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PROFILE

3D Environment Artist/2D Artist

EDUCATION

Gnomon School of Visual Effects,
Games, & Animation
Hollywood, CA
Bachelor of Fine Arts in Game Art

SUMMARY OF SKILLS

CONCEPT DEVELOPMENT

• Foundation in traditional art
• Researching and collecting reference
• Utilizing different software
• Creating drawings and digital art
• Storyboarding

MODELING & DESIGN

• 3D modeling and sculpting skills
• High to low baking
• Texturing, lighting, and optimization
• Quickly adapt to new pipelines and tools
• Observation skills and research
• Making hard surface and organic props and assets
• Using modular workflows
• Experience with terrain, vegetation and foliage
• Strong sense of set dressing and storytelling
• UV Unwrapping
• Creation of materials/shaders in Unreal Engine

COMMUNICATION

• Open to feedback, critique and iteration
• Reliable communication
• Team Player
• Excellent oral and written communication skills
• Quick learning and adaptability

PROFESSIONAL EXPERIENCE

Freelance Artist
Self-Employed, Los Angeles, CA
10/2011 - Current
• Designed custom logos, branding, and illustrations
•Created traditional and digital 2D art
• Collaborated with industry professionals on 2D art projects
• Sold original art and prints at booths and on social media

3D PROJECTS

•Expanded into 3D environment art over the past 3 years
• Created mostly realistic environments but am open to making stylized work
• Designed a natural semi-open world area using LODs, billboards, and foliage
• Worked on a realistic 1800s western cabin using reference to model assets
• Made a medieval castle interior with emphasis on set dressing and atmosphere
• Built a realistic guitar and amp inspired by products

DIGITAL SKILLS

3D & GAME

• Unreal Engine
• Maya
• Zbrush
• Substance Designer/Painter
• Gaea
• Speedtree
• Marmoset

2D & ART

• Adobe Photoshop
• Adobe After Effects
• Adobe Illustrator

DESIGN SKILLS

• Concept Art
• Observational Drawing
• Digital Painting
• Photography

INTERESTS

Nature, video games, movies,
music, photography