

# Kaia Kim

*Rigging & CFX Artist*

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## SKILLS

*Maya Rigging*

Contour Rig

Mansur Rig

HumanIK

AdvancedSkeleton

*Hair, Cloth*

nCloth

Marvelous Designer

Yeti

*Motion Capture*

OptiTrack

Motionbuilder

*Python*

Maya cmds

Maya API

PyQt

## EDUCATION

School of Visual Arts, Computer Art

SEP 2020 - MAY 2023, New York

BFA Computer Art, Computer Animation, & Visual Effects (Expected)

## WORK

PSYOP Productions - *Freelance Character TD*

JUN 2023 - MAY 2024, New York

- Rigging Characters, Props, Sets for multiple projects.
- Setting up nCloth dynamics rig. Working on CFX & tech anim shots.
- Developing production scripts for rigging pipeline.

Art & Graft - *Freelance Rigging Artist*

SEP 2023, London (remote)

- Rigging & maintaining character assets for a NDA project.

PSYOP Productions - *Rigging Intern*

JUN 2022 - AUG 2022, New York

- Getting trained in CFX, Tech Anim, and Rigging.
- Working on multiple test shots/assets and some production assets.

## PROJECTS

DotGabi Fire MV - *Director*

SEP 2021 - APR 2023, New York

- SVA Thesis film. Selected for Film of Distinction 2023.
- Selected for Best Animation at Experimental Dance & Music Film Festival.

Poison Paradise Music Video - *Motion Capture Artist*

MAR 2022, New York

- Directing motion capture shoot on-set with a dancer.
- Cleaning up the mocap data with Motionbuilder

## AFFILIATIONS

MARS Personal Mentor Program - *Mentor*