Shannen Xiangnuo Xia

Motion + illustration

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Education

Sep 2021-Dec 2025

ArtCenter College of Design Pasadena, CA

BFA in illustration, Minor in Creative Writing Specialization in Motion Design

Experience

Jan 2023-Feb 2025

ArtCenter College of Design Pasadena, CA

Teaching Assistant

Assisted instructor Wesley Tanaka with class demos and critiques. Led in-person and online tutorials for After Effects and Illustrator. Guided students in technical execution and conceptual development.

Expertise

Strong working knowledge of:

After Effects, Illustrator, Photoshop, InDesign,

Acrobat, Clip Studio Paint, Keynote

Familiar with:

Lightroom, p5.js, Gravity Sketch

Currently Exploring:

Blender, Calvary, Adobe Animate

Additional:

Photography, Letterpress, Painting, Comics

Languages:

Fluent in English, Native in Mandarin

Recognition

01.2024

Provost's List

01.2023

ArtCenter Motion Gallery

Escape (Animation)

07.2023

Eye on Berlin Group Exhibition

Echoes of Identity (letterpress)

04.2023

ArtCenter Film Festival

Escape (Animation)

06.2023

ArtCenter Berlin Scholarship