# STELLA JOHNSTON

## FX ARTIST

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## EDUCATION

**BACHELOR**

**ANIMATION AND VISUAL EFFECTS**

University of Hertfordshire
2022-2025

### SOFTWARE:

- Industry software fluent
- Houdini,
- Maya,
- Mari,
- Marmoset,
- DaVinci,
- Nuke,
- Substance Painter, Blender,
- Speedtree,
- Premiere Pro,
- Zbrush,
- Mocap Studio,
- Photoshop.

## SUMMARY

Skilled Visual Effects Artist experienced with Houdini, code and industry software along all stages of USD pipeline and workflow who has been studying and participating in creating high quality Short Films for 3 Years.

## Work Experience:

'Cleaner' at Little Moon Scans
(remote) London - May 2020 — December 2020

Second Year Film
Hertfordshire Hatfield December 2023 - May 2024

## PRACTICAL SKILLS

- Houdini

- USD pipeline trained

- Basic code: Hou Python and C++

- Can do related parts of pipeline to field such as texture, animate and model (generalist skill set)

- Industry software fluent [Houdini, Maya, Mari, Marmoset, DaVinci, Nuke, Substance Painter, Blender, Speedtree, Premiere Pro, Zbrush, Mocap Studio, Photoshop]

PRACTICAL SKILLS:

Great at teamwork

Experienced in customer service

High level of detail

Multilingual (Polyglot)

- English       (Fluent)
- Japanese   (Advanced CEFR C1)
- Italian         (Upper Intermediate CEFR B2)
- Spanish      (Intermediate B1)

Personal skills:

CELTA (Cambridge) certified English teacher

Passionate about sewing

A big proponent for DIY painted jackets and bags