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Education

Columbia College Chicago – Bachelor in 2D Animation, *Summa Cum Laude*, May 2022

Experience

STORYBOARD ARTIST - INDIE FILM, FOWL HEIST: REMOTE, 2023 – PRESENT

- ▶ Assisted in storyboard content creation, story development, and cleanup of 200+ boards.
- ▶ Updated 50+ storyboards with director feedback in my role as the primary storyboard revisionist.
- ▶ Case Study: www.raw-data.com/fowl-heist

MOTION GRAPHICS AND 2D ANIMATION FREELANCE: REMOTE, 2022 – PRESENT

- ▶ Created video content such as a launch video containing motion graphics and GIFs for Box24 Studio campaigns Viome and Modobag respectively.
- ▶ Designed the cover, font, and website promotional material for a published novel.

DIRECTOR - SHORT FILM, CUPID IN TRAINING: CHICAGO, 2021 – 2022

- ▶ Managed a team of 25 in the creation of our capstone senior production studio project, an 8 minute animated film developed over the course of 1 year.
- ▶ Roles: Director, Scriptwriter (3 pages), Storyboarder (100+ boards), Animatic Editor (optimized film length from 12 to 8 minutes), Rough and Cleanup Animator (20+ scenes), Animation Checker (provided feedback to 20 animators twice a week), Production Assistant (managed production schedule)
- ▶ Case Study: www.raw-data.com/cupid-in-training

EAGLE SCOUT, BOY SCOUTS OF AMERICA TROOP 44: SAN MATEO, CA, 2010 – 2017

- ▶ Led a group of 15 in the restoration of a public space by planting various plants and trees for my Eagle Scout Project, which was the culmination of a 7 year rank advancement process.
- ▶ Mentored 20+ younger scouts in rank advancement and leadership training.
- ▶ Volunteered for 10+ community improvement projects, such as installing public benches, restoring park greenery, and restocking emergency rations.

Projects

Fowl Heist - www.instagram.com/fowlheist_official/

Cupid in Training - www.raw-data.com/cupid-in-training

Official Selections & Winners - Golden Short Film Festival

July 2022 - Milan Gold Awards

Skills

Visual Software:

Toonboom Harmony
Storyboard Pro
Adobe Creative Suite

After Effects
Clip Studio Paint
Photoshop

Draftsmanship:

Life Drawing
Illustration
Character Art