

Ngoc Vu

Concept Artist and Character Designer for Games



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EXPERIENCE

Route 59, Melbourne — *Lead Artist*

JUL 2015 - PRESENT

- Creation of concept art, UI design and technical drawings to communicate visual execution to the development team
- Supplementary 3D Animation
- Boothing at Trade shows
- Liaising with international members of the company
- Supplementary task management to assist with Director
- Creation of visual assets for marketing team

Samurai Punk, Melbourne — *Contract Artist*

DEC 2016 - APR 2017

- Modelled background props for VR Game “The American Dream”
- Supplementary illustration for 2D assets and billboards

Girls Make Games, Melbourne — *Art Mentor*

JAN 2015 - FEB 2015

- Mentored primary school aged girls to start developing their first game

EDUCATION

RMIT, Melbourne — *Bachelor of Design (Games)*

JAN 2010 - DEC 2013

Graduated with High Distinction

Rusty Animation, Online — *Augmented Animator Course*

MAY 2018 - AUG 2018

COMMERCIAL PROJECTS

Necrobarista — *Visual Novel Game (in production)*

<https://www.necrobarista.com/>

Necrobarista is a visual novel built in Unity3D. I was placed as lead artist; overseeing character design, sticker merch design and art direction.

SKILLS

Illustration / Character Design

Adobe Photoshop

Adobe Illustrator

Adobe After Effects

3D Animation (Maya)

3D Modelling (low poly)

AWARDS

Film Victoria Women in Games Fellowship July 2017

Freeplay Best Narrative April 2015

Girls Make Games GDC Scholarship March 2016

LANGUAGES

English (native)

Vietnamese (conversational)

Japanese (foundational)

French (foundational)

INTERESTS

Pottery

Singing

Hip Hop Dance

The American Dream — VR Game 2018

<https://samurairpunk.com/the-american-dream>

The American Dream is a satirical VR game where you learn to live your life by using guns. I was placed on contract to model background props and paint 2D assets for their environment design. I also designed their [2017 Cute Samurai PAX Pinny](#).

REFERENCES

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