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Hard Skills

- **Digital Painting:** Photoshop CC (Proficient), Procreate (Proficient);
- **Animation and Video Editing:** After Effects (Basic), Adobe Premier Pro (Basic);
- **Vector Graphics:** Adobe Illustrator (Basic);
- **Web Basics:** HTML & CSS (Basic Understanding);
- **3D:** Blender (Basic Understanding);

Soft Skills

- **Emotional Intelligence** Strong empathy and interpersonal skills;
- **Communication** Clear and solution-oriented;
- **Self-Discipline & Organization** Highly organized and disciplined;
- **Teamwork** Collaborative and supportive team member;

Languages

- **Ukrainian** (Native);
- **English** (B1);
- **Polish** (B1);

Junior 2D Artist/Illustrator

Daria Ponomarenko

I create icons, backgrounds, characters, and illustrations that bring game worlds to life. I enjoy working on visuals that make games engaging and help tell their stories. Looking forward to contributing to projects that inspire and immerse players.

Work Experience

Children's Book Illustrator **Freelance**

June 2023 - Present | Warsaw

- Created cover and interior illustrations for 5 children's books, working closely with authors to develop engaging visuals;

2D Artist/Graphic Designer/Illustrator **Freelance**

January 2021 - June 2023 | Warsaw

- Developed a wide range of assets, including illustrations, icons, and vector graphics;
- Retouched and processed photos, created storyboards for animations, and collaborated on children's books;

Education

Advanced Course "Gaming Casual Graphics" | **Casual Art**

September 2024 - November 2024 | Ukraine

- Gained hands-on experience in creating graphics tailored for casual games;

Vistula University | **Graphic Design/Illustration**

October 2021 - July 2023 | Poland

- Gained foundational knowledge of the entire Adobe suite and received additional artistic education;

Vinnytsia College Of Construction, Architecture And Design | **Environmental Design**

September 2019 - June 2021 | Ukraine

- Obtained a basic academic level in drawing and overall artistic education;

Books Illustrated

1. **Positively Haiku: Illustrated affirmations in 17 syllables;**
2. **Positively Haiku, Part 2: Peace, love, and discovery in 17 syllables;**
3. **The Power to Act;**
4. **Anticipating Growth;**

Hobby

- **Drawing and Illustration:** I'm passionate about all aspects of drawing, from traditional to digital;
- **Games and Animation:** I express my love for drawing through creating characters, worlds, stories, and designs;
- **Sports and Nature:** I enjoy outdoor activities and walks in nature;