

# 2024 | Bill Sienkiewicz

Bill Sienkiewicz is a multi-Eisner Award-winning and Emmy Award-nominated artist known for revamping the style of comic and graphic novel illustration—a feat earning him an international reputation across media industries, as well as entrée into the Eisner Hall of Fame. He is most noted for Marvel’s *Elektra: Assassin*, *Moon Knight*, and *New Mutants*, and his acclaimed graphic novel *Stray Toasters*. Sienkiewicz has also contributed on-set and promotional artwork for *Spider-Man: Into the Spider-Verse* and *Spider-Man: Across the Spider-Verse*, *The Batman*, *Dune*, 2018 *Halloween* remake, *Logan*, *The Grinch*, *The Green Mile*, and *Unforgiven*. His work has graced numerous album and book covers, U.S. Olympic campaigns, and museums and galleries around the world.

## ARTIST STATEMENT:

*“The SXSW Comedy Festival has an edgy indie vibe that appeals to the masses. I wanted to play with that seeming contradiction. To evoke the same energy by combining two disparate elements: the colorful innocence of a gumball machine, a benign pleasure of childhood—and a human skull, the future that awaits us all. Because this juxtaposition borders both interesting and clichéd, it felt challenging and dangerous enough to commit to fully. Meaning it could either work or end up in the ditch. And I love that tightrope walk. Viewers can decide for themselves where the image falls. Just like with comedy.” — [billsienkiewiczart.com/](http://billsienkiewiczart.com/)*



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