

# NATALIE PEREZ

ILLUSTRATION | CONCEPT ART



## CONTACT



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## SKILLS

Illustration

Digital Content Creation

Creative Design

Digital Communication

Digital Compositing

Academic Research

Marketing

Customer Service

Public Speaking

## EDUCATION

2021 - 2022

Otis College of Art and Design

Bachelor of Fine Arts

Major: Digital Media (Animation)

2023 - 2026

Arizona State University

Bachelors of Fine Arts

Major: Animation

## PROJECTS

"Ripped" (Team 2D Animated short)

Spring 2025- Fall 2025 Semester

- Pre-production and Production stages of the animation pipeline.
  - Storyboards, Visual Development, Layout, Production, 2D Frame-by-Frame.

## WORK EXPERIENCE

New Age Barber Company (07.2024) Phx, AZ

- **Commissioned Mural**
  - Commissioned to paint a 6ft by 4ft mural at a local barbershop. Effectively communicated and brought customers' vision to life.

Starbucks Coffee Company (07.2023 - 09.2024) Phx, AZ

- **Barista**
  - Barista with an understanding of perfecting one's craft, customer connection, teamwork, communication, and leadership skills.
- **Chalkboard Mural**
  - Planned and created original designs for seasonal promotion on a 5ft by 3.5ft wall-mounted chalkboard.
  - Stages of planning a design: sketches, thumbnails, color scheme, and finalized design.

2D Animation Intern (05. 2025. 06.2026) Remote

- Gained hands-on experience in remote animation production while managing weekly progress updates alongside academic responsibilities. Contributed to a collaborative project with a mental health-focused non-profit, adhering to NDA restrictions and film festival guidelines.
- Created character designs, assets, and animations based on provided storyboards and shot lists.
- Refined storyboards and shot lists provided by the creative team.
- Collaborated with team members to implement feedback and improve workflow.
- Developed skills in remote project management, meeting deadlines, maintaining confidentiality, and professional communication.

## ADDITIONAL SKILLS

### Languages

Spanish (Fluent in speaking, reading, writing)

English (Fluent in speaking, reading, writing)

### Program Proficiency

Adobe Products: (PS), (AE), (PR), (AE), (AI), (AU), (SP)

Google Suite Programs

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Blender

Microsoft Office Suite