

# Anastasia Photiou

illustrator • creative designer

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## personal statement

I am an artist with expertise both in digital and traditional creative media, looking for a role in the publishing industry. I am looking to expand my artistic and technical skillsets by working in a creative environment. I have a solid foundation in all aspects of digital pipelines, as well as children books publishing with excellent time management, organisational skills and efficiency in both independent work and team-cooperation. Willing to relocate for the right opportunity.

## education

- Master of Arts in Children's Literature: Children's Illustration  
Goldsmiths University of London, United Kingdom  
2019-2020
- Bachelor of Arts in Computer Visualisation and Animation  
Bournemouth University, United Kingdom  
2015-2018  
Graduated with 2:1
- Apolytirion - National High School Greek Diploma & A-Levels  
The G C School of Careers, Republic of Cyprus  
2015  
Graduated with 93.68% Overall

## career history

- Picture Book Illustrator, Nicosia  
July 2020 - August 2020  
Key Responsibilities: Concept Art, Interpretation of text to Images, Character Design, Environment Design, Colouring, Editing
- Childminder, London  
Sep 2019 - March 2020  
Key Responsibilities: Educating and planning activities for young children during after school hours in Arts and Literature
- Rotoscoping Artist, Touch Surgery, London  
Aug 2018 - Aug 2019  
Key Responsibilities: Rotoscoping, Tracking, Compositing, Green Screen Integration, Rendering, Project Planning, Problem Solving, Quality Assurance
- Intern, BFX Competition  
July - August 2017  
Key Responsibilities: Compositing, Directing, Project Planning, Storyboarding & Layout

## languages

Fluent: English, Greek  
Comprehensible: French  
Programming: Python, C/C++

## software

Illustration: Photoshop, Procreate, InDesign

Animation: Nuke, SilhouetteFX, Maya, Vray, PremierePro, AfterEffects  
OS: Linux, Windows, MAC

Office: Word, Powerpoint, Excel

## awards

Duke of Edinburgh Gold Award  
Distinction Award in Art & Design

## other interests

Certified lifeguard and First Aid coach. I have taught children and adults in cooperation with Cyprus Lifeguarding Federation.

Certified Level 3 Personal Trainer & Dancer.

I am building my own online brand as a Personal Trainer and dancer as a side hobby. My aim is to empower people through confidence workshops.