

# Melody Wayfare

Artist, Animator, Composer

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My interests are in storytelling. I have a background in painting and music, which later evolved to filmmaking.

## EDUCATION

2016 **Bachelor of Fine Arts in Animation**

| Savannah College of Art and Design  
2012 (USA)

studies included:

- Writing Literacy Humour
- Introduction to Psychology
- Movement for Performance I

## SOFTWARES

Maya (advanced), After Effects, Premiere, Photoshop, Unreal, Clip Studio, TV Paint, Toonboom, Renderman, Arnold, ZBrush, Illustrator, InDesign, Unity, Flash, Logic, Ableton

## FLUENT LANGUAGES

English, Cantonese, Mandarin

## EXPERIENCE

- Current **Previs Artist**  
| **Pixomondo (London)**  
2022 Jun as a shot creator for TV:  
  - *Halo* (S2)
  - *House of the Dragon* (S2)
- 2022 Jun **Previs Artist**  
| **Framestore Preproduction Service (London)**  
2021 Sep as a shot creator for films & TV such as:  
  - *Guardians of the Galaxy Vol. 3*
  - *Wonka*
  - *The Last of Us* (tv)
- 2021 Sep **Animator / Previs Artist**  
| **Framestore IA (London)**  
2018 Feb worked across animation, previs, layout & design; animated characters & creatures for films, tv, ad, theme-park rides, AR & VR such as:  
  - *Alien Worlds* (tv)
  - *Jingle Jangle: A Christmas Journey* (film)
  - *Pokemon Detective* (film)
  - *See* (tv)
  - *In the Womb: Animal Babies* (tv)
  - *Purdey's Hummingbird* (ad)
  - *His Dark Materials* (tv)
  - *The Baby* (tv)
- 2017 Dec **Animator / Generalist**  
| **Framestore IA (Los Angeles)**  
2016 Sep started as a generalist and later became an animator for:  
  - [a Marvel theme park ride in Disneyland](#)
  - *Hulk X Renault* (ad)
  - *Dreamscape Immersive Alien Zoo* (VR)
- 2015 Dec **Concept Artist**  
| **Trial ltd (Hong Kong)**  
2015 Jan illustrated concepts for large-scale game events in plazas and shopping centers



## AWARDS AND ACHIEVEMENTS

- 2023 **Maker of *Taking the Bus to Mount Olympus***  
hand-drawn animated short film  
festival announcements soon
- 2019 **Animator of Purdey's - *Hummingbird***  
full-CG photoreal commercial  
  - AEAF - Commercials Animation Gold Award
  - nominated at VES - Commercial
  - nominated at Craft Awards
  - shortlisted at AICP
- 2016 **Director / Generalist of *Leave With Me***  
2D and 3D animated short film  
nominated in 40+ film festivals including  
  - ANNECY 2017 - Graduation Films received honours including
  - SCAD showcase - Dean's Choice
  - Jeunesse Tout Courts - Special Jury Price screened and broadcast worldwide
- 2013 **Finalist Team Leader**  
**Disney ImagiNations Hong Kong**  
develop new designs and concepts for Disneyland and present with concept art and sculptures
- 2012 **Artistic & Academic scholarship**  
Savannah College of Art and Design (USA)

## SPECIAL INTERESTS

- 2010 **Grade Eight in Piano**  
ABRSM
- 2010 **Grade Six in GuZheng**  
Central Conservatory of Music