Software for Video

In the talks, I mentioned you can get demo versions of most software that works for 30 days or so... there are sometimes size restrictions on the files or watermarks or whatever. As I said – we want you to explore and try stuff so we will not worry about watermarks or whatever. We would rather you experiment.

Most people making videos use Adobe Creative Cloud – especially After Effects for compositing, etc. – although much of the functionality exists within Premiere Pro. These are all available as demos – including the Character Animation thing I showed you.

Redgiant sells some amazing plugins for After Effects... one that is really awesome is Magic Bullet Looks – this can transform your video in seconds as it has heaps of colour correction options / templates. I use this on every piece of video!

https://www.redgiant.com/products/magic-bullet-looks/

The other amazing thing is the Trapcode Suite

https://www.redgiant.com/products/trapcode-suite/

Shine is particularly cool for titles etc...!

https://www.redgiant.com/products/trapcode-shine/

For Macs – there is a very cool webcasting thing called Screenflow. This is an elegant and simple solution!

https://www.telestream.net/screenflow/

Highly recommended and similar products exist for Windows...

And of course, iMovie, etc. are also vv good!!

Enjoy exploring!