## Elizabeth Elkins

## **Animator | Greater Houston Area**

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### **Portfolio**

https://www.elizabet helkinsart.com/

## **Education**

### **Bachelor of Fine Arts - Animation**

Sam Houston State University - Huntsville TX 2020 - 2023

**Associate of Arts** 

Lone Star College System - Tomball, TX 2014 - 2019

## **Experience**

**Three Train Studios- Animator** Sep 14, 2024 - Present Remote

- Successfully created Character animations and interactions between characters using Toonboom.
- Created special effects using Adobe After Effects.
- Worked within a tight deadline to accomplish the team goal of creating a pilot episode.

**Perks Beanery - Barista** Aug 2014 - Sep 2020, Nov 2021 - Present 32211 TX-249. Pinehurst. TX 77362

• Worked as a barista making drinks, handling transactions, and restocking inventory.

**Hobby Lobby - Cashier** 

Sep 2020 - Apr 2021

27706 Tomball Pkwy Tomball, TX 77375

• Worked as a cashier handling transactions.

**Super Summer Stuff** - **Camp counselor** *July 2011 - August 2014 West University Baptist Church- 6218 Auden St, Houston, TX 77005* 

## Internship

#### **Magnolia Bible Church**

Jun 2020 - Aug 2020

31611 Nichols Sawmill Rd, Magnolia, TX 77355

• Created social media posts for announcements and events using different programs such as Photoshop, Premiere Pro and Canva.

## **Projects**

## The Lonely Scarecrow - Childrens Book

- •Designed all characters, backgrounds, and props.
- •Developed compelling images through visual storytelling.
- •Planned out color scheme and drawings for each of the pages.
- •Completed within 11 months.

#### **Picante Commercial - Group Project**

- This project allowed the opportunity to collaborate with other students in a group setting for a competition to create a commercial for Picante.
- Worked on character reactions in adobe animate while also working with others to maintain a consistent art style throughout the whole animation.

### **Technical Skills**

Adobe Animate

Media Encoder

Premier Pro

After Effects

Creative Cloud

Clip Studio

Maya

Blender

Substance 3D painter

ToonBoom

Microsoft OfficeSuite

# Professional Skills

Time management

Ability to meet deadlines

Creative problem solving

Presentation skills

Verbal and written communication skills

Adaptability to changing project requirements

Willingness to receive and implement feedback

Ability to handle multiple tasks simultaneously

Strong sense of storytelling through animation

## Witch Animation - Individual Project

- Worked on an animation of a witch dancing to music while mixing potions.
- The focus for this project was on special effects while also timing the animation to the music.

## Fight Scene - Individual Project

- The focus for this project was on interesting camera angles and body movements.
- This required multiple studies on sword fighting to learn how to coordinate it.