



Portfolio

Akina Jiao

I am a designer specializes in painting and video editing. Most of my paintings are inspired from my life, things I been seeing, and especially the Japanese anime which I love the most. Illustration is an indispensable part of my life.

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Illustration

Digital Illustration

Background Illustration drawn for the anime fan movies. The story takes place in a castle of sky at the crack of dimension space. Anime characters of different dimensions are summoned to the castle and started a game of gambling. The loser will be erased from the world.





Illustration

Digital Illustration



Character Designs for the anime fan movies. Gilgamesh from Fate and Kirito from Sword Art Online. Two of the anime characters that being summoned to the Sky Castle. Clothing styles referenced mobile games.

Illustration

Digital Illustration

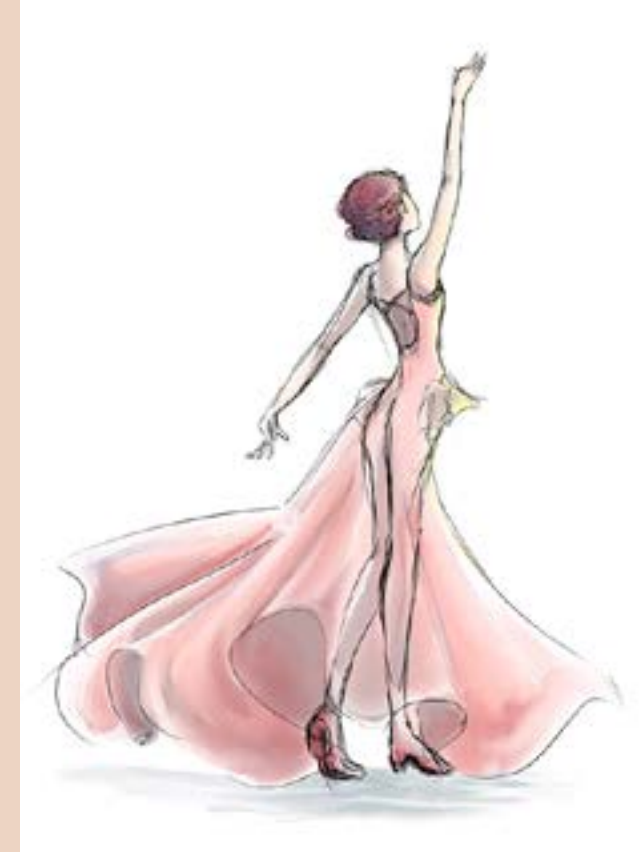


Character Design drawn for the revised version of Little Red Riding Hood. Characters and settings based on the original story, happening in the past Europe. The little girl in this story is still selling her

matches. But no one noticed her because she died long time ago of cold weather. The little girl who is selling matches now is just a spirit.

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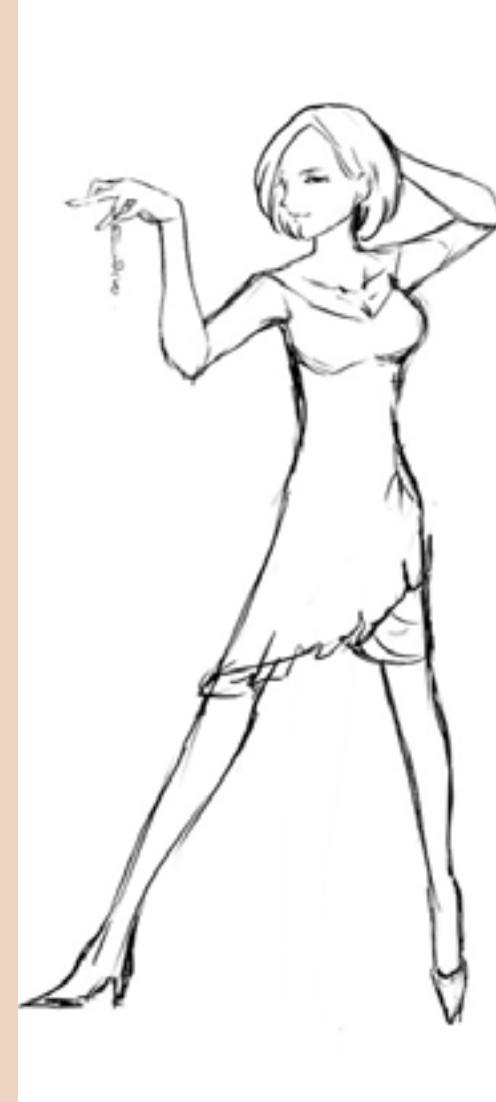
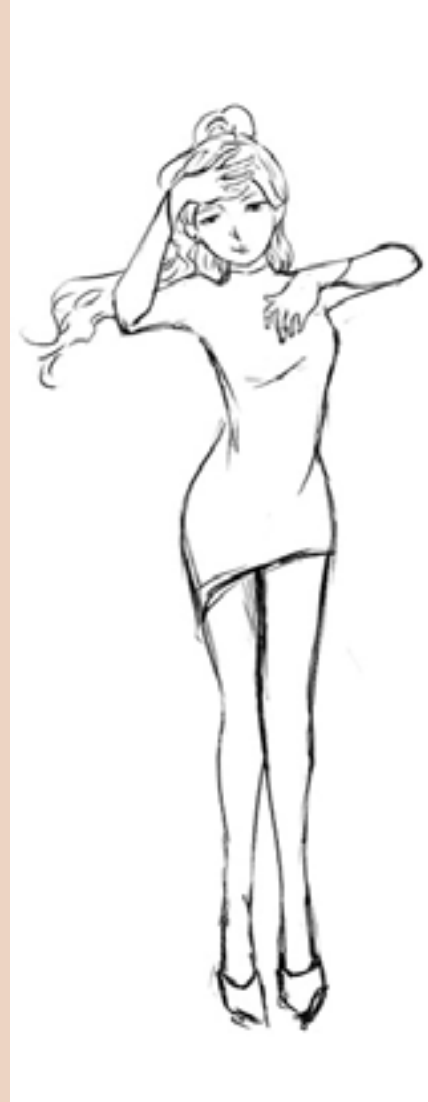
Digital Illustration



Character Designs for fun. Free drawings. The characters are all from different dimensions with amazing background stories.

Illustration

Digital Illustration



Ipad Drawings for fun. Free drawings in black and white. They are waiting to be given a story in the near future.

Illustration

Hand-drawing Illustration

Peace Iced Tea (often labeled Peace Tea) is a brand of assorted iced tea beverages produced by the Coca-Cola Company. The image of the can bottle is redesigned. The redesigned cover is a group of teenagers frolicking on the ice cubes that are floating on the ocean. Letting the audience feels the freshness of the ice tea.



Storyboard

A story about magicpens. The things that the master of the pen draws on the sketchbook will be materialized and obey to the master. A street gangster incidentally picked up the magic pen and a sketchbook on the street. When he discovered the special magic he had acquired, he started using the magical power to do bad things. When the street was in chaos, another man with the magic pen appeared and rescued the crisis.



At a street corner.



Green t-shirt man saw something dropped on the floor.



He picked up and take a close look.



It's a sketchbook with a black cover.



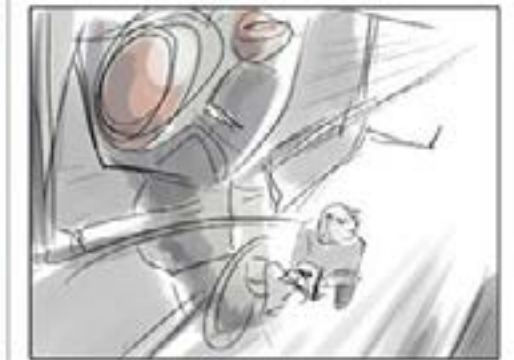
He tried to draw something.



Sketch, sketch, sketch.....



The bug moster he drew was came to life.



The bug moster popped out of the sketchbook.

Storyboard



Bug monster and the man looked at each other.



The man noticed that the bug monster will not attack on the one created him...



and the things draw on this sketchbook will come to life.



The man smiled evilly.



He commanded the bug monster to attack the street.



The man was ride on top of the head of the bug monster.



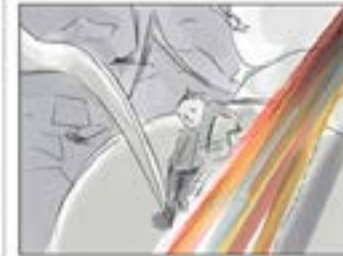
He scorned people on the streets from height.



Looked around.



Laugh evilly.



Flame laser wiped over his shoulder.



Look back.



Someone was behind the man.



Its a man with black suit.



The man sketched something on his sketchbook.



Something popped out.



A bird monster!!

Storyboard



The bird monster screamed.



Man shaking...



The man slipped because of fear.



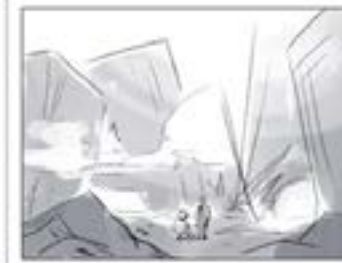
He fall on the ground.



The substance that really contains the magic power which is the pen, not the sketchbook.



Black suit man break the pen.



Monster is gone.



In the night time.



Monsters' combat!!



The man with black suit walked slowly to the green shirt man.



Green shirt man tried to protect his sketchbook.



The black suit man picked up the pen that dropped on the ground with the man.



On the roof of a building



The man is talking to a spirit next him.



Bla bla bla...



Spirit smiled.

Graphic Design

Storyboard

Rose Petal is a company that cultivates roses and produces perfumes made from roses cultivated by its own company. This is the graphic design of their logo, business card, and stationary design.



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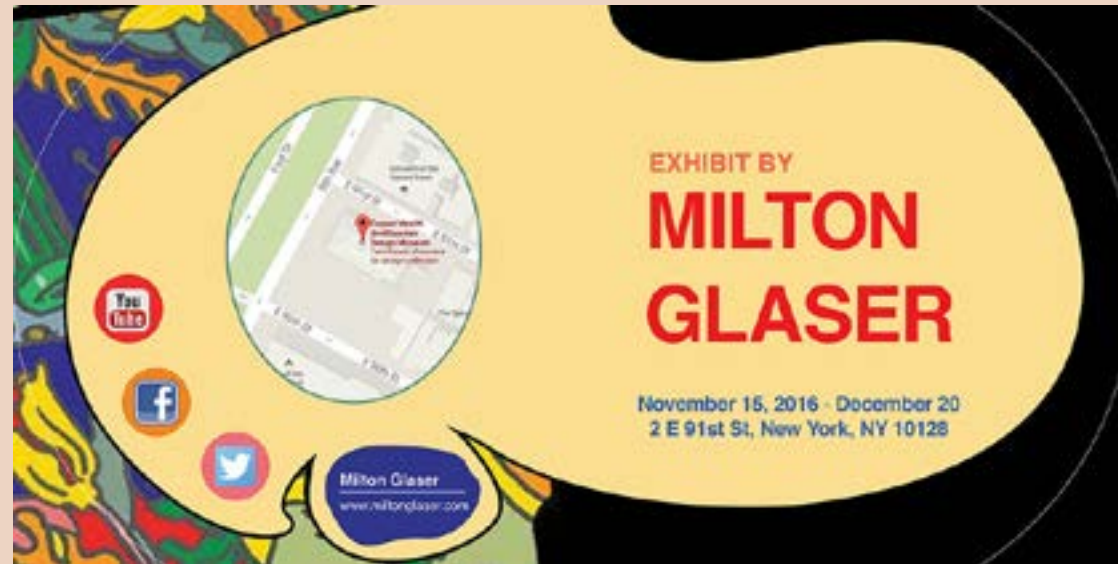
Graphic Design



Cherry blossom festival poster designs. Location is the botanical garden in Brooklyn. The first poster featured Brooklyn's most iconic architecture, the Brooklyn Bridge. The second one uses the photos

in the garden directly for publicity. The two pictures are all surrounded by cherry blossoms to feel the warmth of the spring festival.

Graphic Design



Exhibition Design for Milton Glaser's art gallery exhibition. A well known famous graphic designer from NY. The exhibition

design included some of his art work samples, short descriptions of the designer, and the informations of the gallery.

Video



The Legend of Chang-E. A bodhisattva gave the immortal medicine to lady Chang-E and her husband Hou Yi. Immortal medicine can help them fly into sky and became gods. Chang-E sipped half, and when she handed the other half to her husband, the bottle was unfortunately broken by the vultures flying in the sky. Nine vultures transformed into nine suns and began to expose the land. Hou Yi stand out and shot down the suns with bow and arrows, leaving only one sun shining on the sky. The world was saved, but the medicinal effect of the immortal medicine in Chang-E's body was starting work out, she had to leave the human world. Chang-E flew to the moon palace which closest to her husband and began to live in there. In order to commemorate Chang-E and Hou Yi, the mooncakes will be eaten every August 15 of the lunar calendar in China.

Video

The Story of Man Tou. In ancient times, a military division named Zhuge Liang finished the war and was on the way back to his country with his military. They met a river with big waves on their way. Someone suggested that he needs to use the heads of people to offer up a sacrifice, then they may pass the river. Zhuge Liang couldn't bear to hurt the innocent, so he thought of a countermeasure. He asked the soldiers to make a lot of food called "Man Tou" and threw them into the river to sacrifice. Man Tou's pronunciation is based on human's head. They successfully crossed the river. Man Tou has been passed down to the present, and the name has changed with the times. Now it is called chinese buns.

Video

The Story of Dumplings. Dumpling had another name called Jiao-Er in the ancient China. Invented by Mr. Zhang Zhongjing. At the end of the Eastern Han Dynasty, plague was everywhere. Zhang Zhongjing saw the painful appearance of the sick people, and the ears were frozen, he wanted to treat them. On the winter day, he asked helpers to help him by using his prescription to treat the people. His prescription is Jiao-Er. So the dumplings were originally a medicinal cuisine. The dumplings healed a lot of people, the story of it has been passed down. Whenever Chinese New Year, people will eat dumplings to celebrate.

Video

The Story of Bak But Teh. In the 18th century, Malaysia was colonized by England. Many local natural resources were sent to England, including valuable minerals. The working environment was cold and wet. That caused miners sick easily and feel unwell. As part of social lower class, they got no money to see the doctor. A compassionate owner of a tin mine who knows a little about Chinese medical invented a medicinal cuisine called Bak But Teh. The bowl of soup with meat and herbs became the most delicious meal for old minors to against coldness and fatigue.

Video

Little Red Riding Hood. Adapted version of the Little Red Riding Hood original trailer. Focused on the genre of horror, using simple tones and lenses to create a horrible atmosphere.

Resume



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Languages

English



Chinese



Japanese



Internship & Work Experience

New Tang Dynasty Television, Manhattan, NY

2015 & 2016 Summer - Winter

(Creative Department): Icon design, logo design, simple animation, advertising, and graphic design.

2017 Summer - 2018 Winter

(NTD Taste Life Department): Food montage, video editing by using FinalCutPro, you may find the films on Facebook or check out the link below.

https://www.facebook.com/TasteLifeOfficial/?ref=br_tf&epa=SEARCH_BOX

Urban Arts Partnership, Manhattan, NY

2015 Summer

Animation, and character design for games.

Vivi Bubble Tea NYU, Manhattan, NY

2018 Spring - Fall

Cashier and make bubble teas.

Sasabune restaurant, Manhattan, NY

2018 Fall - present

Cashier and waitress.

Education

New York City College of Technology (NYC of Technology), Brooklyn, NY

2015 present

Communication Design Department

Associate Degree completed (Will get the physical diploma in spring 2018.)

Midwood High School, Brooklyn, NY

2011-2015

Public School 99, Brooklyn, NY

2010-2011

Skills

Software skills

Advance

Adobe Photoshop, FinalCutPro

Intermedia

Adobe InDesign, Illustrator, After Effect, Premiere, Microsoft Word

Design skills

Logo design, visual creativity, typography, photography, graphic design, 2D animation, storyboarding, motion design and video editing.

Hobbies

Drawing manga, photography, video shoot, video editing, filming, listen to musics, watch anime and korean drama, play with children, drink tea, and sleep.

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