



# Natalia Soto Leites

Environment & Location Design \* Background Paint \* Concept Art

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## EXPERIENCE

**Designer** - Business Now Services Inc. *July 2022-July 2024*

- \* Layout, color design and pre-print design for a variety of products

**Digital Matte Painting/Set Extension** - Isaac Barter *March - April 2022*

- \* Paint over pre-existing video stills to correct lighting and background elements
- \* Provide hand-painted set extension working off of video stills

**Key Frame Animator** - ZoopSquid *September 2021- January 2022*

- \* Provided hand-drawn rough poses and framing for animation

**Illustrator** - RC Pets *February 2021*

- \* Illustrated icons created in collaboration with a senior designer for an informational pamphlet.

**Layout Artist** - Dan Starling *May 2020*

- \* Contributed full page spreads for a collaborative graphic novel, utilizing full creative freedom for paneling, background design and visual storytelling

## EDUCATION

**Vancouver Film School** *August 2024 - August 2025*

Animation Concept Art

**Emily Carr University of Art + Design** *September 2017 - May 2021*

Bachelor's of Fine Arts - Illustration

## HARD SKILLS

### Art & Design

- \* Adobe Suite - Photoshop, InDesign, Illustrator
- \* Procreate
- \* ToonBoom Harmony
- \* Adobe After Effects

### 3D Modelling

- \* Maya
- \* Z Brush

### Soft Skills

- \* Fluent in Spanish and English, beginner level of French