

# 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

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| JUN 2024 - AUG 2025 | 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. |

## Filmography

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| 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.<br>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.<br>A 2d animated film showing the journey of a relationship through hand gestures and movement.  |

## Contact

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## Programs

TVPaint  
Photoshop  
After Effects  
Animate  
Premiere Pro  
Audition  
Clip Studio Paint  
Illustrator  
InDesign  
ToonBoom Harmony

## Skills

Character animation  
Character design  
Editing  
Compositing  
Storyboarding  
Graphic design  
Motion graphics  
Script writing

## Education

2019-2022 BA (hons) Animation - University for the Creative Arts (Farnham)  
Grade: First

## Interests

DIY Music  
DND  
Film  
Crochet  
Video games