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Rustem Shagisultanov

Visual Development | Illustration | Comics

SKILLS

- Adobe Photoshop
- Adobe InDesign
- Sculptris
- Maya
- Traditional Inking

EXPERIENCE

Remote– *Fantasma Collective Studio*

March 2025 - Present

- Worked on an ongoing graphic novel visual development project
- Created multiple pieces of comic cover art for ComicCon and regular purchase
- Handled development of style guide, character design, and layout of project
- Created separate commissioned illustrations for Fantasma clients

Remote– *Background Painter for Animation*

January 2024 - May 2024

- Worked on an upcoming student animation as a background layout artist and painter

Remote– *Freelance Illustrator*

April 2022 - Present

- Collaborated with clients to develop designs and transformed them into final illustrations.
- Maintained a strong focus on delivering visually cohesive designs, from initial concepts to polished final product.
- Demonstrated effective time management to meet deadlines while ensuring clear and consistent communication with clients regarding design progress and revisions.

ArtCenter College of Design, Pasadena, CA— *Teachers Assistant*

August 2024 - November 2024

- Helped teach perspective and storytelling techniques.
- Assisted on field trips, homework, and in class activities.
- Printed and organized paperwork.

EDUCATION

ArtCenter College of Design— *Bachelor of Arts, Illustration*

August 2022 - Present

Expected Graduation: May 2026