

Curriculum Vitae

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Personal Information

Name: Oliver Summa
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Objective

I am seeking a position as a Lighting Technical Director to utilize my skills and abilities to help assisting and improving the production in the studio.

Work Experience

Company	From	To	As
Lucasfilm Animation Singapore	06/2008	Present	Assistant Technical Director (Clone Wars TV Animation)
Bayerischer Rundfunk Studio Franken	09/2007	05/2008	Broadcasting Technician
Bayerischer Rundfunk Studio Franken	01/1996	08/2007	Dolly and Crane-Operator, Lighting Department, Grip, Stage Setting, EB Assistant and Cabling
Freelance	01/2002	05/2008	My freelance work comprises 3D modelling and animation, video shooting and CD/DVD Production, coding for the web (HTML, CSS, Javascript, PHP, Actionscript).
The Mill London	02/2007	02/2007	Intern in the post-production house and got involved with the "Comfort" animated campaign.

Current Work

As Assistant Technical Director at Lucasfilm for the Clone Wars TV Show, I am making sure that the pipeline is running smoothly and efficiently. It comprises such tasks as:

- Assisting various departments and artists (Animation, Lighting, Compositing)
- Modifying Assets to suit the requirements for the show (Model, Shading and UV)
- Write scripts to improve workflow
- Working with the software team to enhance the TV pipeline
- Lighting and finalizing shots

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Releases

- Featured Video Tutorial on 3DBuzz “Techniques from the Masters – Intro to Matchmoving”

Education

- 2006 - Completed course “Mastering Maya: Advanced Modeling” at 3DBuzz.com.
- 2005 - Completed course “Mastering Maya: The Fundamentals” at 3DBuzz.com.
- 2003 - Graduated in the field of computer science at the Friedrich-Alexander university in Erlangen. Written papers include (“Automatic knotplacement for NURBS with genetic algorithm” in C , “Development of a GUI for GeLog-System” in tcl,Tk)

Skills

Software	Level
Maya	Good
Shake, Photoshop, Premiere Pro, Encore DVD, Toxik	Intermediate
After Effects, SideFX Houdini	Basic
Coding	
HTML, CSS, PHP, MySQL	Good
C,C++, Tcl, Tk	Intermediate
MEL	Intermediate
Python	Basic

Interests

- Computer Graphics
- Movies
- Games
- Travelling
- Sports (Football, Golf, Basketball, Running)
- Trekking

Languages

- German (native)
- English (good)
- French (intermediate)
- Spanish (basic)