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## CELESTE KOON

Writer / Creator

### AGENT: Stefan Hogan

Celeste is a mixed-race (Chinese/Caucasian) kids TV writer focused on creating fun, imaginative content, full of heart and humour. She has written for numerous Canadian and International broadcasters and production companies including Sesame Workshop, TVO Kids, CBC Kids, Sky Kids, and the CBBC. Celeste is active with BIPOC TV and FILM and was a 2022 Banff Diversity of Voices delegate.

### TELEVISION

DINO DEX (writer)

I LOVE BEING ME (development writer)

HEART OF THE CITY (development writer)

ARMADILLO AVALANCHE (Creator/Writer) – in development

BESTEST DAY EVER S1 (Writer)

MITTENS AND PANTS S2 (Writer)

SECRETS OF THE FOREST (Writer)

BUMPY (Co-creator) - in development

RU AT RED RIVER (Creator) - in development

SHELBY + WINSTON'S FRIEND FILES (Creator) - in development

LUNA, CHIP, AND INKIE – ADVENTURE RANGERS (Writer)

POLKAROO READS (Writer)

SESAME STREET DIGITAL (Writer)

UKULELE U (Writer)

PLAY TO LEARN (Writer)

BUMBLE NUMS CHRISTMAS SPECIAL (Writer)

AN INVESTIGATION INTO HIGH FASHION (Producer; Writer/Director)

CAN YOU IMAGINE THAT? (Writer/Director)

O IS FOR OCEAN; A IS FOR ADVENTURE (Writer/Director)

Sinking Ship Entertainment

GAPC Kids

Slaphappy Cartoons

marblemedia/CBBC

Lopii Productions/CBC Kids

Windy Isle Entertainment/CBC Kids/Sky Kids

Fifth Ground Entertainment

Turtlebox Productions

GAPC Kids/BigBadBoo Studios

Big Jump Entertainment

Epic Story Media / Knowledge

GAPC Kids / TVO Kids

Sesame Workshop

WOW Unlimited Media / CBC Kids

Sesame Workshop

Skyship Entertainment

CBC Kids News

TVO / Radical Sheep

PBS / Sesame Workshop

### FILM

MY LUCKY SOMETHING \* (Short Doc; Producer/ Director/Writer)

CBC

LOVE LETTERS FROM EVEREST \*\* (Short Doc; Director/Writer)

CBC

CELESTE AND MOULEE TILL THE END OF THE WORLD \*\*\*  
(Short; Producer; Director; Writer; Production Designer)

Toronto / Ontario Arts Councils

THE GHOST OF GRANDPA TONG \*\*\*\* (Short; Producer/Director/Writer)

Ontario Arts Councils

THE INTERGALACTIC SPACE ADVENTURES OF CLEO AND ANOUK\*\*\*\*\*  
(Short; Producer/Director/Writer/Production Designer)

NFB Filmmaker Assistance Program

PAPER PRINCES, GYPSIES, AND THE BOY WITH NO RETURN ADDRESS  
(Short; Producer/Director/Writer/Production Designer)

Ryerson University

\* Premiered in September 2020 on CBC Gem

\*\* Played at eleven festivals; premiered in February 2020 on CBC Gem. Was nominated for two CSAs and a Golden Sheaf.

\*\*\* Finalist – Toronto International Reel Asian Film Festival Pitch Contest

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\*\*\*\*\* Played 13 international children's and youth film festivals

### EDUCATION & RELATED EXPERIENCE

Nickelodeon Content Accelerator Pitch 2023

BIPOC TV & FILM Kids TV Writing Intensive - TA

OIAF - TAC Conference 2022

Content Canada – 2022

Banff Diversity of Voices - 2022

BIPOC TV & Film – Showrunner Training Bootcamp – taught by Anthony Q. Farrell

Sundance Episodic Lab Finalist 2021

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Finalist – Netflix Canada Pitch Day 2020

DOC Institute Breakthrough Program

CBC Kids News – Researcher: conducting interviews, writing segments, coordinating social media outreach

Winner – TIFF Kids – Sesame Street – Pitch Contest

DGC – Graphic/Motion Graphic Designer (2009-present)