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Education

University of Southern California, Los Angeles CA
Master of Fine Arts in Animation & Digital Arts; May 2022

Massachusetts College of Art and Design, Boston MA
Bachelor of Fine Arts in Animation; May 2019

Skills

Adobe After Effects, Premiere Pro, Photoshop, Audition, Illustrator, InDesign
TV Paint • Toon Boom Harmony, Storyboard Pro • Dragonframe 4
Maxon Cinema 4D • Autodesk Maya • Blender • Zbrush • Unreal Engine 4 • HTML, CSS
Microsoft Office • Google Suite • Native in Mandarin • Bilingual Proficiency in English

Experiences

Graphic Designer/Social Media Manager

CK Plastic Surgery • Los Angeles CA • September 2022-present

- *Creates images, films and edits videos for the company's various social media platforms*
- *Designs posters, brochures and the company's website for monthly promotions*
- *Manages and posts marketing materials on various social media platforms*

Bilingual Director's Assistant

Palette Pictures LLC • Los Angeles CA • August-September 2022

- *Conducted live-action production research and recorded footage for short-form videos*
- *Created pre-visualizations for influencer-style production set*

Student Assistant

University of Southern California • Los Angeles CA • January-May 2022

- *Helped professors in multiple classes organizing class folders, schedules and meetings*
- *Taught students animation techniques and how to use animation software*

Teaching Assistant

Massachusetts College of Art and Design • Boston MA • January-May 2019

- *Assisted professor with class exercises, assignments and activities*
- *Organized, planned and led class field trips*

Production Assistant

Clambake Animation/Snowrunner Productions • Watertown MA • May-August 2018

- *Storyboarded, Animated scientific instructional PSA*
- *Designed graphics for the first "AllBright Art Crawl" community art event*

VR/360 Camera Intern

Brookline Interactive Group • Brookline MA • May-August 2017

- *Brainstormed, created and edited the company's original community-based immersive 360, VR and AR content*

Selected Festival Selections

Director, "What They Left Behind," (06:49 Animated Short), 2022

- *City of Angels Women's Film Festival, Best Animated Short, 2022*
- *Bucheon International Animation Festival, Official Selection, 2022*

Director, "Shower Thoughts," (02:15 Animated Short), 2020

- *Athens Digital Arts Festival, Official Selection, 2022*
- *Animex Screen 2022, Official Selection, 2022*

Co-Director & Editor, "Vicky & Xingyu," (03:44 Animated Short), 2020

- *Bright Ideas Film Festival, Best Documentary Winner, 2020*
- *Los Angeles Animation Festival, Documentary Short Winner, 2020*

Director, "Root," (03:34 Animated Short), 2019

- *Boston Asian American Film Festival Short Waves: Stories Shaping Our Community, Official Finalist, 2019*