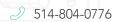
# natalie aitchison

### LIGHTING ARTIST

#### CONTACT



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#### **WORK EXPERIENCE**

#### JUNIOR LIGHTING TD, MPC FILM

Montreal, Quebec Canada, May 2015 - June 2016

- Rendered and lit shots using Katana and renderMan
- Created lighting slap comps for daily reviews with Nuke
- Used a Linux operating system
- Collaborated with look dev artists to create light rigs for sequences that matched live action plates and Supervisor's vision
- Worked on Marvel's *Fantastic Four* lighting the Thing and Planet Zero environment for the battle sequence
- Worked on Disney's *The Finest Hours* lighting generic water shots and the Pendleton extension for the rescue sequence

#### AP ASSISTANT, WENZEL DOWNHOLE TOOLS

Conroe, Texas, Summer 2012

- Scanned and filed invoices and expenses

#### **ACADEMIC EXPERIENCE**

#### SHADING & LIGHTING DEMO REEL

Winter Park, Florida, January - May 2014

- Created three different assets to match reference image for reel
- Created the models, UVs, textures, materials, lighting and rendered each asset using Maya and Photoshop
- Edited reel in Premier Pro

#### CHARACTER CONCEPT DEVELOPMENT

Methods of Design - Winter Park, Florida, February 2013

- Created a protagonist and a sidekick for a TV show based on a target audience and random object
- Created a character sheet for each character with a turn around and five expressions
- Project was kept and displayed in CA building from March 2013 to January 2014

#### SKILLS

Katana

Nuke

Autodesk Maya

Adobe Photoshop CS6

Adobe Premier Pro CS6

Sculptris

renderMan

MentalRay

Lighting

Texturing

**UV** Mapping

Modeling

Environmental Modeling

Python

Microsoft Office

#### **EDUCATION**

#### MPC FILM LIGHTING ACADEMY

Montreal, Quebec Canada, February - April 2015

## BACHELOR OF SCIENCE DEGREE in COMPUTER ANIMATION

Full Sail University, June 2014 GPA 3.44

#### **AWARDS**

#### COURSE DIRECTOR'S AWARD

Visual Development - Full Sail University, August 2013

#### CREATIVE MINDS SCHOLARSHIP

Full Sail University, 2012

#### OTHER SKILLS & INTEREST

ball joint dolls, crafts, sewing, drawing, movies, independent films, music, cds, vinyl, concerts, music festivals, supporting local music, dogs, cartoons, computer animation, video games, mmorpgs, trouble shooting, digital arts, t-shirt design, photography, graphic design, illustration, disney world, traveling, camping