Katherine Shuda
Illustration & Visual Development

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Katherine is a visual development artist from the U.S., with experience in illustration for publishing, concept design, and comics. She loves to play with shape and color in her designs. Katherine has a B.F.A in illustration from the Savannah College of Art and Design.

Education

Savannah College of Art and Design

- B.F.A. in Illustration with a concentration in illustration for entertainment
- Drawing Minor
- Graduated May 2021, Summa Cum Laude, with 3.97 Cumulative GPA

Awards & Achievements

- SCAD Dean's List - 2017-2021
- SCAD Academic Honors Scholarship - 2017-2021
- South Carolina Palmetto Fellows Scholar - 2017

Skills

Technical
- Adobe Photoshop
- Adobe Illustrator
- Adobe After Effects
- Toonboom Harmony
- Microsoft Office Suite
- Traditional Media

Professional
- Communication
- Collaboration
- Leadership
- Social Empathy
- Problem Solving
- Organization
- Time-management

Illustration Experience

VFX - Let's Play
Working with author, art director, and a small team of artists to illustrate visual effects for children's book project *Let's Play*.
Sept 2023 - Present

Illustrator - Turner Pinball
Worked closely with art director and writer to create 36-page full-color comic book based on Turner Pinball's NINJA ECLIPSE game.
Jan 2023 - Aug 2023

Illustrator - Cosmic Cow Zine
Participating artist for "Alias" and "Olympus," fan-zines. Multi-page illustration spreads and enamel pin design.
May 2022 - Jan 2023

Illustrator, Character Designer, Treasurer - SCADpro x Deloitte
Sponsored Course at Deloitte
Served as illustrator, character designer, and treasurer on a small team of students for SCADpro x Deloitte Future of Social Care collaboration.
Mar 2021 - May 2021

2D Effects - "Quest for the Key"
Rendering 2D effects for capstone film.
May 2021

Illustrator - "The Happiest Place"
Illustrating assets for capstone film
Designing and illustrating promotional poster for capstone film
Jan 2021 - May 2021

Additional Experience

Beauty Advisor - Ulta Beauty
Part-time beauty advisor. Helping customers build baskets, recommending beauty products for specific needs, creating an engaging experience for guests.
Jan 2023 - Present

Cashier Lead - Bath & Body Works
Part-time associate, promoted to cashier lead May 2022
Managing cashwrap, training new-hires, helping customers with specific needs.
Jan 2022 - Dec 2022