

# Vianka Suarez

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## PROFESSIONAL SUMMARY

Creative and detail-oriented 2D Storyboard Artist and Animator with over 5 years of experience in visual storytelling, character-driven animation, and remote team collaboration. Proven ability to interpret scripts into compelling visuals, maintain stylistic consistency, and meet tight production deadlines. Skilled in directing, compositing, and managing multi-disciplinary teams across international pipelines. Passionate about comedic timing, expressive character work, and bringing stories to life through dynamic boards and animation.

## Experience

**MST Studios** — *Director / Animator / Storyboard Artist / 2D Compositor / Writer* 📍 Remote | 📅 July 2023 – Dec 2024

- Directed and coordinated a remote team of 30+ international artists to ensure smooth production workflows
- Developed and maintained detailed production schedules, adapting timelines as needed
- Oversaw compositional consistency across shots created in various animation programs
- Managed studio finances, confidential files, and team progress tracking using spreadsheets and project management tools
- Ensured high-quality visual storytelling and continuity across all stages of production

**Gradient Project** — *Storyboard Artist / Illustrator / 2D Compositor* 📍 Remote | 📅 Mar 2024 – Sep 2024

- Translated scripts into clear, engaging storyboards under the guidance of the storyboard supervisor
- Maintained visual and stylistic consistency throughout sequences
- Worked in Clip Studio Paint and After Effects to deliver polished boards and compositions

**Because Language (Podcast)** — *Freelance Animator* 📍 Remote | 📅 Sep 2021 – Nov 2021

- Created a two-minute animated short based on podcast audio about Western linguistics
- Designed characters based on client descriptions and adapted work based on feedback
- Delivered high-quality animation under tight deadlines

**Talk the Talk (Podcast)** — *Freelance Animator* 📍 Remote | 📅 Feb 2018 – Mar 2019

- Produced weekly short-form comedic animations (5+ seconds) based on podcast segments
- Worked independently to meet fast turnaround times and evolving creative briefs

## SKILLS

- Storyboarding & Visual Storytelling
- 2D Animation & Compositing
- Character Design & Posing
- Team Leadership & Remote Collaboration
- Production Scheduling & File Management
- Software: Storyboard Pro, Clip Studio Paint, After Effects, Maya

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- Strong understanding of comedic timing, action pacing, and cinematic language

## AWARDS & CERTIFICATIONS

- **Alumni Award** – Media Production & Visual Arts, 2021
- **Student of the Year** – Media & Visual Arts, 2018
- **Certificate II in Tourism** – SIT20016

## Education:

### ***Curtin University***

***2022- 2025***

- Bachelor of Design, Animation and Game Design
- Minor in Illustration

### ***Brainstorm - SBA Action/Adventure Storyboarding***

***JAN 2025- MAR 2025***

- 10- week course with instructor Aeri-Yoon

### ***CINEMATIC STORYBOARDING FOR 2D ACTION and DRAMA***

***FEB 2025- MAR 2025***

- 8-week course with instructor Danny Araya