

#### **EDUCATION**

Diploma of College Studies Illustration & Design

College Dawson 2019-2022

### **KEY STRENGHTS**

Creativity Precision Adaptability Initiative Self-Reliance Teamwork Respect

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illustrator

Bonjour! I'm a Montreal-based transgender artist whose work focuses on Character Design, Illustration and Toy Design. Using both digital and traditional techniques, I create expressive artwork and I easily emulate diverse art styles, making me adaptable for any project. My long lasting love for musical theatre, fashion dolls and gothic fiction culminates into an adorable, but vibrant art style that retains a penchant for drama and costumed characters.

#### EXPERIENCE

Mattel Inc. & Spin Master: 2021 - 2024 Toy Designer and Concept Artist (Freelance)

Illustrating & designing new toys for kids & tweens Illustrating merchandise sold worldwide Revamping existing products for a new generation Constant collaboration with the client

## Laughing Dragon Studio: 2022 - 2023

Character Designer and Layout Painter

Illustrating & designing characters for an animated film Illustrating and coloring landscapes for games & film Animating 2D Special FX & compositing for animated film Collaborating with coworkers and exercising critique

Freelance Work: 2016 - Ongoing Book Cover and Character Artist (Remote)

Bilingual (EN & FR) Illustration Character Art Visual Storytelling

#### **SKILLS**

- Design Graphic Design Typography Toonboom Harmonı
- Adobe Photoshop Adobe Illustrator Adobe InDesign
- $\langle$  Adobe After Effects