

## Knowledge

### Expert Software Knowledge

Maxon Cinema 4d, Adobe Photoshop, Adobe After Effects, Adobe Illustrator

### Other Software Knowledge

Final Cut Pro, Adobe Premiere, Autodesk Maya, Autodesk 3ds Max, Adobe Flash, DVD Studio Pro, Autodesk Combustion, Painter, Toonz

### Traditional Media Skills

Understanding of lighting and manual camera settings for photography. Strong drawing skills. Traditional training in the use of watercolor, acrylic, and oil paints. Experience with water, oil, and polymer-based clays, glazing techniques, and stop-motion animation. Lampworking with soda-lime glass.

## Experience

- 2007-Present**    **Freelance Motion Graphics Artist, Troika Design Group, Los Angeles, CA**  
2d typography animation.
- Freelance Motion Graphics Artist, Friends of Mine, Denver, CO**  
Compositing, 3d modeling, lighting, and animation, stop-motion animation.
- Freelance Motion Graphics Artist, Futuristic Films, Denver, CO**  
Design, storyboarding, compositing, 2d hand-drawn animation, 3d modeling, lighting, and animation, effects-related consulting for a live action shoot, practical effects planning and shooting.
- Freelance Motion Graphics Artist, Impossible Pictures, Denver, CO**  
Design, storyboarding, compositing, 3d animation.
- Freelance Motion Graphics Artist, Post Modern Company, Denver, CO**  
Design, storyboarding, compositing, 2d hand-drawn animation, 3d animation.
- Freelance Motion Graphics Artist, Spillt, Agency of Design, Denver, CO**  
Design, storyboarding, 3d modeling, lighting, and animation, stop-motion animation, 2d "cut-out" style animation in After Effects.
- Freelance Motion Graphics Artist, New Frontier Media, Boulder, CO**  
Logo design, character design, 3d modeling, rigging, texturing, and animation, effects-related consulting for a live action shoot, practical effects planning and shooting.
- 2003-2006**    **Graphic Artist, New Frontier Media, Boulder, CO**  
Motion graphics design & compositing.  
3d modeling, rigging, texturing, lighting, animation, render farm maintenance.  
Print design for magazines, clothing, e-mail, and signage.  
Logo design, photo re-touching.
- 2002**    **Freelance Character Animator, Monarca Productions, Denver, CO**  
Animation of a main character for sequences of Monarca's short CG film.  
3d lighting & modeling.
- 2001**    **Freelance Illustrator, The Kentwood Company, Denver, CO**  
Caricature-style illustration using ink and watercolor for ad placement published in *Westword* news.

- Education**    B.A., Media Arts & Animation  
Art Institute of Colorado  
Denver, CO

## Awards & Activities

- 2007**      **FIAE Official Selection**  
International Festival of Erotic Animation  
Project: Always in Good Taste
- 2006**      **BDA North America Gold Award (for TEN)**  
Category: General Entertainment, In-House  
Award: Art Direction & Design - Interstitial  
Project: Happy Endings Block ID  
Contributions: Co-design, Concept, Animation
- BDA North America Gold Award (for TEN)**  
Category: General Entertainment, In-House  
Award: Informational Graphics  
Project: Tonight on TEN  
Contributions: Co-design, Concept, Animation
- BDA North America Silver Award (for TEN)**  
Category: Total Package Design  
Award: Image - On-Air  
Project: TEN Graphics Package  
Contributions: Co-design, Animation
- BDA North America Silver Award (for TEN)**  
Category: Total Package Design  
Award: Image - On-Air  
Project: TEN Blue Graphics Package  
Contributions: Co-design, Animation
- BDA North America Bronze Award (for TEN)**  
Category: General Entertainment, In-House  
Award: Art Direction & Design - Image Promo  
Project: 2005 New Look Launch  
Contributions: Co-design, Animation
- 2005**      **Promax North America Gold Award (for TEN)**  
Category: Broadcast Networks  
Award: ID  
Project: Always In Good Taste  
Contributions: Concept, Animation
- Promax North America Gold Award (for TEN)**  
Category: Broadcast Networks  
Award: Non-Promotional Animation  
Project: Always In Good Taste  
Contributions: Concept, Animation
- Promax/BDA 2005 Attendee**
- 2002**      **Outstanding Achievement Award for Portfolio**  
Art Institute of Colorado
- Best Video Production**  
Art Institute of Colorado  
Quarterly Animation & Video Showcase
- Alpha Beta Kappa Honor Society Membership**
- SIGGRAPH 2002 Attendee**