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SUMMARY

Recent graduate seeking a position using skills in media arts and animation. Highly skilled in several software packages and both MAC and PC platforms.

SKILLS

3D Studio Max [modeling and animating], Zbrush, After Effects, Photoshop, Illustrator, life drawing and traditional sculpting.

EXPERIENCE

Animator, The Art Institute of Philadelphia Philadelphia, PA

[Jan 2008 – June 2008]

Worked on a 10-min animated short as a concept artist and character animator in a team for Production Team Class.

Graphic Designer, Rancocas Valley Interfaith Players Mount Holly, NJ

[August 2007 – Present]

Designed the graphics in the August 2007 production of “Into the Woods” and the August 2008 production of “Sound of Music.” The graphics were featured on t-shirts, advertisements, and programs.

Freelance Artist Philadelphia, PA

[January 2006 - Present]

Design business cards for clients, including a modeling call card for a client in New York. Designs programs and announcements for a client’s private piano studio in New Jersey. Designed recital announcements for a guitarist and pianist presenting their senior recitals at Boyer College of Music, Temple University.

Logo Designer, GPA Digital Photography Philadelphia, PA

[July 2007]

Designed the business logo for a local photographer.

Utility System Journeyman, United States Air Force McGuire AFB, NJ

[Apr 2002 – Aug 2005]

Deployed to Balad AB, Iraq for 5 months as a Utility Systems Journeyman in 2004. Maintained exterior and interior plumbing systems, and fire suppression systems throughout McGuire AFB.

EDUCATION

The Art Institute of Philadelphia, PA – Bachelors of Science Media Arts & Animation. [March 2009]

Sheppard Air Force Base, Wichita Falls, TX – Technical training in Utility Systems. [March 2002]

AWARDS

Iron Animator Group Competition, 3rd place – Spring 2008. Best of Quarter in Drawing and Painting – Fall 2008, in Character Animation – Spring 2008, in Sculpting for Animation – Spring 2006, and in Life Drawing – Fall 2005.