

# Maria Munoz

Illustration, 2D Background Painting and Design

## CONTACT

(408) 317-8499

[mpmunoz.balharry@gmail.com](mailto:mpmunoz.balharry@gmail.com)

## EXPERIENCE

### Illustrator, *Committee for Children*, Seattle WA

January 2020 - March 2021

- Illustrated 3 books for the *Out of School* Program.
- Created background and characters for short animated videos in a variety of styles.
- Storyboarded, animated and composited short animated videos in After Effects.

### Illustrator (*Freelance*), Seattle WA

- Children's book illustration of "Come Birdie, Come" by writer Gita-George Hatcher. (March-April 2021)
- Illustration Commissions for independent clients.

### Motion Graphics Artist, *Lucy Woodworth Design*, Seattle WA

September 2019 - November 2019

- Animated and composited characters for explainer videos in After Effects.

## EDUCATION

### Kat Tsai, *Color and Light Online Class* — Rad How to School

March 2021- Present

### Mike McCain, *Painting Mentorship* — Independent

July 2020- Present

### DigiPen Institute of Technology, Redmond WA — *MFA in Digital Arts*

September 2017 - August 2019

### Pontificia Universidad Católica de Chile, Santiago — BA *English Literature and Linguistics Education*

March 2009 - December 2014

## PORTFOLIO

[www.pepsmunoz.com](http://www.pepsmunoz.com)

## SKILLS

Illustration

Background Painting

Visual Development

Motion Graphics

## SOFTWARE

Adobe Photoshop

Adobe Illustrator

After Effects

Maya

## AWARDS

Robert B. McMillen Scholarship

Graduated with Distinctions  
DigiPen Institute of Technology.

Graduated with Distinctions  
Pontificia Universidad Católica  
de Chile

## SOCIAL MEDIA

