

# SUM YEE LEUNG

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## ABOUT ME

Previously an office clerk, I am a self-taught stop-motion puppet maker, animator, puppeteer, mold maker, and special make-up artist, with a particular interest in creature effects. I work for indie film projects to maintain mental health.

## EXPERIENCE

- 2021 - 2022 **Special Effect Artist**  
*"Time, and Time Again", 16th Fresh Wave International Short Film Festival*  
To design, create, and animate stop-motion creatures;  
To create special effects, including life-casting, mold making, hair work, sculpting, and painting.
- 2021 **Character Designer, Puppet Maker, Storyboard Artist**  
*"The Gas Store", Jiu Jik Park, The 9th Animation Support Program*  
To design and create stop-motion puppets;  
To create the storyboards;  
To conduct a 1-day stop-motion workshop for university students.
- 2019 **Workshop Instructor**  
*City University of Hong Kong*  
To conduct a 1-day workshop "Introduction to Stop-Motion Animation" to F.3-F.4 gifted students;  
To produce demo and teaching materials.
- 2018 **Puppet Maker**  
*"Breeding", Intothehole Production*  
To design and create a puppet.
- 2018 **Creative Designer (Internship)**  
*Bram Games Ltd*  
To make illustration for a board game.
- 2018 **Special Effect Artist (Final Year Project)**  
*"I Can't Sleep. I Have a Book to Write."*  
To design, create, and animate stop-motion creatures;  
To create special make up and string puppet.

## EDUCATION

- 2014 - 2019 **Bachelor of Arts (Hons) in Creative Media**  
*City University of Hong Kong, City*  
First Class Honours
- Bachelor of Arts in Digital Media**  
*Leuphana University of Lüneburg, Germany*  
Minor in Popular Music Studies

## SKILLS

### Language

Cantonese  
English  
Mandarin  
German



### Software

Adobe Photoshop  
Adobe After Effect  
Procreate



## INTERESTS

### Museum

- ♥ Other than art museum, medical museum and natural history museum is a must-go wherever I travel.

### Coffee

- ♥ I love to experiment with filter coffee. I hold a certificate of City & Guilds International Award in Barista Skills.