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Qualifications

- Visual effects artist on six films nominated for an Academy Award in Visual Effects: "Stuart Little", "The Chronicles of Narnia: The Lion, the Witch and the Wardrobe", "Hollow Man", "Spider-Man", "Shark Tale", and "Monster House"
- Extensive feature film experience in visual effects; particles effects, smoke, fire, water, sand, explosions, lightning, debris, fluid simulation, dynamics, custom effects
- Over a decade creating effects animation with Houdini, Maya, Renderman, SoftImage XSI
- Experience with Nuke, Katana, FCP, scripting in MEL, VEX, Perl, Python.
- Member of the Visual Effects Society (VES)

Feature Film Experience

Sony Pictures Imageworks:

<i>The Amazing Spider-Man</i>	FX Artist (webs, destruction, dust, breaking glass)
<i>Arthur Christmas</i>	FX Artist (dust, magic dust)
<i>Green Lantern</i>	FX Artist (Battery Beam, ring beams, Parallax Venom)
<i>G-Force</i>	FX Artist (debris, dust, breaking glass)
<i>Valkyrie</i>	FX Artist (Hitler assassination explosion)
<i>Hancock</i>	FX Artist (destruction, debris)
<i>The ChubbChubbs Save Xmas</i>	Voice Actor (ChubbChubbs)
<i>I Am Legend</i>	FX Artist (explosions)
<i>Spider-Man 3</i>	Effects Animation Lead (SandMan effects, Glider fx)
<i>Monster House</i>	FX Artist (Constance' "Spirit Cloud" at end)
<i>Ghost Rider</i>	FX Animator (Smoke effects)
<i>The Chronicles of Narnia: The Lion, the Witch and the Wardrobe</i>	FX artist (Water, Ice)
<i>The ChubbChubbs!</i>	Screenwriter, voice actor of title characters
<i>Spider-Man</i>	Lead FX Animator (Goblin Glider Smoke)
<i>Hollow Man</i>	FX Animation Lead (Muscle fibers transformations)
<i>The Astronaut's Wife</i>	FX Artist (lightning/goop alien)
<i>Random Hearts</i>	CGI artist (CGI Airplane)
<i>Stuart Little</i>	CGI Lighting Artist (mouse brushing teeth, gargling shots)

Stan Winston Studios:

<i>Fantastic Four</i>	Lead FX Artist (Invisibility and force field effects)
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DreamWorks Feature Animation:

<i>Shark Tale</i>	FX animator (Lava Lamps, water bubbles, ripples)
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Rhythm & Hues studios:

<i>Knight & Day</i>	Visual effects artist (destruction, explosions)
<i>The Cat In The Hat</i>	Visual effects artist (lightning)
<i>X2:X-Men United</i>	Visual effects artist (water, foam)
<i>Daredevil</i>	Visual effects artist ("shadow world" effects)

Digital Domain:

Star Trek: Nemesis FX animator (debris, ending explosion effects)
The Day After Tomorrow FX animator (CGI snowy landscape tests)

Pentafour Studios:

Sinbad: Beyond the Veil of Mists Screenwriter, background voices

Walt Disney Feature Animation:

Tarzan Technical Director (CGI water, look development)
Dinosaur Scratch voice actor
Hercules Look Development, CG lighting (Hydra)

Education

Master of Science & Bachelor of Science degrees, The Ohio State University
 Majored in Computer Science, specialization in computer graphics, minor in Philosophy.

Screenwriting Awards/Nominations

Screenwriter of Academy Award-winning animated short “*The Chubbchubbs!*”
 Nominated for a B.A.F.T.A. for writing “*The Chubbchubbs!*”
 Wrote screenplay to “*Sinbad: Beyond the Veil of Mists*” (Trimark, 2000)
 Second Place, *Scr(i)pt Magazine* Open Door screenwriting contest
 Second Place, *Creative Screenwriting* magazine’s *AAA Screenplay Contest*
 Finalist, *New Jersey International Film & Screenplay Festival*
 Finalist, *Century City Screenplay Festival*

Screenwriting, Pitching, Story Development & Voice acting

Pitched, wrote screenplay and provided voices for *The ChubbChubbs!*
 Wrote screenplay and performed voices in *Sinbad: Beyond the Veil of Mists*
 Performed scratch voice for character of Kron in Disney’s *Dinosaur*.
 Pitched feature film ideas to Disney, Sony Pictures Animation & DreamWorks

Previous work:**Animator and co-founder, Jamination Animation, Inc.**

Created scoreboard animations for basketball, hockey and football stadiums around the U.S.: Madison Square Garden, NY Yankees, Chicago Bulls, others.

Animator & Manager of Ohio State University Scoreboard Staff

Created animations for matrix scoreboards in football stadium & basketball arena.
 Created animation ideas, gags, pitched animation ideas to sponsors.