MEGAN THONG

concept artist / visual development

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EDUCATION

Artcenter College of Design **Bachelor of Science**

Entertainment Design Concept Track Pasadena, CA

Provost List 2022-2024

> anticipated April 2025

The One Academy **College Diploma**

Illustration and Game Art Selangor, Malaysia Jan 2018 - Apr 2021

SKILLS

Design and Presentation

Visual Development Color and Light Environment Design IP Style Alignment Illustration **Motion Graphics**

Software

Adobe Photoshop Adobe Illustrator Adobe After Effects Adobe Indesign Procreate Blender Sketchup Miro Asana Slack

Languages

English (Native) Chinese (Intermediate) Malay (Intermediate)

WORK EXPERIENCE

Freelance Concept Artist

Rumblebox Inc, Westlake Village CA

June 2023 - Sept 2023

- Involved part-time as a Junior Environment Artist for 10 hours per week
- Developed style concepts for environment backgrounds on the short film 'Pacific Standard Universe' for Griffith Observatory

Teaching Assistant for Fernando Olmedo

Artcenter College of Design, Pasadena CA

Sept 2022 - Dec 2022

- Recorded and organised class feedback of 15 students
- Sent weekly reminders and summaries of class teachings to instructor
- Designed photo wall thumbnail layouts for graduation exhibition Fall 2022

Freelance Illustrator

Schroders Investment Management, Singapore

Nov 2020 - Dec 2020

- Designed presentation assets for Schroders ISF Global Sustainable Fund Launch using Illustrator
- Researched project details and provided moodboards with presentation layouts

ANIMATION PROJECTS

The Wild Life, 2D film production

Artcenter College of Design, Pasadena CA

May 2023 - April 2024

- Researched, designed character and environment props
- Designed background layouts utilizing Blender with draw-overs in Photoshop
- Created background paintings with style exploration tests on weekly deadlines

Chime, Sugarcode Productions

The One Academy, Selangor, Malaysia

Jan 2021 - Apr 2021

- Participated in pre production of a CG animated film with a team of 15 concept artists
- Researched, designed the film environment and listed style guidlines for team members
- Developed orthographic drawings of environment assets with material callouts
- Illustrated keyart used for social media promotional material