

OBJECTIVE

Highly motivated director, animator, and artist specializing in the full 2D pipeline. Able to take a project to completion as a solo artist or by collaborating with a larger team. Adept at managing teams—strategically matching individual strengths to tasks and consistently meeting tight deadlines—while leveraging open-source workflows and tools to elevate brands with sustainable visual storytelling.

EDUCATION

- New York University (2009)
Bachelor of Fine Arts in Theatre (Acting)

EXPERIENCE

- ANIMATION SUPERVISOR (01/2022 - PRESENT)
HEY BEAUTIFUL JERK; NEW YORK, NY / ATLANTA, GA
 - Lead 2D Cel & After Effects Animator, Motion Designer, 3D Generalist, Compositor, Illustrator, Concept Artist and Storyboard Artist.
 - Animation and design for numerous projects ranging from social media, web, TV, and film.
 - Managed large and small teams of animators and artists for larger projects.
 - Created style guides to help artists maintain consistencey.
 - Collaborated on creating scripts and concepts for multiple projects.
 - Provided insights on different types of software and workflows.
 - Created original music, audio edits, and provisional voice over work.
 - Proposed and implemented solutions for remote pipelines.
 - Provided guidance and constructive criticism to interns and junior artists.
- FREELANCE ANIMATOR, MOTION DESIGNER, ILLUSTRATOR, STORYBOARD ARTIST (02/2018 - 12/2021)
HEY BEAUTIFUL JERK; NEW YORK, NY
 - Lead 2D Cel & After Effects Animator, Motion Designer, Compositor, Illustrator, Concept Artist and Storyboard Artist.
 - Animation and design for numerous projects ranging from social media, web, TV, and film.
 - Created original music or audio edits, and provisional voice over work.
 - Created and delivered projects as a solo artist or working in collaboration with a larger team.
- FREELANCE ANIMATOR, MOTION DESIGNER, ILLUSTRATOR, STORYBOARD ARTIST (11/2018 - 05/2022)
VERSUS; NEW YORK, NY
 - Lead 2D Cel & After Effects Animator, Motion Designer, Compositor, Illustrator, Concept Artist and Storyboard Artist.
 - Animation and design for numerous projects ranging from social media, web and TV.
 - Created original music or audio edits, and provisional voice over work.
 - Created and delivered projects as a solo artist or working in collaboration with a larger team.
- FREELANCE ANIMATOR (06/2020)
TRANSISTOR STUDIOS; NEW YORK, NY
 - 2D cel animation for multiple characters and background elements in an advertisement for El Pollo Loco.
- FREELANCE ANIMATOR, ILLUSTRATOR, STORYBOARD ARTIST (12/2018 - 04/2020)
EDISEN; NEW YORK, NY
 - Lead 2D Cel & After Effects Animator, Motion Designer, Compositor, Illustrator, Concept Artist and Storyboard Artist.
 - Animation and design for numerous projects for web and TV.
- FREELANCE STORYBOARD ARTIST (06/2019)
SOMOROFF+ STUDIOS; NEW JERSEY CITY, NJ
 - Created storyboards for a table top Budweiser commercial.
- FREELANCE DESIGNER AND ILLUSTRATOR (06/2014 - 02/2023)
HAPPY COOKING HOSPITALITY; NEW YORK, NY
 - Created designs and illustrations for menus, t-shirts, promotional materials, socials, service manuals and hot sauce labels for multiple locations in the restaurant group.
- FREELANCE ILLUSTRATOR AND DESIGNER (03/2017 - 04/2018)
WOODSMAN TAVERN; PORTLAND OR
 - Created several promotional posters and t-shirt designs for the Portland restaurant.
- FREELANCE STORYBOARD ARTIST (02/2017 - 04/2017)
JACKSONKARINJA+; NEW YORK, NY
 - Created storyboards for a Samsung commercial and *Hurricane Remy* feature.
- FREELANCE ILLUSTRATOR AND DESIGNER (02/2016 - 12/2020)
PUFF COFFEE; PORTLAND, OR
 - Created illustrations for posters, t-shirts, and social media content for the independent coffee producer.
- FREELANCE ILLUSTRATOR AND DESIGNER (06/2016 - 12/2016)
WORKMAN PUBLISHING; NEW YORK, NY
 - Created cover art and several illustrated pages for *The Stoner Puzzle Stash*.
- FREELANCE ILLUSTRATOR AND DESIGNER (07/2016 - 08/2016)
HARPER COLLINS PUBLISHING; NEW YORK, NY
 - Created book cover art for numerous projects.

SKILLS/TOOLS

- Adobe Creative Cloud (After Effects, Animate, Photoshop, Illustrator, Premiere, Media Encoder)
- TVPaint
- Blender, Cinema4D
- Davinci Resolve/Fusion
- Figma
- Logic, Ableton Live, Reaper
- FFMpeg, ImageMagick
- MacOS/Windows/Linux(RHEL, Rocky, Fedora, Ubuntu)
- ChatGPT, Midjourney, TopazAI
- amatuer knowledge of C++, Python, Javascript, Lua, and Bash