Nestor Wilke

Senior Animation Designer

Summary

Highly experienced animation designer with over 25 years of experience in the industry. Proficient in 2D and 3D animation software, including Adobe After Effects, Autodesk Maya, and Cinema 4D. Skilled in leading teams and managing projects, with experience as an Animation Team Manager. Seeking a Senior Animation Designer role to leverage my skills and experience to create high-quality animations.

Work Experience

Animation Team Manager

Contoso Animation (Los Angeles, CA) January 2015 - December 2022

- Led a team of 10 designers to create 2D and 3D animations for various clients.
- Managed project timelines and budgets, ensuring timely delivery of high-quality animations.
- Conducted research on new animation techniques and software to improve the quality of animations.
- Collaborated with senior management to develop and implement strategies to improve the efficiency of the animation team.

Senior Animation Designer

Contoso Animation (Los Angeles, CA) June 2008 - December 2014

- Created 2D and 3D animations for various clients.
- Assisted in the development of storyboards and animatics.
- Edited animations using Adobe After Effects, Autodesk Maya, and Cinema 4D.
- Conducted research on new animation techniques and software to improve the quality of animations.

Animation Designer

Buffalo River Designs (Glyndon, MN) May 1999 - May 2008

• Created 2D and 3D animations for various clients.

- Assisted in the development of storyboards and animatics.
- Edited animations using Adobe After Effects, Autodesk Maya, and Cinema 4D.

Education

Bachelor of Fine Arts in Animation

North Dakota State University (Fargo, ND) August 1995 - May 1999

- Coursework included 2D and 3D animation, character design, and storyboarding.
- Participated in various animation projects, including short films and animated advertisements.

Skills

- Proficient in Adobe After Effects, Autodesk Maya, and Cinema 4D.
- Strong understanding of animation principles and techniques.
- Ability to lead teams and manage projects.
- Excellent communication and time management skills.