

BRIAN ELIG

ILLUSTRATOR / ANIMATOR

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Career Summary: **Multidisciplinary Illustrator and Animator**

Creative professional with ability to maintain multiple responsibilities within a studio environment to benefit all stages of the production pipeline. Detail-oriented and independent, yet able to work fluidly with the team. A strong desire to contribute to the artistic development of a variety of media: broadcast, web, animation and print.

Education:

Rhode Island School of Design (RISD), Providence, RI 2007
BFA Illustration with concentration in Animation

Skills:

Graphic Design/Illustration:

- text/typography and layout, covers, posters, editorials, comics, vignettes, prints, storyboards, concept design, background design

Motion Design/Animation:

- typographical presentations, animatics, logos, promo openings, abstract cuts, character animation both 2D and 3D

General 3D:

- modelling graphic to realistic figures and props, texturing, simple rigging procedures

Web:

- average understanding of HTML, CSS, Flash site creation and web design principles

Programs:

- advanced knowledge of the Adobe Suite including: Photoshop, After Effects, Flash, Dreamweaver and Illustrator, use of Trapcode Plugins like Particular and Form
- 3D expertise extends to Maya, Cinema 4D and Zbrush

Professional Experience:

Kognito Interactive March 2012- September 2012

- Animator for At-Risk Middle School and LGBTQ web courses

Rockstar Games February 2012- March 2012

- Animator/Motion Designer for in-game television

Ashong Ventures, LLC August 2011- October 2011

- Animator and Director of Derrick N. Ashong & Soulfège's music video: "Love Rain Down"

Spark Productions May 2011

- Animator/Motion Designer on Ricoh Copier's HD tradeshow presentation

MTV Networks February 2011 - March 2011

- Animator/Composer and contributed designs for Viacom Shareholders PSA

World Leaders Entertainment, Intern, Animator Jun. 2010- Jan. 2011

- Inker for Robotomy cartoon and animator/illustrator for their 2010 reel presentation
- Animator on Yahoo Mail Ad "I Quit" Commercial

Tor.com Published the months of Dec. 2009- Jan., Feb., 2010

- Illustrator for Jason Henniger's I Speak Fluent Giraffe and Lovecraftian Stories

Splashlight Studios Feb. 2010

- CG Animator and Renderer

Edgeworx, Inc. Oct. 2009

- Illustrator for pilot on the history of Albert Barnes

The Kitchen at BBDO, Junior Animator Oct. 2009 - Dec. 2009

- After Effects animation for "Save the Watts" energy campaign

Curious Pictures, Internship Oct. 2009

- Worked on animation for pilot starring Dave Attell

City Lights Media, Lead Animator and Motion Designer 2007 - 2009

- Clients include Cartoon Network, Fine Living Network, American Airlines, The Travel Channel, The History Channel, SiTV, and Walmart

Plansponsor Magazine, Art Director: SooJin Buzelli, Stamford, CT, 2006, 2007

- Published 2 editorial illustrations for the "Bells and Whistles" column.