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# SKILLS

## ANIMATION & DESIGN

HTML & CSS
Adobe CC
After Effects, Premiere,
Illustrator and Photoshop
Blender
Unreal Engine
Maya
DaVinci Resolve
Final Cut Pro X
Maxwell Render
Vray
Rhinoceros 5
AutoCAD
Cinema 4D

### **MODELING & FABRICATION**

Laser-cutting CNC Routing Soldering Drafting Casting

# **EDUCATION**

# University Of Virginia • Expected 2017 • BS Architecture/Design Thinking

Arts Mentor

Mentored children from Venable and Burnley-Moran Elementary School Filmmakers Society

Student expert on VFX and animation, taught courses on After Effects
Immersive Club

Produced Virtual Reality experiences for Oculus, Vive and Google Cardboard

# **WORK EXPERIENCE**

# Extern, National Endowment for the Arts • Washington, DC • 2017

· Assisted in grant proposal reviews

### Paid Intern & Independent Contractor, Edovo • Chicago, IL • 2016, Present

- · Animated inmate interviews and stories
- · Produced technical 3D animation for explaining installation process
- · Created renders for sales material

### Media Consultant, University of Virginia • Charlottesville, VA • 2013-2016

- · Taught courses on Adobe After Effects
- · Advised and provided support for video editing and camera use

### Studio Intern, CATV • White River Junction, VT • 2011

- · Assisted in camera, lighting and transitions for live broadcasts
- · Learned to shoot and edit in a fast-paced studio environment

### Sales, Systems Plus Computers • Hanover, NH • 2009, 2010

· Sold printers, Apple computers, and PCs as well as front-end support

# MOTION DESIGN EXPERIENCE

### Founder, The Sitting Hun Productions • Fairfax, VA • 2012-Present

- $\cdot$  Animated visualization for Dartmouth-Hitchcock Medical Center's Greencare Pathway
- · Directed award winning music videos for Nonchabont and Inscape
- · Animated logo and produced vignettes for UVA's Vortex 2016 Competition
- · Produced official logo and outro animations for Virginia Architecture Magazine

### Animator and Graphic Designer, Radical • Charlottesville, VA • 2015-2016

· Worked directly with project leaders, executives and clients

### Animator/Filmmaker, Green Willow Games • Charlottesville, VA • 2015-2016

- · Produced video for Gray Skies, Dark Waters Kickstarter Campaign, raised \$2,404
- · Animated ending cutscenes and menu for Gray Skies, Dark Waters

### Intern, Mipsterz • Brooklyn, NY • 2013, 2014

- · Produced intro sequence for the web-series "Hot Sauce, White Sauce"
- · Assisted with editing and compositing

# **AWARDS**

TEDx at the University of Virginia • Selected Speaker • 2017

Entrepreneurship Cup, University of Virginia • Investment Funding • 2016

Digital Arts Fellowship, University of Virginia • Fellowship • 2016

Social Entrepreneurship at UVA • Scholarship • 2016

Virginia Student Film Festival • Best Music Video • 2015

Fall of the Wall Arts Contest, University of Virginia • Finalist Prize • 2014

Virginia Student Film Festival • Audience Choice • 2013

UVA Digital Talent Show • Grand Prize • 2013

James Madison University Physics Video Contest • Grand Prize • 2012