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EDUCATION

Drexel University, Philadelphia, PA.
Bachelor of Science in Digital Media (June 2010)

PROFESSIONAL EXPERIENCE

3D ARTIST 3am Design - Toronto, ON. (March 2009 to Sept 2009)

Responsible for lighting, shading, and animating 3D assets for motion graphics spots using Maya and Mental Ray. Integral part of a small team of artists in a fast paced environment. Strong understanding of production while working with clients like Research in Motion (RIM).

COMPOSITOR Freelance (August 2008 to June 2010)

Removed a vehicle and an emulsion scratch from seven shots of a short film and created an animated bumper package and logo for client, *Maytree Multimedia*. Completed paint work, keying, and wound and muzzle-blast tracking for three student films.

PRESIDENT Drexel SIGGRAPH Student Chapter (Sept 2009 to June 2010)

Organize and lead weekly meetings of approximately 30 students. Coordinated over 25 Student Session lectures to promote peer education. Lectured on HDRI light probes and compositing essentials.

WEB DESIGNER Freelance/Ramjet Solutions, LLC. (July 2006 to Present)

Collaborate with clients to create over 20 websites that satisfy project goals. Maintain positive client relations, meet development schedules, and exercise organized, professional self-management.

TECHNICAL PROFICIENCY

Multipass CG integration, color correction, and paint work with Nuke. Matte generation including keying and articulated rotoscope with and without motion blur. Comfortable with projection in Nuke's 3D workspace and camera tracking in PFTrack.

Experienced in traditional and image-based lighting with Mental Ray, Renderman For Maya, & Mantra, creating HDRIs, and render optimization. Skilled in shading and texturing with a strong knowledge of material properties. Proficient in Maya & Houdini.

Basic Python scripting abilities. Capable in Linux, Windows, and Mac.

AWARDS AND HONORS

Animation "Franz" featured on SideFX.com (2010)
Animation "Paper" included in SideFX's Houdini SIGGRAPH Student Reel (2009)
Selected and participated as SIGGRAPH Student Volunteer (2008/2009/2010)
Dean's List, A.J. Drexel Scholar, and National Society of Collegiate Scholars (2006 - 2010)