

Kā'eo Luke

2D Conservation Media Artist

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2D Animation artist with a passion in conservation media (avian specialty)

SKILLS

Computer: Proficient in Photoshop, Storyboard Pro, Harmony, TV Paint, Maya, ZBrush, and Procreate.

Art: 2D avian animation, story, illustration, and study.

Language: English

PROJECTS

Product Design | Wild Birds Unlimited

Sept. 2024

- Bird sticker design
- Concept, finish, and physical product production management
- *Not affiliated with official Wild Birds Unlimited franchise. Work done for an individually owned store.*

First Senior Thesis Film | 2D Full Animation

Expected Completion May 2025

- Conservation story about Kākāpō
- Script, concept, story, animation, color, layout, BG paint, composite

Second Senior Thesis Film | 2D Full Animation

Expected Completion May 2025

- Poem narration accompanied by bird and character animation.
- Poet, concept, story, animation, color, layout, BG paint, composite

WORK EXPERIENCE

Customer Service & Sales Associate | Wild Birds Unlimited | Mission Viejo, CA

Sept. 2022 - Current

- Casual wild bird customer education and advisement
- In-Person Customer Service
- Floor-sales & Register
- Floor & Back Stock
- Sales Associate at the O.C. Spring Home & Garden Show

Non-Profit (Avian Conservation) | Leo o Nā Manu | Founder & Artist

July 2024 - Current

- Artist and Designer
- Branding and Social Media
- Advertisement
- Shipping and Stock
- Website Design and Product Photography

Costuming and Props | Seaside Suits | Founder

2017 - Current

- Customer Service
- Budgeting and Timeline
- Patterning and Sewing
- Prop and Fabric Painting
- Shipping and Stock
- Website Design and Product Photography

HONORS AND AWARDS

Laguna College of Art & Design

- President's List | 2021 - 2024
- Student Leadership Recognition | Fall 2022

AFFILIATIONS

- Leo o Nā Manu Founder & Owner | Avian Conservation Non-Profit | July 2024 - Current
- LCAD LGBTQ+ Club Founder & President | 2021 - Current
- Women in Animation Member | 2021 - Current

VOLUNTEER/ETC.

- Fall Bird Feeder Craft Children's Activity | Wild Birds Unlimited 2024
- Halloween Bird Illustration Children's Activity | Wild Birds Unlimited 2024
- \$258 Raised for The Hawai'i Forest Institute & Kaua'i Forest Birds Project | Leo o Nā Manu 2024
- \$110 Raised through fundraising for The Trevor Project | LCAD LGBTQ+ Club 2023
- \$96 Raised through fundraising for The Trevor Project | LCAD LGBTQ+ Club 2022