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STOP MOTION CAMERA OPERATOR AND LIGHTING TECHNICIAN

SUMMARY

Hardworking digital media artist, displaying great knowledge of cinematography, lighting, motion control, video production, with experience working on stop motion feature films.

EDUCATION

B.F.A. - Film and Video Production
Pacific University, Forest Grove, OR 2010 - 2014
Graduated Cum Laude | Outstanding Media Arts Senior 2014 | Film Club Vice President 2011-2012 | Freshman Outdoor Orientation Leader 2011-2013

Portland Community College
Character Rigging and Animation (Maya) 2015
Intermediate 3D Modeling (Maya) 2015
Intro to 3D Animation (Maya) 2013

FAA Certified Drone Operator - May 2019

KEY SKILLS

Software: DragonFrame, Premiere Pro, Photoshop, After Effects, Final Cut Pro, Lightroom, Kuper Control Systems, Illustrator, Maya

Cameras: Alexa Amira/Mini, Sony A7 series, FujiFilm, Canon DSLR's, Canon C100, Panasonic AG-HMC150 and AG-HPX170

Drone: DJI Mavic Pro 2

Lights: Arri (Tungsten & LED), Kino Flow, HMI, Lowell, LED practicals, DMX

Audio: Wired Lavalier, Wireless Lavalier, Shotgun Mics, H1N and H4N Zoom Recorders

REFERENCES

Available Upon Request

EXPERIENCE

Lead Camera Assistant / Additional Lighting Cameraperson

Netflix | August 2019 - August 2022

- Worked on the stop motion feature film, "Pinocchio," directed by Guillermo del Toro and Mark Gustafson
- Worked as Camera Assistant to the DOP as well as Additional Lighting Cameraperson lighting several shots in the film

Freelance Videographer

Gavin Brown Media | June 2018 - Present

- Filmed weddings, commercial, and creative videos
- Worked with clients to plan shoot, film, and edit all footage to deliver the best product
- Commercially licensed as a drone pilot to fly and film content

Stop Motion Camera Operator

Stoopid Buddy Stoodios | May 2018

- Worked on the stop motion tv show, SuperMansion Season 3
- Set up camera and lighting on stages

Camera Assistant

Laika | July 2015 - March 2018

- Worked on the stopmotion feature film, "Missing Link," as assistant to Lighting Camera Person
- Worked on the stop motion feature film "Kubo and the Two Strings" as Assistant Camera Trainee
- Set up cameras, computers, and prepare motion control rigs
- Programmed moves in DragonFrame and KUPER Control
- Knowledgeable on shooting stop motion in stereoscopic 3D

Photographer/Videographer/Editor

M Realty | August 2014 - June 2015

- Worked as part of a growing team producing HDR photos and tour videos of residential properties
- Shoot, offload, and organize footage
- Edit photos and videos according to department standards
- Exported and encoded media for use in both online and printed promotional materials

Video Editing and Motion Graphics Intern

Portland Trail Blazers | September 2014 - April 2015

- Edited footage into highlight packages and commercials for use in the arena, on the web, and on broadcast TV
- Created narrative projects to be played to pump up the crowds
- Used industry standard motion graphics software to design and animate team-branded elements for promotional videos of events and products