

# CLAIRE SORVALA

## 3D MODELING & TEXTURING ARTIST

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### SOFT SKILLS:

- Time Management
- Creativity
- Leadership
- Critical Thinking
- Adaptability
- Communication
- Organization
- Problem-solving
- Troubleshooting
- Attention to Detail
- Self-motivation
- Integrity

### HARD SKILLS:

- Maya
- ZBrush
- Unreal Engine
- Substance Painter
- Substance Designer
- Marvelous Designer
- Nuke
- Photoshop
- Procreate
- SpeedTree
- Pen & Ink Rendering
- Storyboarding

### PROFILE:

I am a San Diego based 3D artist who creates stylized environments and characters for feature animation. I utilize both creative and technical problem solving skills to develop charming CG pieces with strong shape language and captivating storytelling elements. I am friendly, responsible, and dedicated to my work.

### SUMMARY OF SKILLS:

#### 3D Skills:

- Proficient in hard surface modeling, sculpting, texturing, lighting and compositing
- Knowledgeable about feature animation workflows and some experience with real-time workflows
- Excellent eye for composition and color, strong sense of art direction
- Ability to learn new software on the fly

#### Teamwork:

- Successfully collaborate with other artists from different departments
- Ability to receive and swiftly apply feedback
- Manage disagreements and come to mutually acceptable solutions

#### Concept Development:

- Ability to create original concepts and execute them to completion in 3D
- Accurately replicate the look and feel of provided concepts
- Storyboard and effectively translate writing to illustration

### AWARDS & RECOGNITION:

**Rookie of the Year, 3D Animation | Finalist**  
The Rookie Awards 2025

**Fall 2024 Best of Term | Character Design**  
Gnomon - North Hollywood, CA

**Summer 2024 Best of Term | Look Development**  
Gnomon - North Hollywood, CA

### LANGUAGES:

**English**  
Native

### ORGANIZATIONS & ACTIVITIES:

**Gnomon Student Council**  
President  
2024 - 2025

**Women in Animation (WIA)**  
Creator Member  
2025 - Present

### EDUCATION:

**BFA - Digital Production, Major**  
Gnomon - North Hollywood, CA  
2022 - 2025

### WORK EXPERIENCE:

**Freelance Concept Artist**  
Rancho Bernardo, CA  
2022 - 2025

**Artist's Assistant**  
Rancho Bernardo, CA  
2021 - 2022