

Metallic Soul: A Senior Movie Poster by Evelyn Yaskin

It's 2080 and robots have officially taken over the universe. Many see them as evil and unstoppable in their malicious intentions. Except for Abby, who falls in love with Speedy, a robot named after his habit of running away from guards. Abby will do anything to save Speedy from being unplugged and makes many sacrifices along the way. Abby has to keep her romantic life a secret, as they go on adventures through space.

I created my poster by starting with a blank canvas in Illustrator. I was inspired by Steven Spielberg's "E.T," especially the movie poster's highlight on the special relationship between the human and the "monster." I took inspiration from this, in drawing a human hand reaching out for the robots'. I added a drop shadow under both of these objects to make it stand out against the background. Since the movie doesn't only take place on planet Earth, I drew an outline of Mars, from the perspective of outer space. I added an outer glow as well. I then added a stock photo of the stars from space. I thought this was a perfect background, and didn't take attention away from the main subject of the hands. I then chose my font for the movie title, which was a sci-fi inspired font found on Dafont.com. I also created my credit block in Photoshop, using a specific font created for movie credit blocks. I then added PNGS of movie logos, such as 'Dolby Digital' and 'Paramount.' I hope you enjoy this tale of "two star-crossed lovers".