

Inspiration: <https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=Wnnp8rh20R8>

# Retargeting

## Why do we even need to perform the steps outlined herein?

- A-Pose vs. T-Pose
- Root (UE4) and Rootless (Mixamo) models and animation corruption because of these differences

## Prerequisites

- Blender (used v2.90.1)
- Unreal Engine 4 (used v.4.25.3)
- Rigify Addon for Blender (free)

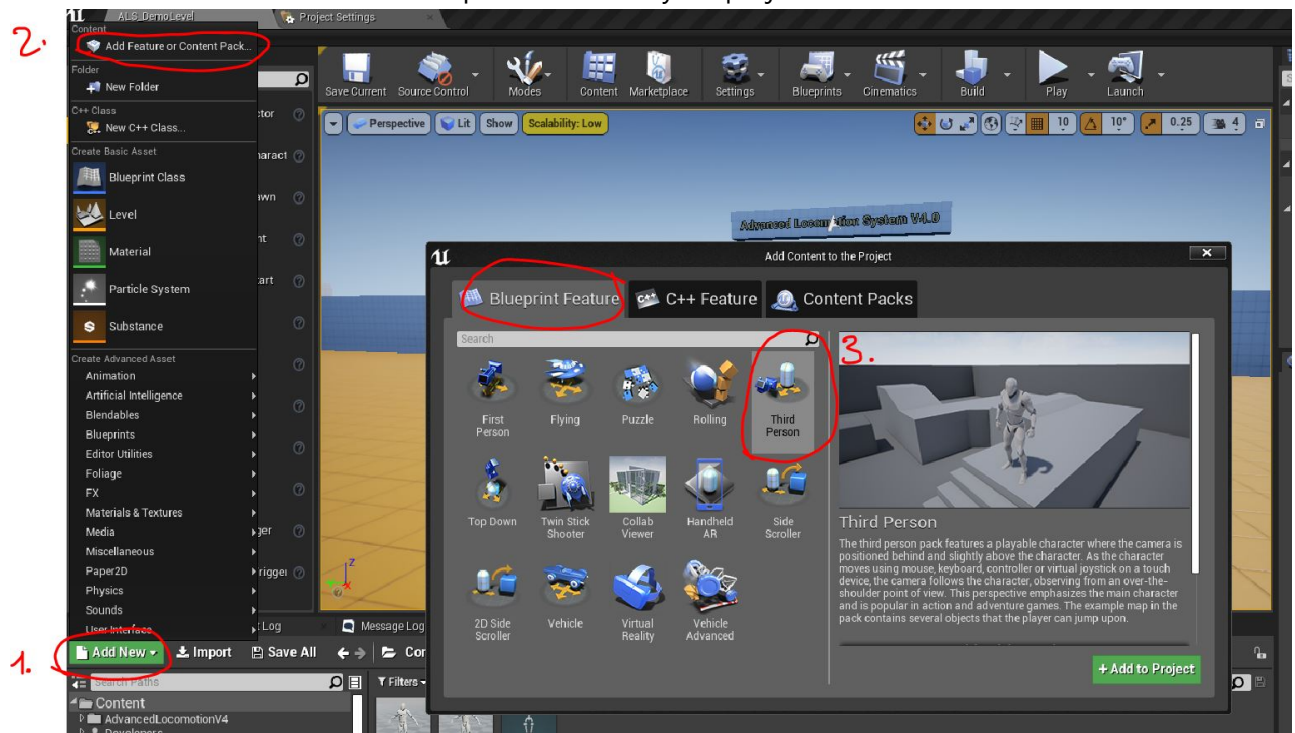
## Required Steps

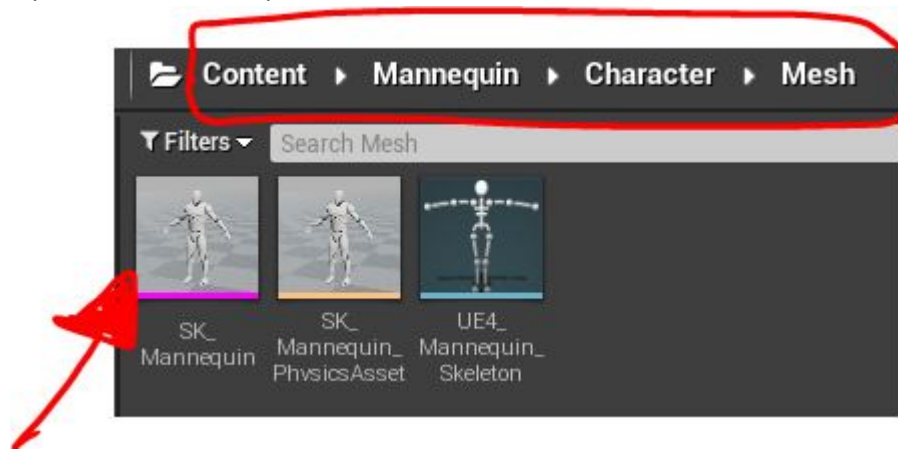
- ☐ Import UE4 Mannequin

# Setup

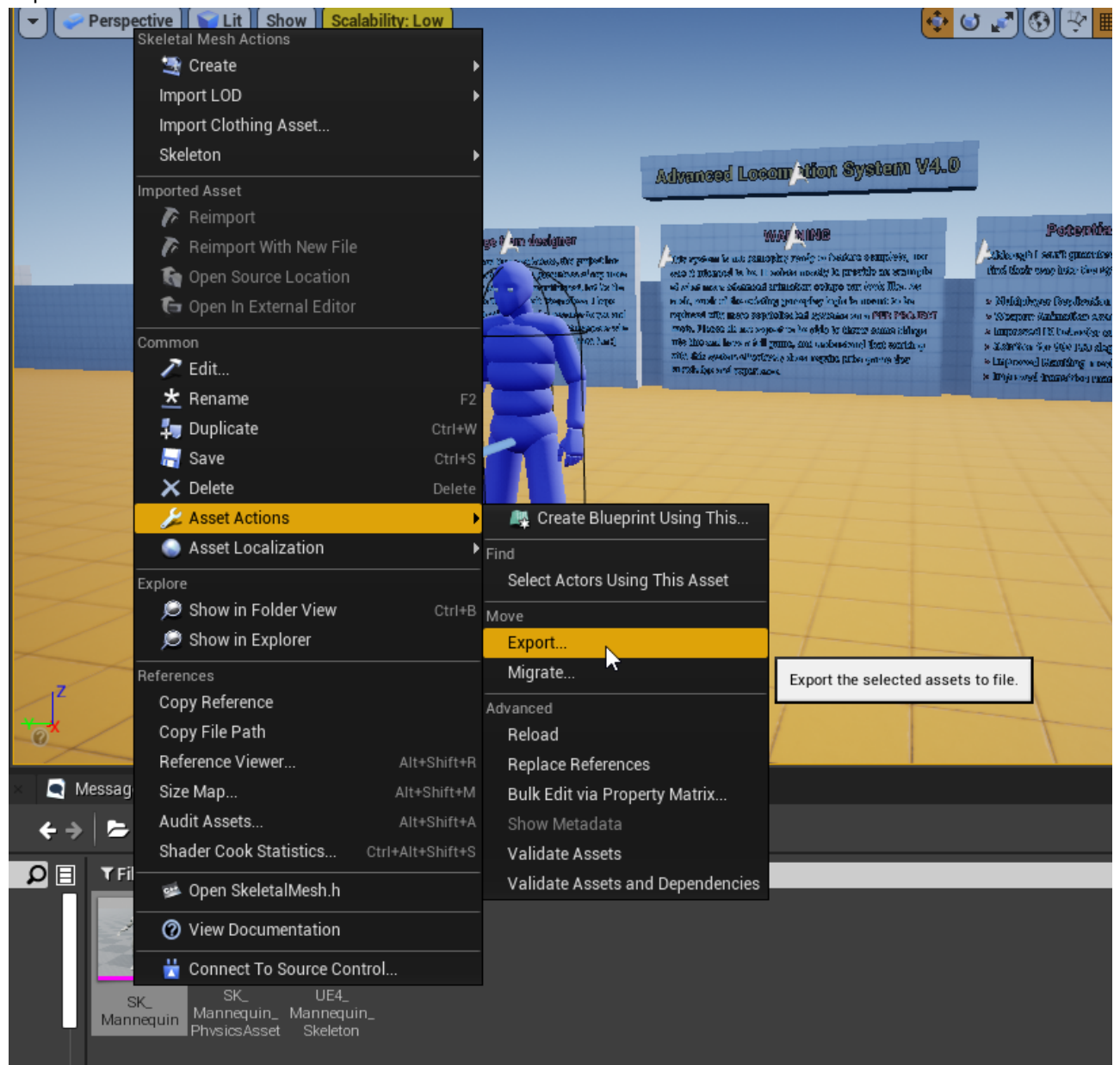
## Export UE4 Mannequin as FBX

1. Inside UE4 add the *Third Person* Blueprint Feature to your project



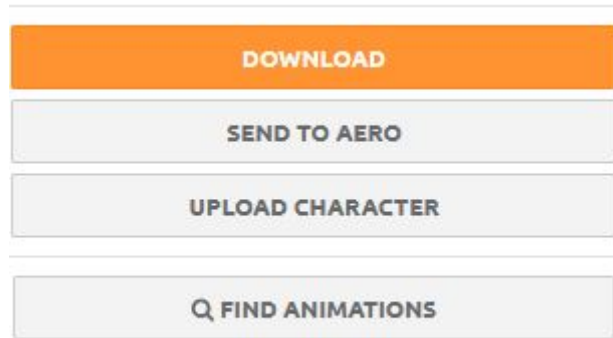
2. Open the *SK\_Mannequin* Skeletal Mesh

## 3. Export Asset

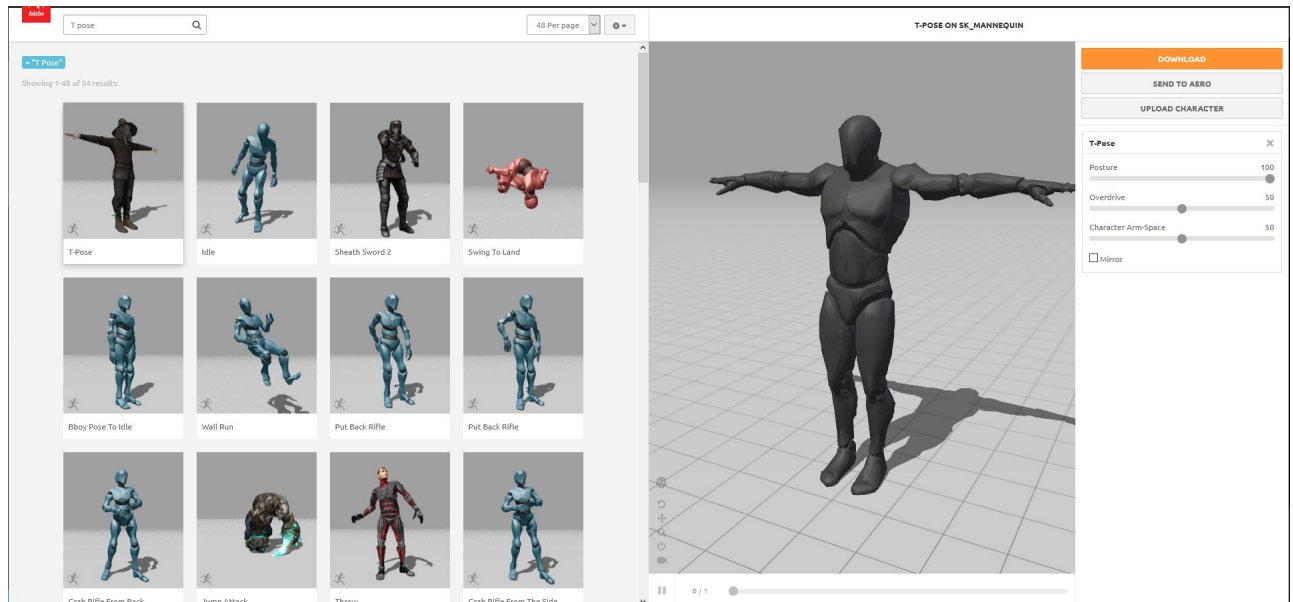


## Export UE4 Mannequin to mixamo.com and import with T-Pose

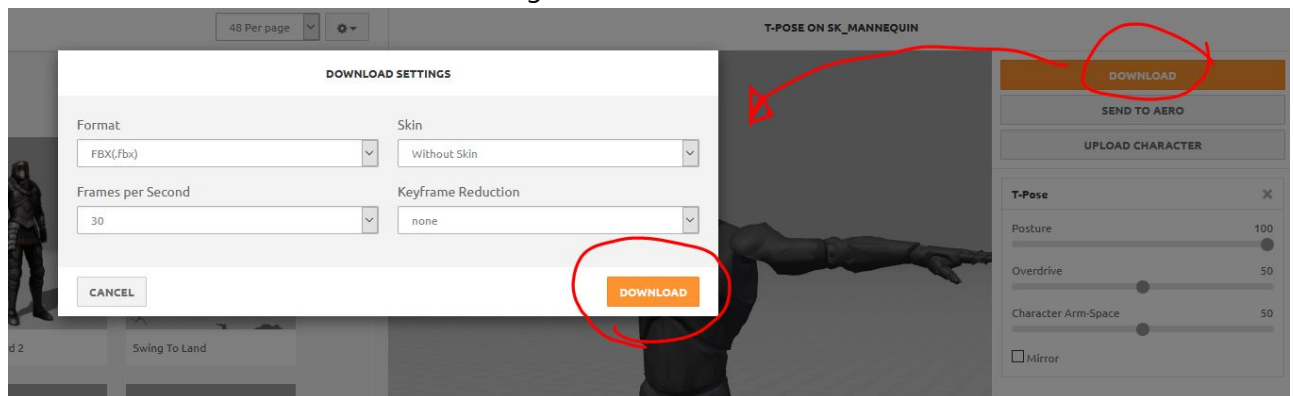
1. Open [www.mixamo.com](http://www.mixamo.com)



2. Upload the exported UE4 Mannequin
3. Search for and select the *T-Pose* animation on mixamo.com



4. Download the animation with the following *DOWNLOAD SETTINGS*



Apply T-Pose to UE4 Mannequin



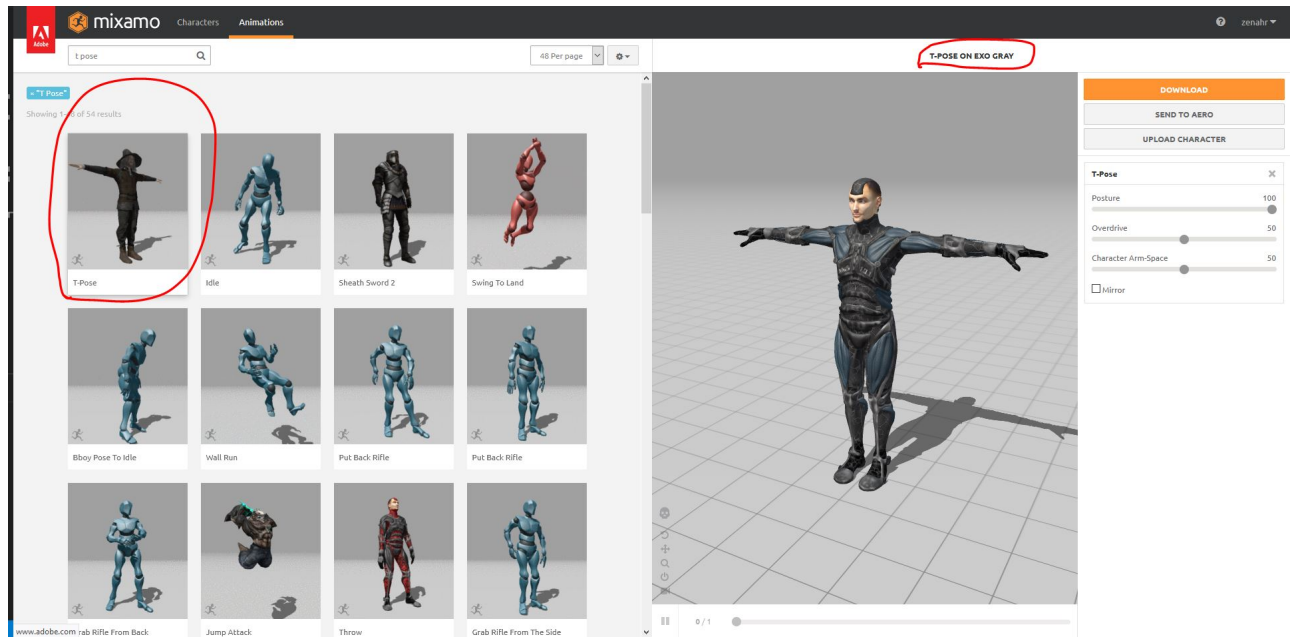
1. Import *T-Pose.fbx* into UE4

Your preview should then look something like this (open the imported file inside UE4):

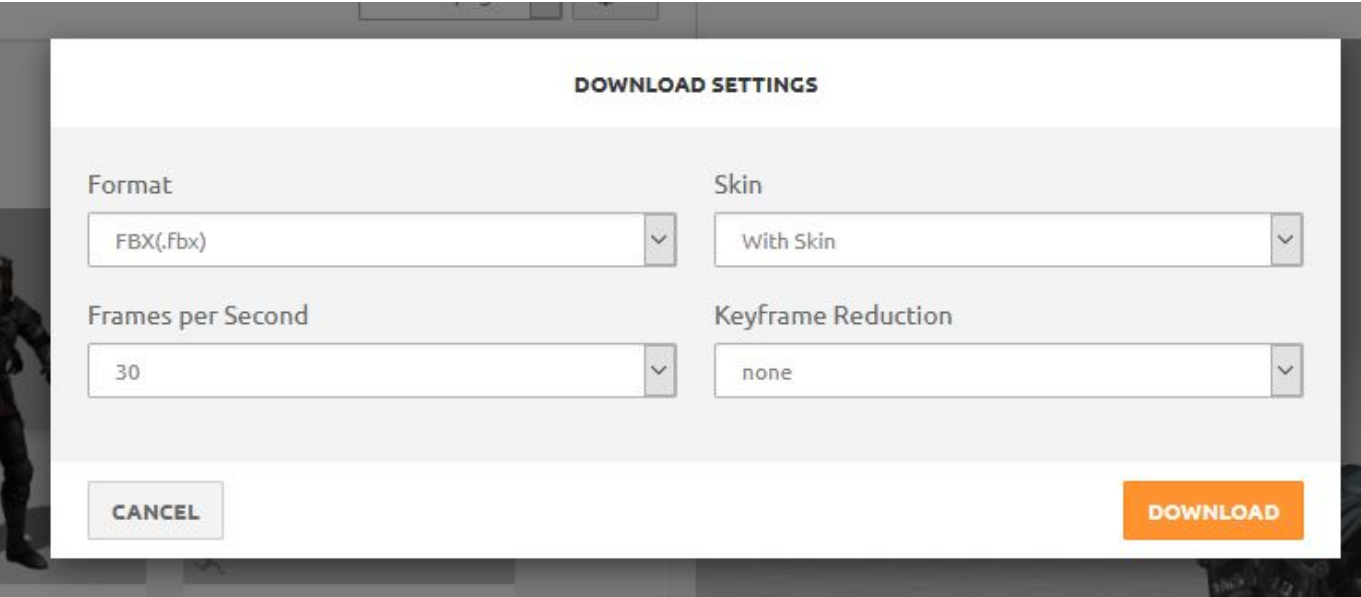


## Download Character from mixamo.com

1. Choose *EXO GRAY* as the character (you may want to refresh mixamo.com to minimize bugs)
2. Download the character with the *T-Pose* animation







and these *DOWNLOAD SETTINGS*:



The rest...

Create a folder called *converted* (a subfolder is required by *rigify*) Right now my folder looks like this:

 converted	21/11/2020 11:46 PM	File folder	
 Exo-Gray-In-T-Pose.fbx	21/11/2020 11:46 PM	3D Object	29,717 KB
 SK_Mannequin.FBX	21/11/2020 11:17 PM	3D Object	1,543 KB
 T-Pose.fbx	21/11/2020 11:29 PM	3D Object	179 KB