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Motion Graphics and Animation

Education

- 2008 **Bachelors of Fine Arts in Computer Animation**
International Academy of Design & Technology. Tampa, FL
- 2005 **High school Diploma**
Fayetteville High School, Fayetteville, AR

Work Experience

- 2009 **Sawmill Productions**, Greg Metcalfe. Tampa, FL.
Motion Graphics
Created animated logos, and CTAs for commercials and television spots using the Adobe Production suite. Imported and edited video with Final Cut Pro. Created Dvd menus.
- 2008 **Hype Media USA**, Michael Oz. Tampa, FL.
Graphic Design, Motion Graphics
Designed business cards, logos, brochures and signage using Illustrator, and Photoshop. Prepared final designs for print. Created sales DVD for ad campaign.
- 2008 **The Spot Marketing**, Scott Leavenworth. Tampa, FL.
Motion Graphics, Video Production, Graphic Designer
Animated text, graphics and video footage for various television commercials. Using After Effects. Made character designs, and pre mock up sketches. Designed logos business cards, brochures, letter heads, bus backs, billboards, and layouts for email blast using Illustrator and Photoshop. Created web banners and animated logos.
- 2007-2008 **Rubens Art Studio**, Jonathan Massie. Tampa, FL.
Illustrator
Created highly detailed realistic vector illustrations of people and office props using Illustrator and Photoshop.
Corrected last minute text and layout issues for Discovery maps.

Projects

- 2009 **Mideast Youth**, Iran
Motion Graphics
Created 2d character and typography animation for broadcast and web using After Effects.
- 2009 **Jesse Newman**, Short film: The Perfectionist Tampa, FL.
Storyboards, Concept Artist
Drew storyboards for over 120 shots for a short film. Drew mock ups and final designs for props
- 2009 **TGP Partnership**, Tampa, FL.
3d modeler
Created modeled a realistic 2009 3 door Saturn Astra using Maya

- 2008-2009 **Illspot**, Lakeland, FL.
Motion Graphics
Recreated logo using Photoshop and used for animated intro and outro using After Effects
- 2008-2009 **La Familia Muzik**, Lakeland, FL.
Illustrator
Designed several characters based on key musicians from the record label. Created high energy video intro for characters.
- 2008 **Valpak**, Largo, FL.
Motion Graphics
Animated text and foreground graphics for sales DVD.
- 2006-2008 **Balm the Enterprise**, Tampa, FL.
Graphic Design
Produced multiple cd covers, and other promotional designs using Adobe Photoshop and Illustrator
Photographed models for use in promotions
- 2007 **Eddie Deuce**, Tampa, FL.
Graphic Design
Illustrated cd covers using Adobe Photoshop
- 2007 **Planet M**, Tampa, FL.
Illustrator
Created promotional movie poster and illustrations with pencil drawing and Photoshop

Industry Skills

Programs

PC, Mac, Alias Maya, Adobe Illustrator, Adobe After Effects, Adobe Photoshop, Final Cut Studio Pro, Microsoft Office, Corel Painter, Dvd Studio Pro, Zbrush, Adobe Indesign, Adobe Flash(animation), Toon Boom

Skills

Animation

Motion graphics, animated logos, video editing, and compositing, Illustration, 3d character Modeling, Texturing, Rigging, and Animating. Dynamics and particles. Storyboards, Concept art, Character Design, Traditional 2d cell animation, and 2d Flash animation

Graphic Design

Cd covers, Brochures, Business cards, Posters, Logos, Typography, Print preparation, and Layout
Organization

General Art

Realistic life drawing, perspective technical drawing, Sculpture, Pottery, Calligraphy, Painting.

Awards, Showings, and Features

- 2009 Featured artist with Green Frog Consignment

2009 Featured in The-Avel Fairies' Underappreciated Art IIIV
2009 Featured in Karemelaancholia's Best of March Visual arts
2008 Featured in Vector Deluxe Features :9,15, and 16
2008 1st place in IADT Awards Special Effects Animation competition.
2005 2nd and 3rd Place in NWA Sculpture competition.
2004 2nd Place and Honorable Mention in NWA Sculpture competition.