



Queendom Hearts Vol. 2



A Kingdom Hearts Fanzine

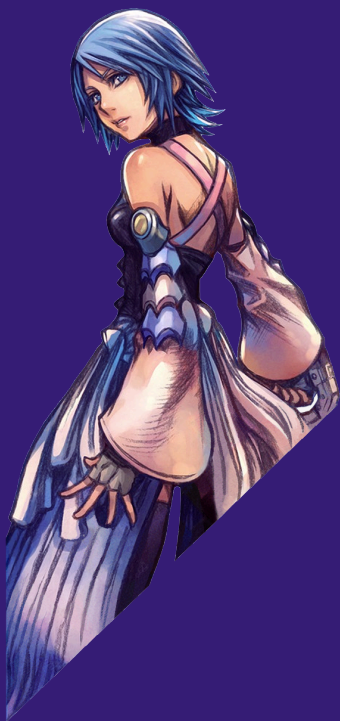
This is a fanmade, charity zine dedicated to celebrating the original female characters in the Kingdom Hearts video game series.

This document is not final and will be updated as the project goes on.

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Current Schedule:

PLEASE NOTE: *This is a tentative schedule that may be subject to change. Any changes that do need to be made will be announced.*



- **Interest Check:** January 1 - 22, 2021
 - **Mod Application:** January 22 - February 12, 2021
 - **Contributors Application:** February 19 - March 12, 2021
 - **Selection Process + Emails:** March 12 - 19, 2021
 - **Concept Check In:** April 2, 2021
 - **1st Check In:** April 16, 2021
 - **2nd Check In:** May 14, 2021
 - **3rd Check In:** June 18, 2021
 - **Final Submission Due:** June 30, 2021
 - **Open Pre-Orders:** July 9, 2021
 - **Close Pre-orders:** August 20, 2021
 - **Estimated Shipping:** October/November
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Introducing the Mods

Nico—— **Head Mod (tumblr | twitter)**

Hello! I'm Nico, a hobby artist who has been a fan of Kingdom Hearts since I was 12. I was one

of the 2 original head mods for the first volume of Queendom Hearts and I have since run two other zines (Champions Grace and Garland Moon) as well as been the finance mod for the Roxas zine, Gothic Horror FE3H zine, and various others.

Ru—— Head Mod (tumblr | twitter)

Hi, I'm Ru, a hobby artist and software engineering grad. I've loved Kingdom Hearts since I was 10. I was one of the two original head mods for the first volume of Queendom Hearts and I was a merch artist in the Champions Grace Zine!

TBD—— Social Media ()

TBD—— Graphics Mod ()

TBD—— Layout Mod ()

Noct—— Merch Mod (Discord)

Hello! Y'all can call me Noct! I've been around since the games first came out, and i've loved it ever since! I've modded two zines fully, and i'm currently assisting in a handful more! I've also contributed to a couple too! Most recently the KHtrio calendar and SoRiKai zine!

Zine Specifications:

This zine will feature approximately 50 artists and have a number of physical merch items. Please see below for more specifics:

- The zine will be 6x9 inches, perfect bound, and will feature artworks depicting all of the original female characters in the Kingdom Hearts series.
- We will be accepting 25 artists from applications. All original artists from the first volume have been invited back to create another piece and will be accepting additional artists from there. Depending on how many accept the invitation to return, we may pull more artists from applications
- There will be 5-8 merch artists. Due to the number of characters being represented, each merch piece will be asked to feature multiple characters so that we can have an even representation. Merch artists will be new applicants.
- **The current characters to be represented are: Kairi, Namine, Xion, Aqua, Olette, Larxene/Elrena, Skuld, Strelitzia, Ava, Invi, Vor, Urd**

The zine will be available in both physical and digital versions with a bonus merch bundle and stretch goals.

This will be a charity zine, so all proceeds after production costs will be donated to a charity chosen by the contributors.

Each contributor will receive a free copy of the book and if profits permit, a full merch bundle as compensation.

Contributor Requirements

General requirements:

- **Be respectful** to all of the other contributors or mods.
- **Keep to the zine's schedule and deadlines:**
 - If you are unable to meet a certain check-in, you should alert one of the mods for an extension and be communicative throughout so that they know you're still a part of this project.
- **You must be willing to use Discord:** zine updates will be shared via the zine's Discord server, and this will also be how mods interact with and assess the WIPs of all contributors.

Artist requirements:

- Create an original piece of artwork depicting assigned characters
- Characters will be assigned based off of preference stated in the application. We will ask for top 3 choices and please note you may not get your number 1 choice if we have an unbalanced representation of characters. **More than one character can be in the piece so long as your assigned character is present in a largely focal capacity**
- Artists will be assigned to either a single page piece or 2-page spread depending on the pitch submitted. Pitches will be assigned by the mod team based on the ones submitted by artists during the application process.



Merch Artist requirements:

- Create an original piece of merchandise depicting assigned characters
- Merch artists will be assigned to make a specific kind of merch, depending on the pitch submitted. Merch will be assigned by the mod team based on the ones submitted during the application process.
- **Available merch ideas will be updated after the interest check**
- Merch artists are welcome to propose merch outside of the options currently in consideration
- **NOTE:** *In order to represent all the characters (10 at present) merch artists must be willing to include multiple characters in their merch piece. However, we will not ask anyone to do more than **3** in a piece (unless it is a sticker sheet). Merch artists have the option of doing more if they are able, but it will not be required.*

Application Requirements

All applicants will be asked to provide 3 samples of their best work in addition to a portfolio. The samples are for you to highlight what you think your best, most representative works are, so we ask that you please provide these even if all 3 are in your portfolio. Acceptable portfolios are google drives, portfolio sites, Instagram, and DeviantArt galleries. If you only have a social media such as Twitter or Tumblr we ask that the Twitter be an art only one or your Tumblr to have an art tag (please submit the art tag and not just your Tumblr). If your Twitter is not art only then please put your pieces in a google drive so we do not have to try to hunt down your art amidst other posts.

Note: *Please make sure all links are correct, working, and permissions are set to allow us to view.*

Application links/requirements will be updated a few weeks before apps open.

FAQ



What is the theme of this zine?

- As of right now the theme is general celebration of the female characters. However, we will be asking on the interest check if there are any themes people would like to see

Are ships allowed?

- At this time ships are not allowed.

Are AUs allowed?

- AUs are accepted; however we ask that pitches for AUs be reviewed by mods and discussed with the contributor

Will there be an age limit?

- All contributors must be 16+

Will this be a SFW zine?

- Yes, everything in the zine will be SFW. We will not accept any sexual content or gore. Please keep all pieces PG-13.

Will Disney characters/locations be allowed?

- The Disney worlds will be allowed as backgrounds, but we are still discussing if Disney characters will be allowed in the zine.

Is shipping available to [insert country/location]?

- The mods are going to do everything they can to make shipping available to every country, but considering the limitations of COVID-19, there might be some challenges. We will update this document and make announcements if anything prevents us from shipping to certain countries.

Will an applicant's follower count impact your decisions during the selection process?

- No. We will be judging apps based on the artwork presented, follower counts will not factor in.