

# **Objective**

To work as an animator, illustrator or storyboard artist, and to collaborate with like-minded, talented artists for the most compelling entertainment possible.

# **Skillset**

- -Project Management (Overseeing a small team of animators.)
- -Budgeting.
- -Invoicing.
- -Time Management.

# -Traditional Art

Watercolor, Acrylic, Pencil, Paper, Graphite, Colored Pencil, Ink, Marker.

Toon Boom Animation Pro/ Harmony Premium, Adobe Animate/Flash CC 2019, Photoshop 2019 CC, Premiere 2019 CC, After Effects CC 2019, Illustrator CC

# **Work Experience**

Illustrator, Editor, Writer Feb. 2018-present

321 Fast Draw, Inc. Chicago, IL

-Creates concepts, Manages interns & animators, Writes voice-over scripts, Illustrates animation assets, Animates in Premiere and/or After Effects.

Oct. 2017-present

Self-Employed, Chicago, IL

-Creates custom commissions for clients in the private sector. Deliverables include: Holiday Cards, Birthday Cards, specialty portraits, and other artwork for noncommercial use.

Animator Mar. 2017-present

LEEP Forward, Inc, Chicago, IL

-Working in Toon Boom Harmony to animate the "LEEP Forward" intro video for their webpage. www.leepforward.com.

Storyboard Artist Feb. 2017-present

Thomas Deshays, New York, NY

-Storyboarding an unproduced animated sequences for "GEANT."

Feb. 2017-present Animator

Klique Creative, Naperville, IL

-Works with Toon Boom Harmony software to animate "ACTIO Learning" training video.

www.kliquecreative.com

Oct. 2016-present Artist

p3 mediaworks, Chicago, IL

-Illustrates storyboards for commercials, Retouches photographs, Works primarily in Photoshop. www.p3mediaworks.com

Caricature Artist / Animator Aug. 2016-present

Urban Autism Solutions, Chicago, IL

-Caricatures staff for the foundation's webpage, Animates for their videos.

www.urbanautismsolutions.com

Storyboard Artist / Animator Apr. 2016-July 2016

Calabash Animation, Inc. Chicago, IL / U.S. Soccer

Tobin Heath: Field of Dreams | WNT Animated.

-Animating and assisting in a series of videos for the US Women's Soccer Team.

Jan. 2016-Feb.2016 Character Design (Additional)

Columbia College Chicago, Chicago, IL

-Providing additional character design for "The Butterfly Lady" by Brittany Adams Yee, currently in production.

Storyboard Intern Oct. 2015-present

Animated Storyboards, Ltd. Chicago, IL

-Creating sketch-boards and full-color storyboards from scripts.

# **Education**

Bachelor's in Film & Animation Sept. 2012-April 2014

Columbia College Chicago, Chicago, IL

Graduated with a 3.978 GPA

**Bachelor's of Fine Arts in Illustration** Sept. 2009-April 2012

The American Academy of Art, Chicago, IL Graduated with a 3.5 GPA

Bradley University, Peoria, IL Sept. 2008-April 2009

Concentration in Drawing