

Curriculum Vitae

Personal Details

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Skills

Management Skills - Directing and supervising teams of animators, modellers & texture artists during the productions of TV commercials & TV Specials. Managing projects, compiling spreadsheets, preparing documentations and reports. Recruiting & training junior artists and runners. Pitching, scheduling & budgeting. Problem solving. Liaising with producers & clients, advising on creative & technical solutions to accommodate restricted budgets or tight deadlines.
Great Ability to work in sole charge and under pressure for long periods of time.

Technical Skills - CGI, 2D & 3D Character Animation, NURBS Modelling, Rigging, Texturing, Lighting, Rendering, Matte Painting, Tracking, Compositing, Grading, Editing, Graphic Design.
Very good knowledge of Production, Post Production, Web and Print Processes.

Software - Maya, Flash, After Effects, Avid Liquid, Photoshop, Boujou and various other programs.

Traditional Art Skills - Drawing, Painting, Sculpting, Modelling, Model & Puppet Making, Concept Art, Story Boarding, Illustration.

Languages - English, Italian, Spanish

Work Experience

♦ *January 2007 – Present*

Freelance CG Supervisor/Animation Director/TD

Attack of the Aliens, London

Award winning 5' Animated Short Film - *Directing, CG Supervising, Character Design & Creation, Lighting & Rendering*

<http://vimeo.com/14723720>

<http://www.nyciff.com/winners2010.html>

Companies:

Hogarth Worldwide, London

The Pixel Addicts, London

Tilt Design, London

AMV BBDO, London

Golden Square, London

Evolutions, London

Absolute Post, London

Attic Media, London

Th1ng, London

Unit Post, London

Mr & Mrs Smith, London

♦ *March 2006 – November 2006*

BBC 'Jackanory' Production - BBC Television Centre, London

'Muddle Earth' & 'The Magician of Samarkand' - *Award winning 45' TV Specials*

Art & Animation Director/TD

♦ *September 2005 – January 2006*

The Mill, Soho

Freelance Senior TD/Animator - *TV Commercials*

♦ *February 2002 – August 2005*

Soho 601/One Post – Ascent Media UK, Soho

Senior Animator/Team Leader - *TV Commercials*

♦ *June 2001 – February 2002*

Aardman Animations, Bristol

Modeller/Character TD/Animator - *TV Commercials*

♦ *July 2000 – June 2001*

Freelance Animator/Flash Developer/Graphic Designer

Companies:

Film 26, London

Euro RSCG, London

BSMG Worldwide, London

Circle.com, London

♦ *October 1999 – June 2000*

Gimmel Internet & Digital Marketing, London

Lead Flash Animator/Developer/Graphic Designer

♦ *May 1993 – October 1999*

Artist/Muralist/Interior Designer

Sculptor/Jewellery Model Maker

♦ *January 1993 – May 1993*

Ipsos Books & Software, Milan

Sale Executive

♦ *June 1991 – February 1992*

Alpha 3 – Computer & Software House, Milan

Reception & Administration

Education

Fine Art Diploma, Milan 1991

Interests

Art, Music, Film, Technology, Antiques, Classic Cars

Reference

Will Byles

EA Games - Art Director

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