# CARL ANGEL ILLUSTRATION & DESIGN

# PROFESSIONAL SUMMARY

Seasoned visual artist and art director with over 15 years experience in narrative illustration, children's books, book design and graphic design. Personable, great work ethic. Seeking visual narrative work (book and/or editorial illustration, storyboarding, graphic novels, etc.)

## SOFTWARE/

InDesign, Photoshop, Illustrator, QuarkXpress, Acrobat, traditional illustration media

## WORK Experience

Freelance children's book illustrator – collaborate with editors and designers in accomplishing story objective(s) through research and visual development from thumbnail sketches to finished illustrations. Worked primarily with muliticulural publishers in bringing the stories of underrepresented communities to life.

Employed from 1999-2005 as an in-house graphic designer and illustrator for the San Francisco Study Center, a non-profit publishing house. Worked with art director on all projects – including design, layout and illustration of a monthly newpaper, as well as newsletters, annual reports, posters, books, and marketing materials.

# CURRENT PROJECTS

Currently illustrating *Pedro's Yo-Yos* for Lee and Low Books, a multicultural publisher based in New York, NY. The book is slated to be published in Fall of 2019.

#### CLIENTS

Creston Books, Lee and Low Books, Random House Books, Children's Book Press, Tricycle Press, Mc-Graw Hill Publishing, *The LIttle Lutheran*, Eastwind Books, T'Boli Publishing, The Nonprofit Doctor, Nonprofit Compensation Associates, Fairpay Surveys, WGBH Television, City of San Francisco Mayor's Office of Community Development, Dia de los Niños, Manilatown Heritage Foundation, Many Cultures Publishing, San Francisco Study Center, Oakland Asian Cultural Center, Filipino American National Historical Society, Sulu Arts and Books

## ILLUSTRATED BOOKS

CRESTON BOOKS (BERKELEY, CA)

The Girl Who Saved Yesterday (2016)

RANDOM HOUSE/ TRICYCLE PRESS (BERKELEY, CA)

Sky High: The True Story of Maggie Gee (2009)

#### ILLUSTRATED BOOKS cont'd.

#### CHILDREN'S BOOK PRESS (SAN FRANCISCO, CA)

On Our Block (anthology (2007)

Lakas and the Makibaka Hotel (2006)

Xochitl and the Flowers (2003)

Lakas and the Manilatown Fish (2002)

Honoring Our Ancestors (anthology, 1999)

#### LEE AND LOW BOOKS (NEW YORK, NY)

Willie Wins (2001)

#### MANY CULTURES PUBLISHING (SAN FRANCISCO, CA)

Mga Kuwentong Bayan: Folk Stories from the Philippines (1995)

#### AWARDS/ NOTICES

Kirkus Reviews — starred review for **The Girl Who Saved Yesterday** 2016, Booklist — starred review, for **Sky High**, 2009, Parent's Choice Silver Honor Award, 1999, Skipping Stones Honor designation, 2000, both for **Honoring Our Ancestors**; Américas Award Commended designation, 2003, Independent Publishers Book Award finalist, 2004, both for **Xochitl and the Flowers**; Children's Books of the Year designation, Bank Street College, for **Willie Wins** 

1998: City of Oakland Cultural Arts Division (Creative Arts Fellowship – Painting), Oakland, CA

**1995:** LEF Foundation, St. Helena, CA; Zellerbach Family Fund, San Francisco, CA; Art Matters (Painting Fellowship), New York City, NY

## SELECTED LECTURES/ WORKSHOPS

**2014:** Lakas and the Manilatown Fish presentation, "Reclaiming the Promise," Woodrow Wilson Elementary School – Daly City, CA

**2009 - 2012:** Sky High presentation(s), UC Berkeley(Berkeley, CA), Los Positas College (Livermore, CA), Lazear Elementary School (Oakland, CA), Palo Verde Elementary School, Ohlone Elementary School, and Keys School (Palo Alto, CA)

**2007:** Children's Book Press Illustrator/Editor presentation (SomArts Gallery – San Francisco, CA)

**2004:** Lakas and the Manilatown Fish presentation (College of San Mateo – San Mateo, CA)

#### **EDUCATION**

Bachelor of Arts in Illustration, Academy of Art College, San Francisco, CA

California College of Arts and Crafts, Oakland, CA