Objective

To constantly challenge myself through solving complex visual and technical problems while contributing a strong positive mental attitude and work ethic to any environment.

Education

Savannah College of Art and Design, Savannah, GA (2006-2010) Bachelor of Fine Arts in Visual Effects, Minor in Technical Direction Summa Cum Laude Dean's List 2006-2010

Antigua/Barbuda International Institute of Technology, Antigua, W.I (2002-2004)

Associate Degree Program - Computer Programming

Skillset

- Autodesk Maya/MEL
- SideFX Houdini
- Pixar RenderMan
- Python
- UNIX/LINUX Shell Scripting

- C+
- Houdini Vector Expression Language (VEX)
- Nuke
- HTML 5

Work Experience

Weta Digital - FX TD/Effects Developer (October 2015 - Present)

- The BFG (Big Friendly Giant)
- Pipeline

ReelFX - Sr. Effects Artist/Effects Developer (April 2013 - October 2015)

- Book of Life
- Rock Dog

DreamWorks Animation - Effects Artist/Effects Developer (September 2010 - April 2013)

- How To Train Your Dragon Gift of the Night Fury
- Madagascar 3
- Rise of the Guardians
- Turbo

Savannah College of Art and Design - Visual Effects Tutor (September 2009 - September 2010) I tutored students in Surfacing, Technical Effects, Compositing, Lighting and Programming Concepts

SideFX Toronto - Effects Artist (December 2009 – March 20th 2010)

Worked as a technical effects intern evaluating custom solvers for Houdini, as well as designing data visualization solutions and executing complex effects.

Dreamerz Studio - Self-Employed (2003-2006)

2d Graphics, Web/Flash dev.

Awards/Publications

- 2014 42nd Annual Annie Awards Nomination Outstanding Achievement, Animated Effects in an Animated Production
- 2011 DreamWorks FX Challenge Graduate
- 2010 Student Work featured in Sidefx Houdini 2010 Demo Reel
 2010 SCAD VSFX Departmental Awards Best Individual VSFX Project Kindred Dance
 2010 SCAD Award for Outstanding Achievement in Visual Effects (Undergraduate)
- 2009 Winner of Pixar's Stupid RenderMan Tricks (Siggraph 2009)
- 2008 "Who's Who Amongst Students in American Colleges and Universities"
- 2001 CXC Award for Top Academic Achievement in Visual Arts
- 1999 Award of Excellence, Bank of Antigua