



# Marina Kastor

Character designer/Background designer

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## PROFILE

Designer in the animation industry with a focus on Character Design and Visual Development

## EMPLOYMENT HISTORY

- 2022-2024 Studio Metrafilms, Moscow  
in collaboration with Lakeside Animation Studio, Canada  
production@metrafilms.ru
- Feature film "**Tied Up**"  
Character artist
- Character designs with turnarounds, emotions and lipsync, made in Photoshop
  - Vehicle turnarounds and preparation for rigging in Harmony
- 2022 Toonbox studio, Cyprus  
producer@toonbox.studio
- Animation series "**Take my muffin**"  
Background artist
- Line-art and color-art for backgrounds in Photoshop
- 2020-2022 Studio Metrafilms, Moscow  
production@metrafilms.ru
- Animation series "**Lex&Plu**"  
Character&Props supervisor
- 2D character rigs creation in Adobe animate
  - Complicated props and vehicles design
  - Supervised a team of 3 assistants
- 2021-2022 N+PRODUCTION, Moscow  
pro@nplus1.ru
- 2d animator, Storyboardist, Designer
- Animated several videos for an online university, made from scratch in Harmony
  - 2D Animation for two episodes of the documentary series "**Nothing Personal: Digital Death**"
  - Designed a style guide for a series of educational instagram reels

2018-2020 Soyuzmultfilm animation studio, Moscow  
info@souzmult.com

**Animation series “Orange Moo-cow”**

Background artist

- Backgrounds and props design in Adobe animate
- Character turnarounds, lip sync and rigs

## EDUCATION

“SHAR” school-studio, Moscow  
Animation direction 2019-2021

## SKILLS

- Background and props design
- Character design and 2d rigging
- Digital and traditional painting and drawing
- Storyboarding
- 2D animation
- Basic 3D modeling
- Leading a team and giving focused feedback
- Taking feedback and dealing with tight deadlines

## SOFTWARE KNOWLEDGE

Adobe Photoshop, Adobe Animate, Toon Boom Harmony, Adobe Premiere, Adobe After Effects, Toon Boom Storyboard, TVPaint, Blender, Dragonframe

## LANGUAGES

Russian	Native
English	Fluent
French	B1