Lera Belkevych

Character illustration and design · 2D animation

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Experience

2D animator, Maximum Entertainment LLC

Oct 2022 - Dec 2024

- Creating 2D animations for "Diesel Legacy: The Brazen Age" and other fighting game projects
- Design of additional characters, character sheets and models
- Collaborating with Animation director and Paramount Pictures production team to solve animation challenges
- Polishing animation before handing over to Cleanup Team
- Mentoring newcomers

Character artist, Voki Games LTD

Mar 2021 - Feb 2023

- Created artworks of existing characters accordingly to their designs for "Manor Matters", "Mystery Matters" casual games
- Designed new characters
- · Designed background layouts and sketches
- Lead mentorships and workshops for newcomers
- Prepared pipeline document for character illustration and character stylization processes

2D artist/animator, Hashtag Ukraine, [isdgroup]

Aug 2019 - Aug 2020

- Created illustrations for brands social media pages, such as Nivea, Nivea Men, Aquamaris, etc
- Developed original characters for SMM purposes
- Animated characters and backgrounds for ad campaigns
- Created AR filters for Instagram promo campaigns

2D animator • Freelance

Aug 2016 - Present

- Collaborated with And Action agency in creating 2D animation for promo videos: Robota.ua, GoKarpaty, MasterZoo
- Worked on illustrations for "Ukrainian Holidays" of selfpublishing company "Maloviy"
- Created storyboards for TV advertising production
- Delivered 2D animation for animated series project "Bunker"

Education

Master Degree in Cultural Studies

National University of Kyiv-Mohyla Academy, Kyiv, Ukraine Sep 2017 - Jun 2019

• Specialization in Film analysis

Bachelor Degree in Biology

National University of Kyiv-Mohyla Academy, Kyiv, Ukraine *Aug 2013 - Aug 2017*

Specialization in neuroplasticity research

Skills

Tools/Sofware

- TVPaint
- Adobe Photoshop
- Adobe After Effects
- Clip Studio Paint
- Adobe Illustrator

Languages

- Japanese (Proficient)
- English (Fluent)
- Ukrainian (Fluent)

Certification

2D Animation Creation

course 2022 Projector Institute, Kyiv, Ukraine mentor: dir. Oleh Malamuzh ("Mavka: The Forest Song")

Recognition

"Linoleum Contemporary Animation and Media Art Festival" official selection

"New York Animation Film Awards (NYAFA)" semi-finalist