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Experience

2D Animator/Story Artist – Rocketboy Studios

∴ *Jan 2025 - Feb 2025 Storyboarding:*

- storyboarded actions and expressions for character sprites for mobile-game in development.
 - *Spokane, WA, USA (hybrid)*

∴ *Oct 2024 - Dec 2014 Branding:*

- storyboarded and animated the company's logo character/design for video and website introduction on phones, computers, and game login screens.
 - *Spokane, WA, USA (hybrid)*

Graphic Designer/Illustrator – ArtsEd Washington

∴ *Jan 2025 - Feb 2025 Branding:*

- commissioned to redesign logo; adjust lettering and create/illustrate logo graphics for recognition and branding.
 - *Spokane, WA, USA (remote)*

∴ *Sep 2024 - Dec 2014 Intern:*

- worked in “*Stay Inside the Lines Washington*” coloring book featuring Washington State artists. Designed graphics/animations for advertising, as well as organized book layout for printing, as well as illustrated cover art.
 - *Spokane, WA, USA (remote)*

Book Illustrator – *Alderelm* (novel)

∴ Commissioned to design and illustrate the cover, as well as, interior illustrations for a fantasy novel in publishing.

- *Cheney, WA, USA (hybrid)*
- *October 2023 - August 2024*

Indie Comic Artist/Writer – *Within the Blue* (volume one)

∴ Designed, scripted, storyboarded, inked, colored, lettered, and published indie comic series – digital and printed.

∴ Currently completed book one for the ongoing series.

∴ Link: [Within the Blue](#)

- *Edwall, WA, USA*
- *May 2023 - December 2023*

Sound Designer/Editor – Thinking Cap Communication and Design, Inc.

- ∴ Contracted to create/edit sound effects (soundtrack) for a 10 sec 2D animation produced by Thinking Cap Communications & Design, Inc. and contracted by the Spokane County Human Rights Task Force.
 - *Spokane, WA, USA (remote)*
 - *September 2022 - October 2022*

The Professional Affiliation(s)

- ∴ Women in Animation (WIA), Member
 - *2018 - Present*

Volunteering

Community Volunteer – Museum of Arts and Culture (MAC)

- ∴ Assisted in the Creative Space, Campbell House, and special events/exhibits setup and management. Learning and using VTS (Visual Thinking Strategies) skills to engage visitors with art, culture, and history.
- ∴ *School Groups*: working with different school grade classes, guiding them through MAC's exhibitions encouraging students to engage with art and culture through observation, critical thinking, and discussion.
- ∴ *Creative Space*: working with children and adults in creative tasks (drawing, writing, building, etc.) as a way to engage/teach them the appreciation of art, history, and culture associated with the current exhibition show in the main gallery.
- ∴ *Campbell House*: operating as an interpreter and guide for guests exploring the historic Campbell house. Providing guests historic information and explanation through guided and self-guided tours.
 - *Spokane, WA, USA*
 - *July 2024 - February 2025*

Education

Eastern Washington University (EWU), Cheney, WA

- ∴ Bachelor of Fine Arts in Studio Art (BFA)
- ∴ Minor in Art History
 - Dean's List 2019-2022
 - Presidential Scholarship 2020-2022
 - Barbara Miller-Tom Askman Endowed Art Scholarship 2021-2022
- ∴ September 2018 - June 2022

The Animation Course - Chad Stewart

- ∴ Online Course
 - Learned the foundations of 2D animation under industry professionals; got direct feedback and worked collaboratively with animators/artists on projects/assignments.
- ∴ 2016 - 2018

Skills

Expertise

- ∴ 2D Digital Animation, Character Animation, Character Design, Illustration, Storyboarding, Visual Development, Video Editing, Sound Editing, Sound Design, Screenwriting, Creative Writing, Cinematography, Photography

Software

- ∴ Adobe Animate, Adobe Illustrator, Adobe Photoshop, Adobe After Effects, Adobe Premiere Pro, Clip Studio Paint, TVPaint Animation, Storyboarder, Final Draft, Blender, Audacity, Studio One, Microsoft Office Suite - Powerpoint, Excel, Word

Abilities

- ∴ Eager to Learn, Teamwork, Time Management, Organization, Problem Solving, Critical Thinking, Creativity

For Sample Works and Portfolio examples please feel-free to follow this link to my website: 42poppy-brox-art.com