

HELLO! I'M

Hannah

Sistig

3D Animator

Coming from a background in traditional art and sustainable design, i was drawn toward animation through a growing fascination with storytelling, movement and visual expression. What began with 2D animation gradually evolved into a passion for 3D animation, which led to an intensive education in visual effects. I not only developed strong foundations in Creature and Character animation, with focus on body mechanics and the animation principles but also gained a hands-on experience across the wider VFX pipeline.

Key Experiences

Visual Effects Student

PixlVisn Media Arts Academy, Cologne

Jan 2025 - Jun 2026

- Developed an understanding of how animation integrates within the wider VFX pipeline, collaborating across modeling, rigging, lighting, and compositing stages to support final production quality
- Strengthened observational and storytelling skills through iterative feedback sessions and continuous shot refinement
- Refined workflow efficiency and consistency by delivering weekly animation assignments under tight production-style deadlines

Sustainable Design Student

ecosign Academy of Design, Cologne

Sept 2020 - Oct 2024

- Refined observational skills and visual sensitivity through studies focused on design and visual communication
- Developed a passion for movement and performance through early exploration of frame-by-frame animation and visual storytelling techniques

Freelance Graphic Designer

Jan 2023 - Today

- Refining creative problem solving and adaptability through fast paced client work and iterative feedback processes
- Improving communication and collaborative skills through direct client interaction, feedback integration, and concept presentation
- Keeping Deadlines through efficient time management

Education

Bachelor of Arts

ecosign Academy of Design, Cologne

Sept 2020 - Oct 2024



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Software

Maya	● ● ● ○ ○
Mari	● ○ ○ ○ ○
ZBrush	● ● ● ○ ○
Nuke	● ● ○ ○ ○
Unreal Engine	● ● ○ ○ ○
Houdini	● ○ ○ ○ ○
Affinity	● ● ● ● ○
DaVinci	● ● ● ● ○

Skills

Animation
Rigging
Compositing

Creative
Problem Solving
Communication &
Collaboration
Adaptability

Interests

Reading
Hiking
Baking
Cooking

Languages

German	native
English	fluent