

Lei Xia

Production Designer | Art Director

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EDUCATION

China Academy of Art Hangzhou, Zhejiang	September 2019 - June 2023
B.A. in Fine Art (Oil Painting)	
University of California, Los Angeles Los Angeles, CA	September 2023 - June 2026
M.F.A. in Production Design for Film and Scenic Design for Theater	

SKILLS

Digital Concept Art:	Set Design / Drafting:	Digital / Traditional Painting:
	Vectorworks (2D/3D Workflow)	Oil, Acrylic, Gouache,
3D Modeling:	Graphic Design:	Watercolor, Ink, Mineral Pigment
Blender, Maya, SketchUp	Adobe Illustrator	Still Photography / Photo Editing:
Rendering:		Adobe Lightroom Classic
Cycles, Arnold, Unreal Engine,	Other Skills:	
Adobe Substance 3D Painter,	Physical Model Making	Languages:
Adobe Photoshop, Procreate	Scenic Painting	Mandarin, English

AWARDS & SCHOLARSHIPS

DeMille Award in Production Design UCLA School of Theater, Film and Television	2024 - 2025
Edna and Yu-Shan Han Endowed Award UCLA School of Theater, Film and Television	2024 - 2025
The Second Level Scholarship Top 5 Student China Academy of Art	2021 - 2022
The First Level Scholarship Top 6 Student China Academy of Art	2020 - 2021

WORK EXPERIENCE

PRODUCTION DESIGNER

Jesus Slays! | October 2025
- UCLA DIRECTOR'S THESIS SHORT FILM

ART DIRECTOR

Giant's jar | August 2026
- USC DIRECTOR'S THESIS SHORT FILM
Late | March 2024
- UCLA SHORT FILM

PROP MASTER

Capsules | October 2026
- UCLA DIRECTOR'S THESIS SHORT FILM

SCENIC DESIGNER

Frontières Sans Frontières | May 2025
- UCLA THEATER PROJECT III

ASSISTANT SCENIC DESIGNER

The Courage to Right a Woman's Wrongs
| September 2024 - December 2024
- UCLA THEATER FALL PRODUCTION