# Lydia Leiwang

Motion + Visual Designer

# \* EXPERIENCE

# Freelance Visual Designer | Robot Gyms Inc

Nov 2024 - Now | CA, United States

- Collaborated with the founders and creative teams to redefine the brand's design language.
- Designed product packaging and 3D renderings.
- Developed the product website, handling UX animations and prototype design.

# Motion Designer (Contractor) | MAKE Visuals

Nov 2023 - Apr 2024 | Remote, GA, USA

- Produced high-quality TV ad animations for the Tabasco brand to enhance brand engagement.
- Collaborated with an 8-person team to optimize workflows and improve project efficiency.
- Managed 2D hand-drawn animations and post-production compositing.

# Motion Designer | CBS Sports & SCADpro

Sep 2023 - Nov 2023 | GA, USA

- Designed real-time augmented reality (AR) graphics for Super Bowl 2024 pre-game show.
- Led storyboard creation and motion test development from Cinema4D to Unreal 5 Engine.

## Motion Graphics Designer/Animator Intern | Wisk Aero

June 2023 - August 2023 | CA, USA

- Created a brand animation package for the company's FAQ video series, increasing viewer comprehension by 20%.
- Assisted the creative team in developing unified brand guidelines and assets.

## Multimedia Designer | Natixis APAC

May 2018 - July 2021 | Hong Kong

- Produced over 50 explanatory and infographic videos, boosting customer engagement.
- Worked with cross-functional team to optimized workflows, reduced production time by 15%.
- Designed digital and print materials for corporate marketing campaigns.
- Enhanced the company website's user experience by revamping UX animations.
- Designed booklet and other promotion materials

# \* PASSION PROJECTS

## Motion Designer | Documentary Film "Failure to Fail"

Sep 2023 - Jun 2024 | GA, USA

- Designed explanatory animations and infographics to visually interpret complex concepts such as U.S. education regulations and non-linear grading systems.
- Combined magazine collage styles with on-location photography to enrich the narrative.
- The film received multiple honors, including the **Best Student Documentary Short** award and the **Katie Spikes Legacy Scholarship**.

## Compositor | Animated Short "Have You Eaten"

Sep 2023 – Dec 2023 | GA, USA

- Seamlessly integrated animated sequences, aligning lighting and shadows FOR visual consistency.
- The film earned several awards, including Best Animation at the *Charlotte Film Festival* and the *Southeastern Emmy Awards*.

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# \* SKILLS

#### **Motion Graphics & Animation**

- Adobe Creative Cloud
- Cinema 4D
- Blender
- Redshift
- Final Cut Pro

#### Visual Design & Typography

- Figma
- Color Theory
- Mockups
- Dynamic Typography

#### **UX Motion & Prototype Design**

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# \* RECOGNITION

# Telly Awards (2024)

General Category, Bronze

## College Television Awards (2024)

Commercial, PSA or Promo, Nominee

# Applied Arts Award (2024)

Video Advertising, Nominee

## CLIO Award (2024)

Student Branded Entertainment, Nominee

#### Project exhibited at:

ArtStryngs Gallery May Special (2024) Meyer Nature Science Museum (2023) ADAF Athens Digital Arts Festival (2019) Paris International Animation Film Festival (2019) Animax (2019)

# \* EDUCATION

Savannah College of Arts and Design MFA Motion Media Design 2022 - 2024 | Savannah, GA, United States

#### **City University of Hong Kong**

BA Creative Media 2014 - 2018 | Hong Kong