

Jacob Mackay

Artist & Animator

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Experience

Princess Bento Studio | 2D Animator | Universal Basic Guys Feb - March 2024

- 2D rigged animation in Toonboom

3P Studio | Freelance Artist/Animator/Motion Designer 2022 - 2023

- Character design
- Illustration
- Motion graphics
- 2D animation

NTI | Animated Learning Consultant 2017 - 2024

- Design a large array of diverse stylised characters.
- Paint and construct stylised backgrounds and sets for the characters to inhabit.
- Create and animate 2D character rigs.
- Record dialogue, composite, and add effects.
- Find interesting and engaging ways to accurately convey information.
- Push the envelope to keep the content engaging while remaining efficient.

Synchronise - Animated Music Video

- Co-directed, animated, designed the character, created detailed background assets, storyboarded, composited, and post-production/VFX.

Self Driven Work/Commissions

- **Toxwalker** - A personal animated project, developed from start to finish.
 - Backgrounds, character design, 2D rigging, audio design, creature design, and compositing.
- **The Metacombs** - Self-published book, a collection of traditional drawings connected by a narrative.
- Created art adhering to client specifications, either using my own style or adapting to theirs.

Graphics Et Al | Graphic Artist 2020 - 2021

- Developed graphics within the confines of the set artistic style.

Animation Festivals | Artist/Animator 2018 & 2023

- Love Animated - Illustration and animation to tie in with advertisement and branding.
 - Australian International Animation Festival - Altered the opening animation Queensland. 2018
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Skills & Proficiencies

- 2d Animation - **Opentoonz, Toon Boom Harmony, Adobe Photoshop, Blender**
 - Digital Illustration - **Clip Studio, Illustrator, Adobe Photoshop**
 - Postproduction/VFX - **Adobe After Effects, DaVinci Resolve**
 - 3D Modelling - **Blender, Autodesk 3DS Max**
 - Traditional Illustration
 - Audio Recording/Editing - **Audacity**
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Education

Bachelor of Animation - Art Direction
Bachelor of Digital Media - Studio Art
Certificate 3 in Media
Certificate 2 in Information and Technology
Certificate 1 in Business

Griffith Film School
Griffith Queensland College of Art
Brisbane North Institute of Technology
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