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### **PRIMARY CONTACT**

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### CAPABILITIES STATEMENT

#### Illustrator & Graphic Designer specializing in images of Nature, Science, & our Public Lands

Highly professional, responsive, and experienced in collaborating with Federal and Municipal administrators, National Park staff & rangers, scientists, authors, and publishers. Providing hand-rendered and digital art for print, web, and exhibits, Joyce systematically and creatively manages art projects from concept to delivery, communicating with the project team at every stage. *Extensive portfolio, proven record.* 

### CORE COMPETENCIES

#### Artwork for Interpretive Exhibits, Signage, & Infographics

- Public Lands & National Park Visitor Centers
- Museum & Nature Center Exhibits
- Kiosks & Wayfinding Signage

### Illustration for print media & e-publications on Nature & the National Parks

- Guidebooks & non-f ction for readers of all ages
- Technical & 'how-to' publications
- Junior Ranger & Activity books

#### Graphic Design

- Signage & Wayfinding
- Brochures & booklets, print/digital
- ·Logos & promotional materials/merchandise
- Product packaging & labeling

### Art Direction & Project Management

- Define milestones, budget, and timeline at Concept, Pencil Rough, Color Comp, Final
- Create itemized illustration list
- Facilitate communication among team members via dedicated project web page
- Commitment to on-time, on-budget delivery

### UNIQUE PERSPECTIVE

"As a trained engineer, my technical background and artistic nature combine to offer a unique perspective on the natural sciences. Time spent with field observation and research allows me to render scientifically accurate images with a painterly style and colorful palette, engaging viewers and readers of all ages."

Joyce's illustration studio at Dixon Cove Design is located in the foothills of the Colorado Rocky Mountains. Extensive travels have enriched her connections to ecosystems ranging from mountain summits to salt marshes, and glaciers to grasslands. From her home studio, Joyce enjoys convenient observation of deer, coyotes, lizards, bears, snakes, & raptors - just outside the picture windows!

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## JOYCE TURLEY

ILLUSTRATION dba Dixon Cove Design

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### **EDUCATION · EMPLOYMENT**

#### Education

Colorado State University, Fort Collins CO Case Western Reserve University, Cleveland OH Cleveland Institute of Art, Cleveland OH

#### Employment

1996 - Present Joyce Turley dba Dixon Cove Design (est. 1996), Fort Collins, CO

- **Owner/Designer; Freelance Illustrator** Client acquisition & communication; marketing; strategy; art direction; graphic design; nature/science illustration 1981 - 1983 Eastman Kodak Corporation, Windsor, CO Data Processing & Systems Developer
- Mathematical modeling of processes to improve production output; maintain & refine automated film manufacturing tools 1979 - 1981 NCR Corporation, Fort Collins, CO

- Refine & optimize processes within integrated circuit packaging line to compete with offshore production

### PAST PERFORMANCE

see more at www.mihranturley.com

### Interpretive Exhibit Illustrator

Detail from hand-rendered murals and digital info-graphics exhibit; Subcontractor for 1220 Exhibits for National Park Service



### **Interpretive Mural Illustrator & Designer**

Digital murals for municipal bus shelter wraps, representative of the native wildlife & history of Town of Superior, Colorado

- Site visits for reference photos
- Collaboration with naturalists & historians
- Historical & natural science research









Hand-rendered Illustration with digital editing for City of Fort Collins, Colorado Gardens on Spring Creek Butterfly House

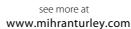
### Illustrator of award-winning books on Nature & Science

LTER Schoolyard Series authored by National Science Foundation researchers



National Park books for children, various publishers







Ranger Rick<sup>TM</sup> Activity books, Rowman Littlefield



R & D Engineer

Graduate coursework in Systems Engineering; Studio Art coursework

B. S. Mathematics; Minor Sequence in Studio Art

Undergraduate coursework in Studio Art