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Walt Disney Studios 500 S Buena Vista St Burbank, CA 91521

Dear Walt Disney Studios,

I am writing to express my enthusiasm for the Animator position at your studio. Disney's mission to create immersive experiences that inspire and unite audiences of all ages, is something that I am looking for. The artistry and attention to detail in films like *Flowers and Trees, Princess and The Frog*, and *Big Hero Six* have shaped my journey as an animator, and I would be honored to contribute to that legacy.

Disney's Oscar-winning films have shaped my understanding of storytelling and animation excellence. From *Snow White and the Seven Dwarfs*, which revolutionized the industry with its groundbreaking lighting and fluid character animation, to Tangled, the first CGI-animated princess film that redefined 3D visuals, Disney has consistently pushed the boundaries of what's possible. The studio's mastery of animation, color, lighting, and cinematic storytelling continues to set the gold standard.

As a senior animation student, I have honed my skills in character animation and performance. One of my most rewarding projects was a junior-year dialogue animation assignment, where I brought a gargoyle to life delivering a villain monologue from Marvel Netflix, *Daredevil*. I dedicated countless hours to shooting references, refining my animation in Maya, and polishing every detail. Presenting my work to my professor and peers was an exhilarating moment that reinforced my passion for animation and my commitment to crafting compelling, emotionally resonant performances.

I have been an avid viewer of cartoons since I was a child and love working in teams. My passion for creativity, motivation to work, commitment to excellence, willingness to learn, and discipline towards work performed are attributes that align with Disney's core values. As I enjoy motivating players into becoming great achievers through games and animation and assisting the less fortunate in new ways to give back, I would be a great fit for your animation program.

Once again, it would be an amazing opportunity to join the Disney team and help create a world where being unique is being awesome. Animation has allowed me to invest in a world of possibilities and my resolute desire to take the initiative and offer high-quality work will prove beneficial to your organization. Thank you for your time and consideration. I hope to hear from you soon.

Sincerely, Jaden Medina Submission: March 16th, 2025

Dear Jaden Medina:

Thank you for sharing your story with us! We are delighted by the interest you've shown in the Lighting Artist position.

Our Talent Acquisition team will review your background and if the role is a match to your skills and experiences, we will get in touch to discuss next steps.

Remember, you can track the status of your application and make updates to your talent profile by logging in to your Candidate Home.

Explore life at Disney by following us on social.

Regards,

The Recruitment Team

March 25th, 2025

Dear Jaden Medina:

Thank you for providing us an update on your application.

We realize that choosing a new career path is a decision that is not taken lightly and appreciate the time and thoughtfulness you took in considering The Walt Disney Company.

We wish you great success in your endeavors and encourage you to stay up-to-date with the magic by following us on our social channels.

Should you find a role of interest with us in the future, we hope you will consider reapplying.

Regards,

The Recruitment Team