

Michelle Garcia

2D Generalist

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(PASS: PortfolioMG)

Experience:

Performance Creative- Freelance-Motion Graphics Artist (Oct 2019-present)

Creative Cinematic Ad's for Games such as Disney Emoji Blitz- Frozen adventures and Star war IP. Using After effects- Trapcode- Red giant - Universe.

Tadapix- Art Director/Storyboard artist (Sept 2012-March 2020)

Manage 2-4 projects at a time while leading a team of talented artists. Collaborate with the team and Creative Director in the story process. Create animated videos from animatic to final video.

Cheetah Mobile- Background Designer (May 2019-Jan 2020)

Design backgrounds and creating UI elements for mobile solitaire game.

Midnight Kids Studios- Character Designer/AE Rigger and Animator (Jan-April 2019)

Created character turnarounds and special poses. Rigged AE characters with DUIK tool and animated shots in After effects. Flash animation was used for more complex fight scenes.

Matthew Inc- Storyboard Artist/Animator (Sept 2018-Jan 2019)

Storyboarded and animated 1 video every month from animatic to animation. Collaborate with producers to come up with content based off of previous podcasts.

Poke Gravy Studios- Animator (Dec 2018-Feb 2019)

Animated on Short film called "Class 84". Around 20 seconds of character animation in Animate CC.

Skills & Expertise:

Animate (flash) , Storyboard Pro, Photoshop, Illustrator, Premiere Pro, After effects

Education:

Art Institute of California Bachelor's Degree, Media Art and Animation 2007 – 2011

Stephen Silver Character design course Oct 2015- Dec 2015

Schoolism-Storyboarding -Kris Pern- 2019

Schoolism-Gesture Drawing -Alex Woo- 2018

Awards/Achievements:

Girls drawing Girls Residential artist- 2020

Nick's artist Program- Storyboard track-Finalist 2019

Six Point Harness Story program- 2019

Voyage LA interview- 2019

Women in Animation- Story circle 2018

Galaxy Girl- Children's book series- 2014