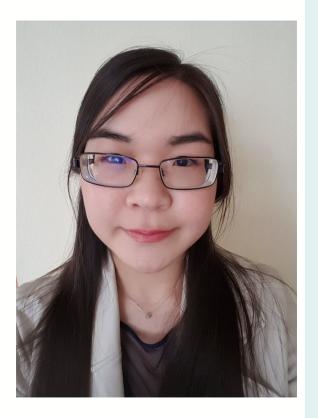
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## ILLUSTRATOR INTERVIEW

1. What is your technique and medium of drawing and painting?

## I mainly use iPad Pro with Procreate or Photoshop with a display tablet.

2. How do you get inspired to produce a piece of artwork?

I like looking at cute animals or other artists online. It inspires me to create images based on stories or scenarios.

3. What artist inspires you?

I look up to many different artists, but most recently I'm really inspired by Kate Pellerin.

4. What do you do to overcome a creative block?

I create sketches until something sparks, or sometimes I go back to my roots and do pencil and paper traditional work.

## 5. When did you start illustrating?

I've been drawing casually my whole life but I started training seriously towards an illustration career in 2012 in art school.

## 6. What does art mean to you?

To me, art is a way for people to bare their souls and communicate. Creating art is brave because you have to show all of your weaknesses along with all of the things that make you unique and beautiful while making it.

7. Tell us an unexpected fun fact about you, that might come as a surprise to others.

If I weren't an illustrator, I would have become a nurse.

8. Where are you from and what places would you love to visit one day?

I'm from California living abroad in Brazil. I would love to visit Japan one day! Europe would be really fun too.



