014 [King's School Ely, UK]
GCSE 1 A* (RS); 5 As (Fine Art, Biology, Chemistry, Maths, Physics); 3 Bs (French, English 1st & 2nd Language)

SKILLS

Language:

Korean (Native Speaker), English (Fluent), French (Beginner)

IT Skills:

Adobe Illustrator, Photoshop, InDesign, After Effects (DUIK Bassel), Animate, Premiere Pro, Media Encoder, Audition, Microsoft Word, PowerPoint, Excel, Clip Studio Paint, Dragonframe, TV Paint, Toon Boom Harmony, Cinema 4D (OctaneRender and RealFlow), Jitter, Figma and Garage Band

EXPERIENCE

May 2022 - Present Arcadia Content Artist / Illustrator London, UK

- Remotely working as a volunteer illustrator for a non-profitable organisation, Arcadia. I have to produce 2 illustrations a week so, they can share the work on their social media. They provide 2 topics for me to illustrate each week.
- Created a short vector animation for one of their articles.

Dec 2021 (Commission) JEMINN - Winter Is Coming Album Cover Designer Seoul, Korea

- Designed and illustrated the album cover for the Korean music artist, JEMINN's single album, Winter Is Coming.
- Music is published on YouTube, NaverVIBE and Melon with the album cover - streamed more than 80000 on YouTube.

Dec 2020 - Jan 2021 PersonalChemist Part Time Animator London, UK

- Made 2 vector animations for the private healthcare online consulting company - an introduction animation explaining the company's identity and a demonstration animation for one of their blogs on how to use their service.
- Designed and directed the overall style for animations, characters (for blog animation and the white dog in both animations) and background.
- Reviewed and revamped their website, logos, icons and sliders.
- Screen-recorded, video edited and did the voice over for the instruction video about the website and services they offer.

Nov 2018 - April 2019 Barbican Box Life Rewired Director & Animator London, UK

- Made 30 animations containing 5 to 10 second loops for the Barbican's Box Life Rewired concert. The theme was a relationship between the human and technology, and how it provoked certain emotions - joy, anger, fear, sadness, love. Initially, we were given a specific colour to use (green) and then the team was able to choose two more colours (pink and blue).
- Directed three group members. Designed the overall visual concept for the theme, which was reacting to the internet based on the five emotions that the Barbican Centre had given me. They were animated with simple geometric shapes.

Nov 2017 - June 2018 Daddy Issues: Third Year Project Assistant Graphic Designer London, UK

- Helped a third year BA Fashion and Marketing student from Central Saint Martins by designing the editorial book, marketing report, packaging box and plastic bag for her third year graduate collection.
- Managed and designed the website and social media accounts to promote her collection.

COMPETITIONS & FESTIVALS

March 2020 - October 2021

Big Spring Film Festival (Texas, US)

Selected for the festival

London Independent Film Awards (London, UK)

Winner Best Animation Short Student Award, February 2020

IndieFEST Film Awards (San Diego, US)

Winner Awards of Merit Animation (Student)

Tokyo Lift-Off Film Festival (Tokyo, Japan)

Selected for the festival

Lift-Off Showcase Extravaganza (Iver Heath, UK)

Selected for the festival

Paris Short Film Festival (Paris, France)

Selected for the festival

Paris Lift-Off Film Festival (Paris, France)

Selected for the festival

Rome Independent Prisma Film Awards (Rome, Italy)

Selected as a semi-finalist for the festival

Montreal Independent Film Festival (Montreal, Canada)

Selected as a semi-finalist for the festival

Tokyo International Short Film Festival (Tokyo, Japan)

Selected as an honourable mention for the festival

Sicily Independent Film Awards (Sicily, Italy)

Selected as an honourable mention for the festival

JellyFEST Film Festival (Los Angeles, US)

Selected as a finalist for the festival

Roma Short Film Festival (Rome, Italy)

Selected as a finalist for the festival

New Wave Short Film Festival (Munich, Germany)

Selected as a finalist for the festival

FLICKFAIR Film Festival (Los Angeles, US)

Selected for the festival

Seoul International Short Film Festival (Seoul, South Korea)

Selected as a finalist for the festival

Film Today (Online Event)

Selected as an honourable mention for the festival

Fullshot Cine Mag Festival (Online Event)

Selected as a finalist for the festival

Toronto Indie Filmmakers Festival (Toronto, Canada)

Selected as a finalist for the festival

New York Tri-State International Film Festival (New York, US)

Selected as a finalist for the festival

Madrid International Short Film Festival (Madrid, Spain)

Selected as a Nominee for the festival