

Elaine Cherri

3D animator

A Los Angeles based 3D animator with a 2D animation background. I love the magic of bringing life into something once rigid. It is a treat to incorporate that magic into each story that comes my way.

CONTACT

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SOFTWARE

3D & CAD

MAYA
SUBSTANCE PAINTER
GAEA
ZBRUSH
SPEEDTREE
UNREAL ENGINE 4 & 5
MOTION BUILDER
AUTOCAD
SOLIDWORKS

VFX

NUKE
PF TRACK

GRAPHIC DESIGN

ADOBE SUITE
- PHOTOSHOP
- ILLUSTRATOR
- INDESIGN
- AFTER EFFECTS
- PREMIERE PRO
SKETCH
TVPaint PRO
EMAIL CAMPAIGN DESIGN
- MAILCHIMP

LANGUAGES

SPANISH
ENGLISH

PROFESSIONAL EXPERIENCE

GRAPHIC DESIGNER/ PRODUCTION ASSISTANT

MTM, LOS ANGELES, CA, JULY 2024 – CURRENT

- Collaborated on 3D product modeling using SolidWorks and MAYA.
- Created watch mockups for clients using Adobe Photoshop.
- Prepared approved mockups for print production using Adobe Illustrator.
- Operated multiple Mimaki machinery to print artwork onto watches.

FREELANCE 2D ANIMATOR

HOT BUTTERED ELVES, LOS ANGELES, CA, NOVEMBER 2023 – DECEMBER 2023

- Produced multiple 5-10 seconds animations proficiently using After Effects.
- Responsible for implementing animation style from the source material.
- Successful in developing loopable animations based on provided scripts.
- *Unannounced project (TBD)*

FREELANCE 3D ANIMATOR

PETER PLEVITIS, LOS ANGELES, CA, AUGUST 2023 – SEPTEMBER 2023

- Responsible for animating human walk cycles using Maya.
- Created the walk cycles using the provided mocap data.
- *Unannounced project (TBD)*

GRAPHIC DESIGNER/ANIMATOR

ELON BOOKS, BEVERLY HILLS, CA, NOVEMBER 2019 – JULY 2022

- Produced Facebook Ad campaigns utilizing the Adobe Suite.
- Responsible for updating the website in WordPress.
- Collaborated with book series authors on editing page layouts and book text.
- *What Should Danny Do? (2017)*
- *What Should Darla Do? (2019)*

LEAD GRAPHIC DESIGNER/ANIMATOR

DOMINIEN CORP, WEST HOLLYWOOD, CA, JULY 2018 – AUGUST 2019

- Managed a small team of interns to design advertisement campaigns and social media posts.
- Illustrated icons in Sketch to be implemented in a mobile app.
- Responsible for designing and illustrating mobile app icons utilizing Sketch.
- *Neattuck (Mobile app)*

FREELANCE 2D ANIMATOR

JIM KEESHEN PRODUCTIONS, LOS ANGELES, CA, JUNE 2017 – NOVEMBER 2018

- Produced hand-drawn animated scenes based on provided storyboards utilizing TVPaint.
- Responsible for coloring animated scenes based on provided color scripts.
- *Surfer Joe (2019)*

EDUCATION

BACHELORS OF FINE ARTS, IN DIGITAL PRODUCTION

GNOMON, LOS ANGELES, CA, 2020-2023

ASSOCIATE DEGREES IN ANIMATION AND LIBERAL ARTS/HUMANITIES

SANTA MONICA COLLEGE, SANTA MONICA, CA, 2015 – 2018