Emily Côté

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ILLUSTRATOR / GRAPHIC DESIGNER

Highlights of Qualifications:

- Acquired Honours Bachelor of Applied Arts in Illustration and Honours Bachelor of Fine Arts in Visual Arts
- Formal training and academic experience in Art Handling, Installation/Set up of Galleries
- Hardworking and passionate about the Arts with 1+ years of experience in illustration and graphic design for children's books and board games
- Able to work in many different styles, programs, and media
- Proficient in Adobe programs such as Photoshop, Illustrator, and After Effects
- Skilled in concept art, as well as illustrating comics and children's books
- Experienced in digital illustration in addition to traditional illustration techniques
- Strong time management and organizational skills with attention to detail and accuracy
- Good work ethic, responsible and reliable with ability to work as part of a team, and independently

EDUCATION

Sheridan College - Bachelor of Applied Arts - Illustration (Honours)	2018 – 2021
University of Windsor - Bachelor of Fine Arts - Visual Arts (Honours)	2013 – 2017

EXPERIENCE

Children's Book Illustrator, Innovations for Learning

- Illustrating children's books for an online literacy platform on a variety of topics including indigenous stories and activism stories
- Created books from visual development to finished pages
- Consult with clients to determine the nature and content of illustrations in order to meet their communication needs
- Demonstrated proficiency in Adobe Photoshop and Procreate for the development of illustrations
- Prepare sketches, layouts and graphic elements using layout and design software
- Determine the style best suited to produce the desired visual effect

2D Game Artist (Internship), SupAR Games

- Worked on a team to create a fully developed board game all the way from initial visual development to release
- Created logo and board pieces, tokens, and dice using Photoshop
- Ensured to stay on schedule in order to meet deadlines and demonstrated ability to receive feedback

AUG 2021 - PRESENT

APR 2020 - AUG 2020