

A reliable and hard-working individual, seeking an animation position in a studio environment, which will allow professional growth and improvement of drawing and animation skills.

EDUCATION and PROFESSIONAL DEVELOPMENT

VANCOUVER FILM SCHOOL , Vancouver, BC Diploma in Digital Character Animation.	2011
VANCOUVER FILM SCHOOL , Vancouver, BC Diploma in Classical Animation.	2009 - 2010
UNIVERSITY OF BRITISH COLUMBIA , Vancouver, BC Bachelor of Arts Degree, English Language.	2004 - 2009

FILMOGRAPHY

POUND PUPPIES – Animated Series Directed by Tim Stuby , Produced by DHX MEDIA Layout – Pose Artist	2012 - 2013
QUANTA – Live-Action Film Written & Directed by Steve Harshfield Storyboards.	2012
DORMANT – Live-Action Short Written & Directed by Russell Southam Storyboards.	2012
PENGUINS (ARE SO SENSITIVE TO MY NEEDS) – Live-Action Short Directed by Matthew Kowalchuk Character Animation.	2012
THE DARK KNIGHT in 60 SECONDS – 2D Animated Short, Contest Entry Direction & Animation.	2012
THE WEDDING BELLES – Live-Action TV Series, Shaw Television Produced by Aubrey Arnason 2D Animation for Opening Credits.	2012
THEO - 3D Animated Short Direction, Animation, & Digital Production.	2011
WASH YOUR HANDS – Live-Action Short, directed by Brendan Preston Character & Background Design for Opening Sequence.	2010
ÇAPELOJ – 2D Animated Short, directed by Simmon Keith Barney In-Betweening.	2010
PUDDLES – 2D Animated Short, directed by Ryan Connell Garvey In-Betweening & Clean-Up.	2010
CLASSICAL FIGHTER 74 TURBO – 2D Flash-Animated Short Direction & Animation.	2010

OFF THE WALL – 2D Animated Short 2010
Direction, Animation, & Digital Production.

WORK and VOLUNTEER HISTORY

PROJECT 20 2012 - Present
Vancouver, BC

Animator, Storyboard Artist, Character Design

- Design characters, storyboards and animation for videos promoting “gr33n” production, choreographed and produced by Donald Sales (<http://www.facebook.com/Proj20>)

JAMGRAMS MUSIC E-CARDS 2011
San Francisco, California

Animator, Storyboard Artist, Character Design

- Design characters, storyboards and animation, based on a 1 minute hip-hop instrumental. Work primarily with Adobe Flash.

INTERCRUISES GUEST SERVICES 2006 – Present
Richmond, BC

YVR Meet and Greet Agent

- Handle paperwork and luggage for cruiseline passengers, and coordinate buses taking them from YVR to both Ballantyne and Canada Place Pier.

RICHMOND PUBLIC LIBRARY 2002 –2004, 2008 –2009
Richmond, BC

After-School Tutoring for Children (2002 - 2004)/ Book Shelver (2008 - 2009)

- Tutor various children from grades one to six.
- Maintain order and tidiness of bookshelves.

GAP AND GAP KIDS 2006 –2008
Richmond, BC

Sales and Stock Associate

- Cashier and sales representative.

KNIGHTS OF COLUMBUS, DUKE COUNCIL 6855 2002 - 2005
Richmond, BC

Assistant Webmaster

- Official caretaker and designer for the Knights of Columbus, Duke Council 6855 website (URL: <http://www.kofc6855.ca>).

SPECIAL SKILLS

- Skilled in the following software:
 - Autodesk Maya (2010, 2011 editions).
 - ToonBoom Harmony.
 - Adobe Flash (CS3, CS5, CS5.5).
 - Adobe Photoshop (CS3, CS4, CS5).
 - Adobe Premiere Pro (CS3, CS5).
 - Adobe AfterEffects (CS3).
 - Digicel FlipBook.
 - Microsoft Office Applications.
- Able to produce effective animation on both 2D and 3D platforms.

- Able to produce capable character builds, using Adobe Flash.
- Able to produce effective character key poses, breakdowns and action with various builds and rigs, using programs such as Adobe Flash and Autodesk Maya.
- Has traditional drawing skills.
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SPECIAL SKILLS (cont.)

- Has life-drawing experience.
- Able to produce capable storyboards, character designs, and layouts.
- Able to type over 100 words per minute.
- Able to work well and effectively on own and with others.
- Able to show time-management and multi-tasking.
- Able to show effective communication skills with other various individuals.

ACCOMPLISHMENTS

- ***The Dark Knight in 60 Seconds*** – 2D Flash short film **February 2012**
 - Only animated entry in the
2012 Virgin Radio Fake Film Festival.
 - Placed **#6** overall in competition, out of over 90 submissions.
- ***Off The Wall*** – 2D short film **August 2011**
 - Achieved Top-Five Finalist for
the **Teletoon-at-Night Pilot Project.**
- **Royal Conservatory of Music**
 - Achieved First Class Honors for eight consecutive years
in classical piano.
- **Vancouver College Secondary School** **2003-2004**
 - Senior Art Editor of 2004 Yearbook.
 - Personal artwork predominantly displayed.

REFERENCES

- **Justin Tan**
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