
BENJAMIN R. FISK

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Passionate and driven animator, graphic designer, and production coordinator with comprehensive, hands on experience.

Production Skills:

ShotGrid | Excel | Scheduling | Organization Skills | CREATIVE SKILLS: Adobe Creative Suite (Photoshop, After Effects, Premiere) | Toonboom (Storyboard Pro, Harmony) \ Video Production \ Graphic Design

PROFESSIONAL EXPERIENCE

Lex And Otis | Los Angeles, CA

Production Coordinator

Aug 2022 – Mar 2023

Key Contributions:

- Organize daily shot review rounds and project meetings. Gather Executive Producer, Supervisor, and Director feedback. Track all the data on ShotGrid and follow up with Editorial, Color, or VFX departments for updated versions
- Contributed to ShotGrid functionalities. Kept daily routine episode sanity check, task management, and artist assignments.
- File management, asset tracking, and recording on ShotGrid.
- Track Director, Supervisor, and Executive Producer feedback, notes, and approvals and record data in ShotGrid.
- Prep and Delivered final approved shots Color. Assist Production with the prep of final material for ADR and Mix sessions.
- Perform QC of Supervisor and Director approved shots prior to client postings.

Lex And Otis | Los Angeles, CA

Colour Stylist

June 2021 – Apr 2022

Adapting character art into colour models in order to support mood and lighting *Key Contributions:*

- Engaged with other artists and other parts of animation pipeline to work out challenges with creative decisions
- Worked closely with production team in meeting deadlines and receiving and applying notes.
- Managed, coloured and organized over 1,500 colour models, applying notes and modifying as needed.
- Communicated daily with up to 17 members of production team

Cypher Arts & Galleries | Thousand Oaks, CA

Animation/Graphic Designer

Jul 2020 – Mar 2021

Collaborate with fellow artists to support animation production and gallery activities. *Key Contributions:*

- Designed and published a book created accompanying animated shorts which chronicle the life of a 76-year-old British Artist
- Engage a team of Artists to develop and produce advertisements for an upcoming book release, edited and composited images, created moving ads, and communicated with magazine representatives to secure ad space
- Orchestrated and executed 2 gallery shows for an Artist represented by the organization, secured transportation for paintings, set prices, and managed gallery layout

Warner Brothers Animation | Burbank, CA

Assistant Colourist

Dec 2019 – Mar 2020

Worked in Partnership with the Lead Colour Designer to create colour models for upcoming projects. *Key Contributions:*

- Engaged Production Department team members to review models and identify areas for improvement
- Managed task deadlines in conjunction with leadership, consistently delivering projects efficiently
- Completed the design and colouring of 300+ characters within 3 months

Warner Brothers Animation | Burbank, CA | May 2018 – Feb 2019

Intern, Animation

Dec 2018 – Feb 2019

Collaborated with Animation team members to develop and design a principle 2D animation character for a potential WB series

Intern, Office Assistant

May 2018 – Aug 2018

Managed daily operational tasks, including project research, monitoring the animation pipeline, and assisting talent.

EDUCATION

Bachelor of Fine Arts | Animation, Graphic Design, and Screenwriting
University of North Carolina School of the Arts | Winston-Salem, NC

May 2019