

JULES JAMMAL

CHARACTER ANIMATOR

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OBJECTIVE Entry level character animator with a passion for animation history, and strong leadership skills seeking professional growth within a collaborative studio environment.

EXPERIENCE

INTERNSHIP:
2004 – Summer **PDI/DreamWorks – Production Management** (Char TD Dept.)
Performed a variety of administrative tasks while learning production management within the animation industry and utilized EMO for rig testing duties as assigned.

WORK EXPERIENCE:
2008 – Present **Animation Mentor – Maya Springboard Mentor** (Maya Trainer)
Teaching Maya fundamentals for character animation.
2008 – (Spring) **San Jose State University – CG Lecturer** (Maya Trainer)
Taught Maya fundamentals course on modeling, texturing, lighting, rendering, and animation basics.
2005 – 2006 **SJSU Industry Liaison**
Contacted industry pros, coordinated master classes, increased student opportunities, provided guest lecturers with positive campus interaction.

OTHER:
2007 – Present **Animation Mentor - Peer Buddy**
Provides peer to peer critiques and encouragement.

SKILLS

SOFTWARE:
Maya, Flipbook, Photoshop, Illustrator, Premiere, Quick Time Pro, Outlook, Word, Excel

TECHNICAL/ARTISTIC SKILLS:
Character Animation, Modeling, Rigging, Animatics, Editing, Production Management

EDUCATION

2006 – 2008 **Animation Mentor**
Diploma in Advanced Character Animation Studies
Focused studies in Fundamentals, Acting Techniques, and Short Film Production. Mentors from DreamWorks Animation, Sony Animation, and Reel FX.

2000 – 2006 **San Jose State University**
BFA Animation/Illustration
Acme On-air Transmissions (Apprentice Level)
Weekly discussions and critiques with animation industry pros from DreamWorks, Pixar, Disney, and Rhythm & Hues.

1992 – 2000 **De Anza College**
AA Liberal Arts | AA Film/TV: Animation Emphasis
Certificate Film/TV: Digital Animation
Master Classes: Professional seminars on story structure, traditional, digital, and stop motion animation.

AWARDS & PUBLICATION

2008 **Animation Mentor** *Most Supportive Student (Peer Nominated Award)*
2007 **Animation Mentor** *Featured Student in the Animation Mentor Newsletter*
http://www.animationmentor.com/newsletter/0108/feature_student.html
2006 **SJSU** *(Group Project) Best Short Film – “Cycle”*
2005 **Stoopid Movie** *(Group Project) *2005 Alice 3-min Grand Prix Winner Animator, Clean Up*
2005 **SJSU** *AS 55 - Associated Students Leadership Award*
1998 **De Anza** *Marty Khan Film/TV Scholarship Award*

ORGANIZATIONS

2008 – Present **SIGGRAPH** Member
2004 – 2005 **President** ShrunkenHeadMan Animation Illustration Club at SJSU
1996 – Present **ASIFA-SF** Member