

Anastasia Papadopoulou

stop motion model maker/set dresser/ animator

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Stop motion model maker based in the UK and Greece, very eager to learn and see upclose the secrets of great (but tiny) movie making.

work experience

22/2/23 - 17/3/23

4 weeks

Model maker / Set dresser

TVC - UNRELEASED PROJECT AT YAMINATION STUDIOS

Member of the sets and props team. Set dresser during shooting.

NDA in place

21/11/22 - 21/12/22

5 weeks

Prop maker

ANIMATED SHORT SERIES - UNRELEASED PROJECT

Dir. Effie Pappa | Production: Dirty Films - Takes2Production

Member of the props team, constructed props as tables, chairs, NDA in place

24/10/22 - 11/11/22

3 weeks

Prop maker and Puppet maker

TVC - UNRELEASED PROJECT AT YAMINATION STUDIOS

Member of the props and puppet team. NDA in place

27/6/22 - 15/7/22

3 weeks

Set dresser

TVC - NEW TRANSPENNINE ROUTE UPGRADE ADVERT

Dir. Tom O'Meara | Production: Passion Pictures

Member of the sets team. Constructed 3 train dioramas landscapes

and some small props as benches, kiosks ect. Set dresser during shooting.

12/6/22 - 17/6/22

1 week

Model maker

TVC - COMMONWEALTH GAMES 2022

Dir. Harry Cauty | Production: BBC | YAMINATION STUDIOS

Constructed part of a miniature Stadium and also some small

props like, bins, kiosks, banners.

21/3/22 - 29/4/22

6 weeks

Junior model and puppet maker

TVC - UNRELEASED PROJECT AT YAMINATION STUDIOS

Member of the props and puppets team. NDA in place

14/2/22 - 25/2/22

2 weeks

Trainee model maker

UNRELEASED PROJECT AT YAMINATION STUDIOS

Member of the props team. NDA in place

01/21 - 06/21

6 months

Head set and model maker

STOP MOTION SHORT FILM - "IN BETWEEN" EXP. MID 2022

Dir. Effie Pappa | Production: Marni films

Created all sets and props and also contributed in puppets. Sets included 4 interior and 2 exterior ones, and a bus that had interior shots.

09/20

2 weeks

Prop maker - stop motion animator

MUSIC VIDEO - CAT STEVEN'S REMAKE OF "WILD WORLD"

Dir. Effie Pappa | Production: Dirty Films

Fabricated real size props and sets mostly using cardboard, papier mache. Created helmet & accessories for a spacesuit. Also did stop motion animation.

12/2019 - 02/2020

1 month

Assistant puppet maker and model maker

TVC - "I'M HERE" FOR KLINEX

Dir. Effie Pappa & Irida Zhonga | Production: Takes2Productions

Assistant puppet maker creating parts of wire armatures. Creating several props, on-set maintenance and last-minute prop fabrication.

10/2019 - 11/2019

1 month

Model maker

STOP MOTION MUSIC VIDEO - LOCOMONDO "STAR"

Dir. Effie Pappa

Assisted Director in creating props, and a full puppet with a wire armature.

personal project

09/2019 - 03/2021

Director - model maker - stop motion animator - editor

GRADUATION STOP MOTION SHORT FILM "ELEVATOR ALONE"

29 awards - more than 140 international festivals selections

Thesis project written, directed, animated and constructed the sets and puppets.

stop motion skills and techniques

- prop making
- puppet making
- wire armature building
- texturing
- painting
- sanding
- knitting
- sewing
- felting
- hand power tools
- casting
- soldering
- molding (limited)
- sculpting (limited)

workshop

10/2020

5 day character animation workshop with Tobias Fouracre

Organized by ANIMARKT Stop Motion Forum

Creation of 2 short pieces of animation: a character study, animated to a piece of dialogue and a piece of action.

other work experience

11/2013 - 09/2019 **Senior Web Designer**
"Lighthouse SA"

studies

03/2021 **Graduated from University of West Attica**
Dept of Graphic Design and Visual Communication
Athens

2011-2012 **Erasmus exchange program**
Moholy Nagy University of Art and Design
Budapest

language skills

Greek Native speaker

English Very Good
Certificate of Competency in English, Uni. of Michigan

software skills

- Adobe suite (Photoshop, After Effects, Premier, Illustrator, InDesign)
- Dragonframe
- Microsoft Office suite

activities

- Member of Boy Scouts of Greece since 1998, having organised 4 summer camps as an adult member both as helper and leader.

i also love...

- macrame
- illustrations
- knitting
- pottery/ceramics

