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Storyboard artist with over five years' worth of experience communicating with clients and companies to bring their visions to life. Looking to use my skills in illustration to work with others in new and established pre-production projects with the goal of keeping it engaging, consistent and fun for the audience.

PROGRAMS & SKILLS

Adobe Creative Cloud (Animate/Flash, Photoshop, Illustrator, Premiere Pro), Toon Boom Storyboard Pro, Photo Editing, Digital Illustration, 2D Animation, Digital Animation, 2D Traditional Animation, Storyboarding, Storyboard Revision, Character and Scenario Illustration, Shot Composition, Video Editing, Screenwriting, HTML & CSS, Cinematography.

WORK EXPERIENCE

Storyboard Artist May 2021 – Oct. 2021

Cortez Brothers

Remote - Los Angeles, CA

- Consistently illustrated 100+ storyboard panels under the direction of filmmaker Jerome Kruin, along with completing several storyboard revisions.
- Visualized specific camera and shot movements in several sequential panels; storyboard panels were used during production as key reference to ensure quality footage at the location in Walt Disney Studios' Golden Oak Ranch.

Rental Property Manager

Sept. 2018 - Present

Carol One Stop Shop

Toronto, ON

- Vetted tenants to occupy vacant housing, increasing monthly revenue by 57%.
- Handled in-person applications and documents for potential tenants and communicated to them about their questions regarding the quality of life in the area.

Storyboard Artist / Animator

Aug. 2016 - March 2017

Mad Ruk Entertainment

Toronto, ON

- Animated text graphics in employee training video for Rogers Communications Inc. Employee video increased productivity at the company by 305%.
- Animated several graphics for Miles Savage's Google Adweek presentation 'How Mobile is Changing Canadian's Expectations'.
- Storyboarded a motion-capture based music video for the musical group Torro Torro; illustrated ruined buildings, monsters and conflict scenes.

Storyboard Artist Intern

Dec. 2016 - Oct. 2016

Studio Tendril

Toronto, ON

- Presented storyboard assignments for a short narrative-based animatic, incorporating feedback to storyboard revisions under the supervision of the studio lead.
- Experienced an understanding of studio environment workflows on projects for advertising and other media properties.

PROJECTS

'Honda Summer Sales Event'

April 2021 - Oct. 2021

Car Commercial Directed By Jerome Kruin

Toronto, ON

- Storyboarded panels with emphasis on camera movement on various "Honda"-brand cars driving through different settings and locations such as a city road, residential areas and a mountainous off-road path.
- Participated in a meeting with director and client during pre-production, suggesting ways to best show the vision intended for the ad spot by troubleshooting budget restraints and blocking out scene transitions.

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Sept. 2020

Music Video

Toronto, ON

- Animated graphics for the video using Adobe Animate CC, given creative freedom of stylistic choices finished in a quick turn-around with a short deadline as previous animator left the project last minute.
- Music video was uploaded to YouTube, ranking at one of the top 10 most popular videos on the musical artist's channel at 300k+ views.

'The Words She Spoke to Me'

Aug. 2016 - March 2017

Biographical Animated Documentary Profile, Featuring Actor and Activist Tantoo Cardinal

Toronto, ON

- Storyboarded, scripted, produced, video edited, and took creative direction for the documentary during production.
- Personally interviewed and filmed Tantoo Cardinal of 'Dances with wolves' fame at 'The Alliance of Canadian Cinema, Television and Radio Artists' (ACTRA) downtown Toronto location.
- Presented in front of an audience during a documentary screening, explaining the behind-the-scenes and responsibilities for the documentary.