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VISUAL EFFECTS ARTIST

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OBJECTIVE

Obtain a position as a New Media artist that challenges my knowledge about the world of media and integrates my skills to produce high quality professional work and installations.

EXPERIENCE

KEEP ME POSTED A FOTOKEM COMPANY | NOV. 2017 - APR. 2020

Visual Effects Artist - Full Time

- ♦ Worked as a lead VFX Artist alongside other artists and professionals from different departments on the re-mastering of the 1994 TV series Charmed from 4:3 (standard) to 16:9 (HD).
Also assisted other departments with an overflow of shots from other various shows.
- ♦ Tasks included compositing, set extension, matte-painting, dust-busting, rotoscoping, explosions, sparks, orbs, fire, extending green-screens, building out missing actor actions, building out missing 3D models including dragons, bats, monsters and many other elements. Matching the original stylizations and cleaning up errors from the original.

COYOTE POST | SEP. 2013 - OCT. 2017

Visual Effects Artist - Freelance

- ♦ Collaborated with artists to create motion graphics, commercials and music videos for brand-name clients, including:
2017: Anthony Evans (See You Again), Katy Perry (Chained To The Rhythm Lyric Video), Coldplay (Hypnotised), Linkin Park (Good Goodbye).
2015 - 2016: Paw Patrol, MC2 (Netflix), Gwen Stefani (Concert Visuals), Huawei, Kobe Muse (Doc), Nike+, Bratz, Five Knives (Savages), NERO (Two Minds), Hurley Shorts, Hurley Swimsuit, Old Spice, Pokemon, Dr. Pepper, L'Oreal, Lovers and the Despot (Doc), Skype (Windows 10), Dixie Chicks (Concert Visuals), Lana Del Rey (IG Promo), Pitbull with Enrique Iglesias (Messin' Around), American Career College, Gwen Tour 2016, JJF Hurley, Beauty Blender, Cee-Lo Green (Phone Exploding), Neil Diamond (Christmas Medley).
2013 - 2014: Doritos, Delta Rae (If I Loved You), Hyundai, JC Penney, Comcast, Shipper HQ, Microsoft, Little Tikes, MGA Entertainment, eBay, Oscar Mayer's (Wake Up & Smell The Bacon), Disney's (World of English).

MADISON + VINE | APR. 2017 - JUN. 2017

Visual Effects Artist - Freelance

- ♦ Lady Gaga's Coachella Tour Visuals. Worked alongside other artists, under a quick deadline to turn client ideas into visual works of art that were displayed on an IMAG screen at Coachella.
Also worked on other various projects (AOL, Snapchat Graphics).

THE UPRISING CREATIVE | AUG. 2014 - OCT. 2014

Visual Effects Artist - Freelance

- ♦ Worked individually and with other artists to create motion graphics, commercials and music videos for clients such as Jason Mraz (concert visuals), Perrier, Afroman.

SHORT FILM - "DUST" BY BEN DISINGER | 2012 - 2013

LEAD VISUAL EFFECTS / SOLE GRAPHIC DESIGNER

- ◆ Completed over 138 VFX shots of varying complexity including: compositing, matte painting, dust-busting, tracking, 3D tracking, rotoscoping, full and partial background replacement, object removal, photo retouching, particular effects and many more. Managed a 4-man 3D team to produce high quality renders within a short amount of time while on a deadline from the director.
- ◆ Gained firsthand experience with a MoCo rig in pre-production, production and post-production to establish the director's vision. Gained experience with LogC and linear footage from an Alexa.

SHORT FILM - "SOMEDAY, YOU'LL REMEMBER TODAY" BY BEN DISINGER | 2012 - 2013

SOLE VISUAL EFFECTS / SOLE GRAPHIC DESIGNER

- ◆ Tasked with floating object creation (not 3D), rig removal, multiple layer compositing, adding haze, animation of still images, rotoscoping, cracking the picture frame, digital makeup corrections, reflections and other effects.
- ◆ Maverick Movie Awards 2012 - Nominated for "Best Visual Effects" (full awards list on LinkedIn).

MUSIC VIDEO - "VIRGIN" BY MANCHESTER ORCHESTRA | AUG. 2, 2011

SOLE VISUAL EFFECTS / SOLE GRAPHIC DESIGNER

- ◆ Worked with director Ben Disinger, under Sony Music Entertainment, to produce a Hollywood-grade music video for an established band, with a \$0 budget.
- ◆ Virgin received worldwide recognition and has won first place in several festivals (full list on LinkedIn).
The video is one of the band's most viewed music videos, collecting over 3.7 million views on YouTube. Aired on MTVU, FUSE and VH1. Several articles have been written about the creation of the music video, including some by ABC Rochester, Chronicle and Fuse.

EDUCATION

Bachelor of Fine Arts, New Media Design and Imaging

Rochester Institute of Technology, Graduated 2012

GPA: 3.3, Deans list Fall-Spring 2012