



JIE DENG

Storyboard & Concept Artist

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SKILL SETS

Storytelling



Composition+Staging



Draftsmanship



Collaborative



Problem solving



Drawn on model



Sketching



Illustration



Layout + Set Design



Character Design



Japanese



TOOLS

Storyboard Pro
Adobe Photoshop CC
Adobe AfterEffect CC
Adobe Indesign CC
Adobe Illustrator CC
Procreate
Pencil
Pen & ink
Watercolor

EXPERIENCE

Freelance Storyboard Artist / Jan 2020 - Present

- Produce and deliver storyboard sequences and storyboard revisions upon request by client's project, including animation shorts, independent films, etc.

STELA Studio / May 2016 - Aug 2020

Storyboard Lead & Illustration Artist

- Collaborate with multiple teams and meet the Director's needs, solving different problems and making solutions based on stories and concepts.
- Created sets of storyboards for three long-running titles include "Lumi White," "Lucha and the Wolf" and "Perfect timing" and many other shorts in the studio.
 - "Lumi White" — Developing storyboard, concept, story arc, script.
 - "Perfect Timing" — Developing storyboard and script editing.
 - "Lucha and The Wolf" — Conceptualize, world develop and character design, and presentation finalized sketches to illustration and trailer.

TRINITY ONE, Inc. / Jul - Aug 2016

Freelance Character Designer

- Develop and creat characters for a kind's show.

STUDIO X / Sep 2014 - Nov 2015

Storyboard and Prop designer

- Created and developed sets of storyboard for "Foodiecat" shorts and future S2 opening.
- Created visual and prop design elements for "Foodiecat" show.

AWARDS & HONORS

Infacted by Art Vol 9 / 2021

- Watercolor Categories for personal art

3x3 International Illustration Show No17 / 2020

- Advertising Categories "Lucha and The Wolf" trailer

Spectrum Fantastic Art 27 / 2020

- Advertising Categories/ "Lucha and The Wolf" illustraion

Academy of Art University / 2016

- Storyboard Animatic Runner-up "Little Gardener"
- Best of the Show "Little Dragon" Character Maquette
- Honors in Sketchbook, Children's book, Environment design

EDUCATION

The Animation Collaborative / 2020

Storyboard workshop By Austin Madison

Academy of Art University / Jan 2010 - Dec 2015

Bachelor of Fine Arts, San Francisco