JUDAH ESQUIVEL

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Character Designer/Animator/Director

Portfolio Instagram Youtube

Skills

Digital Softwares - Photoshop, Maya, After Effects, Premiere Pro, TV Paint, Toon Boom Harmony, Procreate.

Artistic Skills - Character Design, Visual Development, Animation, Illustration, Pen and Ink, Gouache, Watercolor.

Education

CalArts - BFA in Character Animation - Valencia, CA (September 2023 - May 2027)

Experience

Otakubo - 2D Rough Animator for Bilibili project (January 2025 - March 2025)

- Produced rough animation for multiple shots following production standards under the guidance of an independent director for an animated short, OTAKUBO, commissioned by Bilibili.

The Dreamcatcher Show - Character Designer (December 2024 - February 2024)

- Lead character designer on episode six of Dreamcatchers. Staying true to the director and co-directors vision, designed a variety of reappearing characters from rough explorations to final design.

Lab Sandwich - Director and Filmmaker (January 2024 - April 2024)

- Directed and animated a short film in my first year at Calarts which was selected for the CalArts Producers Show in 2024

Awards

- Producers Show 2024 for film "Lab Sandwich"
- Nickelodeon 2024 Scholarship