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REECHIK BANERJEE

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Education

International Indian School | Dammam, Kingdom of Saudi Arabia

Science with computer

12th Standard (CBSE)

2019

Srishti Institute of Art, Design and Technology | Bangalore, India

Digital Media Arts

Bachelors of Fine Arts (BFA)

2019-2023

Professional Experience

IDC, IIT Bombay (May 2024 - August 2024)

Stop Motion Animator and Prop Artist

Worked on the animated claymation project, "Chalisa", under professor and animator Swati Agarwal. My work here involved designing and building the clay props and backgrounds, along with assisting with the stop motion animation and animating some of the shots. My other duties included planning out a project timeline to direct, shoot and complete post production in 3 months.

Jumbaya Talesfarm Pvt. Ltd. (Sep 2023 - March 2024)

Illustrator and Animator

Full time position as an illustrator and animator.

I have also contributed to the filming and editing of videos for the company's endeavors.

Studio Ainak Internship (May 2022 - July 2022)

Film Intern

During my internship under Director Suruchi Sharma, I actively contributed to various aspects of project development, encompassing ideation, visualization, and execution. Leveraging my expertise as an illustrator and animator, I provided valuable support to the film studio. Notable achievements during this period include the design and implementation of Studio Ainak's website, as well as my involvement in pitch development, where I gained insights into pitch bible breakdowns and designs. Additionally, I played a key role in assisting the director during the pre-production phase of forthcoming projects.

Unreal Engine Short Film Festival (Aug 2021 - Dec 2021)

Storyboard Artist/ Visualizer

Illustrated concept art and storyboard for a collaborated project with Holocraft Studios and MeltingClock Studios for the Unreal Engine Short Film Festival 2021. Was heavily involved in the pre-production process with the director Vasudha Rungta and the Holocraft team which led to the creation of our film, Lucid.

Link: <https://youtu.be/6AhxxOs7Q1c>

Homecoming Video Project (2020)

Director and Animator

"When a few netizens collaborated to share stories of suffering migrants through art; something transpired." A collaboration with artists online, initiated by Studio Ainak. Made my experimental animated short, "No Looking Back now" thanks to this opportunity.

Link: <https://www.ainakstudio.com/homecoming-video-project>

Zomato advert (2020)

Animator and Editor

Collaboration with Melting Clock Studios, made an advertisement for the Zomato lockdown ad competition. Co-directed, storyboarded, character designed and animated the short in 4 days.

Link: https://youtu.be/2Cz1tC_Flj0

Technical Skills

- Traditional and Digital illustrations
- Direction and Storyboarding
- Photoshop
- After Effects
- Premiere Pro, Editing, Film-making
- Illustrating and Animating in 2D
- Project Management

Other Work Experiences

- Worked and consulted as a **stopmotion animator** for the Nescafe Red Mug Ad 2023 along with Nupur Bhargava and Mark D'Rosario. <https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=5n4J9duypeQ>
- Freelance animator to work on the intro for Zoya Akhtar's, "**The Archies**"
- Made a short experimental animation called "The Procrastinator" that got an official selection for the **10th Bangalore Shorts Film Festival 2021** and **Festival international du court-métrage Brèves d'Images**. Link: <https://youtu.be/jFWXmRPROas>
- Worked with **Custom Technologies**, Mumbai, for a brief contract as a storyboard artist for medical explainer videos in **2D, AR** and **VR**.
- Edited reels for **NNNOW** as a freelance project. Link: <https://www.instagram.com/heyannnow/?hl=en>
- Illustrated and animated an advertisement for Woohoo!, a product that aims to make transactions easier for everyday retailers. Link: <https://youtu.be/V03CP8o1rIY>
- Aided in organizing an **animation film screening** in Cubbon Park Metro Station, Bangalore.
- Worked with Poetry People to animate and illustrate a few of their songs. Link: <https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=C2Zxuw2qg2w>

