



EMILY
SERRANO

Character Designer
2D Animator

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Skills

- Character Design
- Concept Design
- 2D Animation
- Toon Boom Harmony
- Storyboard Pro
- Premiere Pro
- Procreate
- Adobe Animate

Projects

Apex Legends Gaiden Event (Titmouse)

- Freelance cleanup and colour

Midnight Oil Animation

- Freelance animation, clean and colour on unmusic video by famous rapper/actor

Education

School of Visual Arts
BFA Animation
May 2023

Experience

Cleanup Animator - **Spindlehorse (Hazbin Hotel)**

Nov 2022 - Jan 2023

- utilized Toon Boom Harmony to clean and colour scenes
- used Toon Boom Harmony's node system to organize animation layers and backgrounds according to the shot
- composited backgrounds into shots and exported PNG sequences of cleaned shots into appropriate folders
- cleaned up rough animation according to art directors' guide and vision
- put characters back on model
- adjusted shots according to art directors' notes and corrections

Animator - **Midnight Oil Animation**

Nov 2023 - Present

- utilized Toon Boom Harmony to rough animate, clean and colour scenes
- cleaned up rough animation according to art directors' guide and vision
- put characters back on model and amplified acting from storyboards
- adjusted shots according to art directors' notes and corrections

Character Designer - **Grassy Tails**

Sept 2022 - May 2023

- created character turnarounds, special poses and mouth charts for 2 art styles; first geometric, the second reminisce of classic Disney
- coloured characters and provided hex codes for animator use

Titmouse Artistic Intern

Jun 2022 - Aug 2022

- Created artwork for various industry tests for practice
- Mentored by Otto Tang to create industry standard work
- Sat in on dailies meetings for the story department and design departments for the live production, *Kiff*, to learn how art directors review work and how a pipeline is run

Lab Assistant at School of Visual Arts

Sept 2021 - May 2023

- Assisting students and faculty with IT issues and equipment rentals
- Maintained organization over equipment rentals in Airtable
- Fostering a positive social environment between student and animation faculty