2017/18 KCAI Recommended Systems for Illustration

Recommended Mac Laptop Requirements

15-inch MacBook Pro with Retina Display
        2.7GHz quad–core Intel Core i7 processor
        Turbo Boost up to 3.6GHz
        16GB 2133MHz memory
        512GB PCIe–based SSD1
        Radeon Pro 455 with 2GB memory

Minimum Mac Laptop Requirements

15-inch MacBook Pro with Retina Display
        2.6GHz quad-core Intel Core i7 processor
        Turbo Boost up to 3.5GHz
        16GB 2133MHz memory
        256GB PCIe-based SSD1
        Radeon Pro 450 with 2GB memory

Recommended PC Laptop Requirements

15 inch PC
        7th Generation Intel® Core™ i7-7500U Processor
        Windows 8.1 or Windows 10
        16GB Memory
        512 GB Solid State Drive
        NVIDIA® GeForce® 940MX Graphics with 2GB memory

Software Requirements

        Adobe Creative Cloud (provided by KCAI)

Additional Recommendations

        Wacom Intuos Pen tablet
        http://www.wacom.com/en-us/products/pen-tablets/intuos
        USB C to VGA adapter
        External hard drive - 2.5″, 500GB to 1TB total storage

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