Andrew Davis

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EDUCATION

ArtCenter College of Design
BFA Illustration Entertainment Arts
Fall 2023 – Spring 2026

Azusa Pacific University
BA Animation and Visual Effects
Fall 2021 – Spring 2023

SKILLS

Software
Photoshop, Blender, ToonBoom Storyboard Pro, Toonboom GHarmony, After Effects, Maya, Google Suite

Design
Visual Development, Background Painting, Character Design

Languages
English (Native), Japanese (Intermediate)

EXPERIENCE

Art Lead *Liminal Summers*
Los Angeles, CA
November 2025 – Current
- Conceptualized and created the tone and style for a 2D animated miniseries through visual development art, character design, props and backgrounds.
- Took notes from directors and producers to deliver revisions and meet production deadlines.
- Sourced additional talent to the production such as storyboard artists, character designers, and visual development artists.

Animated Short Co-Creator *Yokai Apartment*
ArtCenter College of Design
May 2025 – August 2025
- Co-created a 2D animated short where I created characters, developed gags, storyboards, 3D model interiors, rough and clean animation.
- Created the background style guide and lead other artists by providing feedback on how to match the style of the short.
- Managed the production schedule with co-creators to meet deadlines.
- Composited and edited the final short film.

Teaching Assistant *ArtCenter*
ArtCenter College of Design
January 2025 – April 2025, September 2025 – December 2025
- Provided individualized critique for students as well as after hours assistance in Dynamic Sketching. I helped teach core drawing fundamentals using various subjects such as insects, cars, and animal skeletons.

Project Intern *Giorgiko*
Monterey Park, CA
June 2024 – August 2024
- Created an animation demo in the Giorgiko style, which incorporates childlike characters in an apocalyptic urban landscape, under the direction of the fine artist duo Darren and Trisha Inouye.
- Assisted with the preparation of "Strangers and Exiles", a showcase at Thinkspace Gallery.

Background Artist *The Jewel Sisters*
Los Angeles, CA
October 2023 – March 2024
- Created 2D anime-style background art with a team of background artists.
- Made revisions to deliver final backgrounds based on the feedback of the directors and producers.