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## SKILLS

### TECHNOLOGY

HTML & CSS  
Javascript  
jQuery  
D3.js  
Git Version Control  
Liquid Templating

### ANIMATION & DESIGN

Adobe CC  
After Effects, Premiere,  
Illustrator and Photoshop  
Blender  
Unreal Engine  
Maya  
DaVinci Resolve  
Final Cut Pro X  
Maxwell Render  
Vray  
Rhinoceros 5  
AutoCAD  
Cinema 4D

### MODELING & FABRICATION

Laser-cutting  
CNC Routing  
Soldering  
Drafting  
Casting

## EDUCATION

University Of Virginia • 2017 • BS Architecture & Design Thinking

Arts Mentor

*Mentored children from Venable and Burnley-Moran Elementary School*

Immersive Club

*Co-founder, Produced VR experiences for Vive and Google Cardboard*

## WORK EXPERIENCE

Video Journalist, Wall Street Journal • Washington, DC • 2018 - Present

· Animated news updates under editorial direction of Gerald Seib

Animation Fellow, The Atlantic • Washington, DC • 2017 - 2018

· Pitched, produced and animated original content for The Atlantic  
· Earned Vimeo Staff Pick for "A Visual History of Light"  
· Coded new industry facing website with CMS for Atlantic Studios  
· Developed VR content for emerging technology from Google  
· Built D3 visualization for congressional districts and gerrymandering

VR Developer, Newseum • Washington, DC • 2017

· Coordinated with VR production house, IMG  
· Edited intro and credits in Unity for NewseumVR Berlin Wall Experience  
· Learned from Pulitzer Prize winning journalist Mitch Gelman

Founder at iLab, Darden Business School • Charlottesville, VA • 2017

· Turned thesis project into incorporated business, Exemplum Studios LLC  
· Began developing VR app for training aid workers alongside GEG, UN OCHA, IRC

Intern, National Endowment for the Arts • Washington, DC • 2017

Paid Intern & Independent Contractor, Edovo • Chicago, IL • 2016

Media Consultant, University of Virginia • Charlottesville, VA • 2013-2017

· Taught courses on Adobe After Effects  
· Advised and provided support for video editing and camera use

Student Volunteer, SIGGRAPH • Los Angeles, CA • 2017

Founder, The Sitting Hun Productions • Fairfax, VA • 2012-Present

· Animated visual for Dartmouth-Hitchcock Medical Center's Greencare Pathway  
· Directed award winning music videos for Nonchabont and Inscape  
· Animated logo and produced vignettes for UVA's Vortex 2016 Competition  
· Animated intro for web series used in medical schools, called "Deliberations"  
· Edited/animated for the viral video #Mipsterz

Animator/Filmmaker, Green Willow Games • Charlottesville, VA • 2015-2016

· Produced video for Gray Skies, Dark Waters Kickstarter Campaign, raised \$2,404  
· Animated ending cutscenes and menu for Gray Skies, Dark Waters

## AWARDS

Vimeo Staff Pick • Official Selection • 2018

Darden Business School's iLab • Grant Funding • 2017

TEDx at the University of Virginia • Selected Speaker • 2017

Entrepreneurship Cup, University of Virginia • Investment Funding • 2016

Digital Arts Fellowship, University of Virginia • Fellowship • 2016

Social Entrepreneurship at UVA • Scholarship • 2016

Virginia Student Film Festival • Best Music Video • 2015

Fall of the Wall Arts Contest, University of Virginia • Finalist Prize • 2014

Virginia Student Film Festival • Audience Choice • 2013

UVA Digital Talent Show • Grand Prize • 2013

James Madison University Physics Video Contest • Grand Prize • 2012