



Richelle L. Cowan

2D Generalist & Writer

Skills

- Quick & Adaptive Learner
- Visual Problem Solver
- Adaptive Style/Process
- Traditional Media (Several)
- Digital Media (Several)
- Illustration
- Concepting
- World Building
- Narrative Building
- Team Player
- Chronic Nerd
- DM of D20 and D6 Systems
- Written and run full campaigns
- 'Larger Picture' enthusiast
- Project Management
- Mentor & Parent at Heart

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Profile

Dream: Creating 2D Assets for movies and games
Looking for: Part/Flex Time Freelance or Contract
Remote and Hybrid Adaptable

I have a wide range of experiences, all of which are brought to the project table if it can help. I love learning and adapting to new projects. My prime directive is to adapt and contribute to larger projects, to help create amazing worlds!

Education

2016 - 2021 Academy of Art University
BFA Illustration and Concept Art

Awards: Honor Society, Models Choice,
Spring Show '20 - Digital Figure Painting
Spring Show '21 - Character Design

Extracurriculars: Student Success Mentor,
Online Consult, Community Admin (multiple)

2016 - Present Various CE Programs, CAA

Work Experience

LPS, LLC ~ 2016 - Present (Part-Time)
Firefly Research & Husbandry, Live Butterfly Distribution,
Exhibit Design, Creative Engineering, Project Management

NerdBird's Studio ~ 2016 - Present (Freelance)
Business front for any work I do outside of companies.
Includes: Art-Life Help, Stars of the Sovereignty

Block Tackle, LLC ~ July 2022 - December 2022 (Contract)
Production Manager/Assistant Art Director (Product)
Worked with a team for the production of a digital project.
Strategy of the Project and worked cross-departmental.

Innovation Theory ~ June 2021 - June 2023 (Contract)
Production Artist, Art & Creative Director
A digital design firm. Assisted on various projects for various clients. Worked on games, digital projects, marketing campaigns, illustrations, and physical product design.

Communities/Non-Profit Work ~ 2016 - 2024 (Volunteer)

- Weaver Creek Community Orchard: Built functional, educational, and creative systems. Also a free library cabinet!
- Drawaholics Anonymous: Online Admin & Mentor (till 2023)
- AAU Student Study Hall: Admin & Mentor
- AAUHOO: Mentor, Online Student Ambassador
- SunOracle Games: Early Consultant
- RiNo Art District: Contributing Artist
- Mattersville Vet & Wolf Sanctuary: Branding, Site signs