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CHARACTER DESIGNER & ILLUSTRATOR

Portfolio work: www.graverstoneart.com Concentration in character designs, Illustrations and comic work

EDUCATION

CALIFORNIA STATE UNIVERSITY LONG BEACH

Bachelor of Fine Arts specializing in Illustration/Animation, focusing on character designs, storyboard and illustrations. Currently in final semester, graduating May 2021.

EXPERIENCE

ART INSTRUCTOR AT INSPYR ARTS (2017-PRESENT)

- Educating K-Teens on character designs and exploring different styles of art
- Curated and designed children styled art curriculum for digital and traditional mediums
- Lead and created curriculum for Animation camps, Digital classes, and Character Design classes
- Took direction and feedback, working independently or as a team

ADDITIONAL EXPERIENCE AND SKILLS

- Illustrated character designs for a project " Ultimate Showdown Collab" working with a team of artist and animators. Collaborated in other student short films as a character designer or storyboard artist
- Created my own Comic Book and Art book for publication
- Adobe Photoshop, Illustrator, Storyboard Pro, InDesign
- Client work includes creating character designs and comic pages
- Works fast, hold leadership qualities, team player, communication skills, meets deadlines, detail oriented, work well under pressure, quick learner and able to adapt to any work environment
- Take direction and feedback very well. Capable of doing multiple revisions and communicating to clients