



# DYLAN ROCA

## Story Artist

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### Education:

#### **Bachelor of Fine Arts in Animation:**

Savannah College of Art and Design (SCAD) - Savannah, GA

**2019 – 2023**

### Work Experience :

#### **Vampire Surf Cult:** 2D Animated Pilot

**July 2025 - Present**

- Worked under Design Lead to produce additional Character Designs of vampires, werewolves, humans and animals
- Created costume variants for pre-existing characters
- Helped design character specific props

#### **Glitch Plays:** 2D Rigged Animated Shorts

**Jan 2025 – Feb 2026**

- Storyboard and edited animatics of Glitch Shorts
- Designed main characters and props for different Glitch projects
- Scripted multiple shorts for other board artists

### Collaborative Projects:

#### **Dog of the Samurai:** 2D Animated Short Film

**Feb 2022 – Dec 2024**

- Directed around 40 artists over the course of production
- Storyboarded and edited animatic for film's second act
- Contributed heavily to the design of all the film's characters
- Provided Character Layouts to animation team

#### **The Last Dungeon:** 3D Animated Short Film

**Jan 2022 – May 2022**

- Part of the film's Story Team, contributed to the plot and storyboarded key climatic moments
- Explored design possibilities for Barbarian and Dracolich characters

### Software:

Storyboard Pro  
Adobe Photoshop  
Clip Studio Paint  
Toon Boom  
Harmony  
Adobe Premiere Pro  
ShotGrid  
Adobe Illustrator  
Adobe After Effects

### Skills:

Character Design  
Staging and Layout  
Draftsmanship  
Rough Drawings  
Storytelling  
Team Player  
Adaptable  
Strong Work Ethic

### Awards:

**Sum Cum Laude, SCAD**