Bridget Knight

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Concept artist and illustrator pursuing an MA in Illustration at SCAD, with a background in CS that informs technically precise and iterative visual development work. Particularly interested in visual development for games and animation.

SKILLS

Artistic Skills: Digital and traditional illustration, concept and character design, storyboarding, rendering, animation, life drawing, observational sketching

Technical & Creative Tools: Clip Studio Paint, Adobe Suite, Toon Boom Harmony, JavaScript, HTML/CSS, Python, R, video editing, print/digital file preparation

EDUCATION

M.A. in Illustration   Jan 2026 - Present
Savannah College of Art and Design   Online
- Focused on developing iterative visual problem-solving and concept development skills for games and animation, emphasizing planning, thumbnails, and idea exploration to strengthen visual storytelling and design thinking

B.S. in Computer Science, Intelligent Systems; GPA: 3.94, Summa Cum Laude   Dec 2024
Salem State University   Salem, MA

CREATIVE PROJECTS & ARTISTIC EXPERIENCE

Workshops & Community Engagement
- Hosted 3D printing and animation workshops at a school-wide winter festival over two years, teaching students design fundamentals and digital animation techniques

Design & Applied Illustration
- Designed graphics for school clubs, printed on clothing and posters used school-wide
- Created official graduation yard signs and digitally hand-drawn academic posters for national conferences, managing large-scale feedback and revisions to improve communication of complex technical concepts

Commissions & Independent Work
- Produced commissioned digital illustrations and character portraits for a small business client, managing client briefs, iterative feedback rounds, and final delivery
- Developed a diverse illustration portfolio (landscapes, portraits, character design, and process work), demonstrating versatility in narrative and conceptual approaches

PROFESSIONAL EXPERIENCE

Software Engineering Intern   Jun 2021 - Jul 2025
Broad Institute of MIT and Harvard   Cambridge, MA
- Collaborated with international research teams to design intuitive visualizations and interfaces for genomic data
- Designed scalable data visualization dashboards used by 30+ scientists worldwide

Research Assistant   Sep 2023 - Jun 2025
Salem State University   Salem, MA
- Created a pipeline for statistical analysis and visual communication of physics education data, contributing technical and visual design elements to research posters and presentations for conferences