



# STEFANIJA VEKTERE

## FREELANCE ARTIST

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## SKILLS

### Professional

- Understanding Colour Wheel, Real life proportions and how various materials work together.
- Painting using oil, acrylic, water-colour, enamel, airbrush, fabric paints.
- Mastering Pencil Control and Brush strokes, drawing using Charcoal, pencils, crayons, ink.
- Three dimensional object making using unconventional materials- clay, fabrics, jewellery, plaster, wood, plastic.
- Fashion garment making- sketch, garment research, sewing.
- Marketing, photography and online merchandising for social media channels and Etsy shop.
- Extensive knowledge in Fine Art and Design.
- Ability to come up with an idea based on research and completing it.
- Attention to detail design from start to finish of the project.

### Technical

- Microsoft Word, Excel.
- Adobe Photoshop, Indesign.

### Languages

- English- fluent.
- Latvian- native.
- Russian- basic.

## EDUCATION

### Bachelors Degree

• Fashion Design Styling and Promotion.  
Middlesex University.  
2006-2009

### High school Education

• Knitting Apparel Design Degree.  
Riga School of Design and Art.  
2002-2006

## PROFILE

Innovative Mixed media artist with unique artistic style.

Comprehensive experience on different mediums-

- Wall murals.
- Illustrations and graphic design.
- Painting on sculpture and furniture.
- Freehand Print design on paper and fabric.
- Bespoke up cycling and customising.

Bachelors in Fashion Styling & Promotion and Academic Fine Art background.

Successful Etsy shop since December 2020, where more than 120 art pieces were sold, earning only five star reviews from international and local costumers.

First solo Art exhibition on December 2021 In London.

## EXPERIENCE

### BOOK COVER ILLUSTRATION- 2022

#### London Latvian School

Illustrative Children's Yearbook cover inspired by Latvian Folklore.

- Researched children's books, nature, history of folklore and produced cover concept.
- Drawn and painted the cover story.
- Merged Front and Back cover designs, fonts to create final layout.

<https://www.inspiredbystefanieart.com/post/cover-story-for-children-s-book-isa-pupa>

### LOGO DESIGN- 2021

#### Children Folk dancing Group

Logo idea and design to represent London Latvian Children's Folk dancing group " The Hawks".

- Made the drawing with birds and elements of Latvian and United Kingdom Flags in logo design.
- Worked with graphic designer to digitalise drawing of logo.
- Finalised Logo which was embossed on the Flag, printed on T-shirts and used digitally.

<https://www.inspiredbystefanieart.com/post/logo-design-for-london-latvian-children-folk-dancing-group>

### WALL MURAL FOR RESTAURANT- 2020

#### Yellow Chilli Restaurant , Wembley-London

Painted Indian style Wall Mural following the sketch of an artist.

- Transferring lines of drawing on the walls using projector.
- Painting design on the wall.

<https://www.inspiredbystefanieart.com/post/wall-mural-commission-for-indian-restaurant-in-london>

### INVITATION POSTER DESIGN AND DRAWING- 2019

#### London Latvian School

Theme "Flowers" painting commission for London Latvian School 70th birthday.

- Created concept and painted design for Schools Event Poster and Invitation Card.
- Transferred painting to digital illustration.

<https://www.inspiredbystefanieart.com/post/theme-flowers-painting-commission-for-london-latvian-school-70th-birthday>

### WALL MURAL FOR INDOOR MARKET- 2016

#### Wood Street Indoor market, East London

Design concept for Markets Indoor Wall Mural painting.

- Drawing idea for 25 x 3 metres indoor wall representing different style shops in the market.
- Transferring design from sketch to the wall.
- Painting design on the wall.

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## EXHIBITIONS

- Solo exhibition at 72QT Guest house Club Bar, London.  
Displaying 23 Paintings created from 2019- 2021.  
December 2021- April 2022