

# KHALIDAH MCLARTY

#### Artist - Animator - Filmmaker

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## About Me

My work is heavily focused on character exploration and using 2D animation to craft emotionally resonant stories. I animate my films frame by frame in an illustrative style and craft each element myself - from writing all the way to compositing. In addition to film making, I've animated for TV, been a dedicated designer for a company where I helped deliver multiple seasonal campaigns and freelanced for multiple independent clients.

#### Employment

JUN 2024 - NOW	Animator - Sun & Moon (remote) - Maddie + Triggs
MAY 2024 - AUG 2024	Freelance animatic artist - private client
FEB 2024 - MAR 2024	Freelance animation workshop facilitator - Stop Mo Studios (Bristol)
JAN 2024 - APR 2024	2D character animation intern - Aniboxx (remote)
OCT 2022 - OCT 2023	Graphic designer - Loqbox (Bristol)
AUG 2022	Freelance animator - Grizzle (remote) - project with the Lego Foundation.

## Experience

- 2023 NOW Screenskills Animation Trainee
- 2016 2017 BFI Film Academy (Bristol)
- 2016 BFI Academy Animation Camp Calling the Shots

## Filmography

2022 Director, animator, writer - 'Please Clap' - Nominated for best animation at BFI Future Film Festival. Screened at Brighton International Animation Festival, Cardiff Animation Nights, INDIs Film Festival and more.

A 2D animated film about a clown who must confront his complex feelings about his persona after he gets fired.

2021 Director, animator - 'Hands to Hold' - screened at Animart Festival in Greece.
A 2d animated film showing the journey of a relationship through hand gestures and movement.

### Contact

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