

Objective

Professional Create empathy with the audience through animation

Employment Position as a senior character animator

Skills

General Conveyance of emotions, stories and concepts through animation
Deep understanding of cinematography, staging
Open to new ideas, challenges and critique
Collaboration, taking direction
Time management, ability to meet deadlines

Technical *Animation*
Maya, XSI, Flash, 3DS Max

Postproduction
After Effects, Premiere, Flint, Combustion

Design
Photoshop, Illustrator, Dreamweaver, InDesign

Language Native German
Fluent English
Basic French

Honors & Awards

Studies Fulbright Scholarship
Marian Edna Effing Scholarship

Films *Snout*
Outstanding Animation Award at the Angelus Awards in Hollywood, USA
First place at the "Kurz & Schön" Short Film Competition in Cologne, Germany
Creative Award at the International TV Festival in Barcelona, Spain

Tobi
Adobe Systems Award at the Digital Creators Contest in Tokyo, Japan
Best Student Animation Award at the goEast Festival in Wiesbaden, Germany
Second place at the Going Underground Festival in Berlin, Germany

Snout, Tobi and Ben Nevis' Nap have been screened on numerous festivals in America, Europe, Asia and Australia

Work History

2008	Senior character animator on 'Lilly the Witch' feature at Trixter, Munich
2007	Senior character animator on 'Dragon Hunters' feature at Trixter, Munich Senior character animator on several commercials at Fiftyeight, Frankfurt
2006	Senior character animator on 'Charlie 2' and 'Donkey Xote' features at Trixter, Munich Senior character animator on several commercials at Fiftyeight, Wiesbaden
2005	Character animator on 'Urmel aus dem Eis' feature at Ambient Entertainment, Hannover
2004	Animator and character animator on 'Der kleine Eisbär 2' feature at Animationsfabrik GmbH, Hamburg
2001-2003	Animator und character animator at: Fiftyeight, Wiesbaden Kontrast Film, Mainz OktoNet, Frankfurt Institut für Medien-Gestaltung, Mainz
before 2001	Internships, Tutor position at FH Mainz

Education

2002 – 2003	Diploma and Exams at the University of Applied Sciences Mainz Diploma-Degree in Media-Design (four and a half year program) Grade of Diploma „Snout“: 1.0 *
2001 – 2002	One year at the Savannah College of Art and Design, GA, USA Average grade (GPA): 3.87
1997 – 2001	Media-Design at the University of Applied Sciences Mainz

* German grading system ranges from 1 (best) to 6 (worst)