

# raquel gonzalez

2d 3d animation

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## |PROFILE|

- Highly creative, **fast-paced, flexible, and team-oriented.**
- Provides excellence in **communication** and **organization.**
- Versatile skills from **traditional drawing** to **digital design techniques.**
- Experienced with both **Mac & Windows** operating systems.
- **Lifelong passion** for drawing and animation.

## |EDUCATION|

- **Master of Fine Arts (MFA), Arts & Technology in Animation** 2016  
The University of Texas at Dallas Dallas, TX
- **Bachelor of Fine Arts (BFA), Media Arts & Animation** 2013  
The Art Institute of San Antonio San Antonio, TX
- **Beginner I & Intermediate I & II, Korean Language Courses** 2011 - 2013  
The University of Texas at San Antonio/KACCSA San Antonio, TX

## |SKILLS|

2D & 3D Animation, 3D Modeling & Texturing, Storyboarding, Concept & Background Art, Graphic Design, Visual FX, Motion Graphics, Social Media Marketing & Insights

## |SOFTWARE|

**Autodesk:** 3dsMax, Maya, **Pixologic:** Zbrush, **SideEffects:** Houdini, **Microsoft:** Word, Powerpoint, & Excel  
**Adobe:** Photoshop, Illustrator, Animate, After Effects, Premiere

## |EXPERIENCE| (\*additional work experience on page 2)

- **Sunlight Entertainment** 2018 – Present  
*Animator/Concept & Background Artist*  
Produce high quality 2D animations in a collaborative and creative environment. Assist in various aspects of the production pipeline: storyboarding, animatics, animation, and visual FX. Create stylized background concepts and matte paintings for 2D animations. Manage and communicate tasks to meet set deadlines and guidelines from the Director and the Producer. Maintain brand tone and visual aesthetics.
- **Next Level Graphics** 2017 – 2018  
*Lead Animator/Designer*  
Follows the pre-production pipeline to create aesthetic concepts. Builds a variety of 2D & 3D assets for promotional and marketing campaigns from illustrated storyboards. Works closely with the Creative Director to ensure key strategies and goals are met for each project. Assists in managing engaging content on social media accounts using photography, graphic design, motion graphics, and 2D & 3D animation.

## | ADDITIONAL EXPERIENCE |

- **The City of Carrollton** **2016 – 2017**  
*Digital Content Specialist*

Contributes creative design ideas to projects to ensure design work delivers on key strategies and messages for project collateral, campaigns, and overall goals. Illustrate concepts by designing rough layout of art and copy regarding arrangement, size, type size and style, and other related aesthetic concepts. Manage engaging content on the City website and social media accounts using photography, graphic design, motion graphics, and 2D & 3D animation.
- **The City of Dallas** **2014 – 2016**  
*Library Associate*

Assists and supports the professional librarians by following established rules, procedures, and policies. Maintains high customer service performance standard. Creates art-related programs and activities for kids and teens. Assists employees and volunteers of MoneyGram International Inc. and AmeriCorps. Manages the library collection by performing circulation desk duties including issuing library cards and checking collection materials.
- **Sprocket Productions** **2013 – 2013**  
*Animator/Designer*

Assists all employees in projects such as graphic design and animation. Worked efficiently in Adobe Creative Suite. Provided creative insights and suggestions for clients. Maintained the high priority to get all tasks completed before deadlines. Kept a strong communication between all collaborating members when projects were in production.
- **KVDA Telemundo** **2013 – 2013**  
*Intern*

Edited videos promptly and efficiently for news casts using EDIUS Pro. Provided accurate attention to detail for graphics and film. Maintained the high priority to get all tasks completed before deadlines. Performed basic office tasks such as organizing and photocopying. Worked effectively and cooperatively with co-workers and the public.
- **The Art Institute of San Antonio** **2010 – 2013**  
*Peer Tutor/Student Librarian*

Provided tutoring for all students in programs such as Microsoft Office, Adobe Creative Suite and Autodesk. Hosted tutorial workshops on research resources and strategies for students and instructors. Kept strong communication with co-workers to solve problems quickly and efficiently. Administered the accu-placer test for all enrolled students.
- **Randolph Brooks Federal Credit Union** **2008 – 2009**  
*Bank Teller*

Recorded transactions promptly, accurately, and in compliance with all bank procedures. Performed services for customers such as depositing cash/checks and processing cash withdrawals. Attempted to resolve any issues or problems with customer's accounts. Balanced currency, coin, and checks in cash drawers at the end of shifts. Quickly identified transaction mistakes when cash drawers do not balance.