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References available upon request

Experience

Nickelodeon Storyboard Artist on *Big Nate*

(August 2022-March 2024)

- Created rough boards from scripts, utilizing available character designs, set OBJs, and audio
- Applied notes from rough and clean pitches to clean pass of boards
- Assisted directors with additional revisions when necessary
- Spearheaded several song sequences

Nickelodeon Plussing Revisionist Freelance on *The Patrick Star Show*

(May 2022)

- Assisted with plussing revisions for an episode on *The Patrick Star Show*
- Using the script and audio, pushed expressions and poses from the boards
- Elevated compositions in scenes as necessary

Nickelodeon Storyboard Revisionist on *Transformers: EarthSpark*

(September 2021 - June 2022)

- Hooked up backgrounds and props throughout sequences for continuity
- Executed minor and major revisions for sequences using redlines, thumbnails, and verbal notes from directors
- Ensured file naming and structure was consistent for exports to editorial and production tracking
- Assisted board artists and directors with clean up when meeting deadlines

Anime and Animation Freelance

(January 2022 - Present)

- Worked with several studios to complete cleanup animation (nigen) on small and larger properties
- Created layout for some episodes of anime
- Assisted studios with cleanup and color animation to prep the files for comp

Illustration and Children's Book Freelance

(October 2016 - Present)

- Collaborated with clients and self-publishers to design and illustrate commissions and children's books
- Applied notes to illustrations when given
- Worked under a variety of deadlines

Mini - Storyboard Mentorship with Nick Fillippi

(October 2020 - December 2020)

- Worked from a script from *Big Hero 6: The Series* to create a portfolio piece
- Applied notes and drawovers when given
- Learned various storyboarding techniques and skills helpful for TV animation production

Education

University of California, Los Angeles

- MFA in Animation

Loyola University Chicago

- BFA in Drawing and Painting
- Minors in Visual Communications and International Film and Media Studies

Skills

Proficient

- Adobe CS, Microsoft Office Suite, ShotgridStudio, Insight, Zoom, SyncSketch, Sharepoint, Toon Boom SBPro, Blender, XSheets

Knowledgeable

- Final Cut Pro, Maya, CSP, Evercast