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## **Experience**

**Exceptional Minds**                      2018 - 2020  
Numerous Projects - Supervising Animation Director

Working with artists on the Autistic spectrum using Adobe Animate and the Toon Boom suite, I storyboarded, designed, produced and directed many projects such as, interstitials, series intros, shorts, promos and series pilots. Just a few of those projects were the Special Olympics, Steve Martin's 'Cruel Shoes' and an animated version of the international comics series "One of those Days". I specialize in Storyboards, Character Designs, Turnarounds, Cleanup and 2D Animation

**Dreamworks TV**                              2013 - 2017  
"Gorillaville" web series - Creator/Show Runner/Director/Producer/Writer/Character Designer/Storyboard Artist/Voice.

**TBS**    2016  
"Sinder" short - Character Designer/Storyboard Artist/Voice Actor/Animator

**Nerdist Industries**                      2014 - 2015  
"All your Base" music video – Director  
"Fake Spoilers: Star Wars edition" web series - Storyboard Artist/Character Designer/Animator

**Machinima**                                      2013  
"Media Overload" web series – Writer/Storyboard Artist/Character Designer/Animator/Voice on "the Holodeck".

**Funny or Die**                                      2012 - 2013  
"Funny or Die Exclusive" web series:  
'Obama Romney Rap Battle' – Animator/Character Designer/Voice  
'Ode to Jeff Goldblum'. - Storyboard Artist/Character Designer/Animator

**Yahoo**    2011- 2013  
"Sketchy" web series – Producer/Director/Writer/Storyboard Artist/Voice Actor/ Puppeteer/Animation Supervisor on many sketches and shorts for this show, including the viral hit "Disney/Star Wars Corporate Retreat".

**Bento Box Entertainment**              2011  
"Allen Gregory" TV series – Character Animator

**Wayforward Technologies Inc.**      2000 – 2010  
"Batman: the Brave and the Bold" Nintendo Wii Game – Character Animator  
"Cassi: Earth Girl on Campus" web series - Character Animator/Voice Actor

**Disney Consumer Products**          2009  
"Toy Story Math workbook" - Layout Artist

**Cosmic Toast**                                      2007- 2009  
"Slangman's World" TV series - Lead Animator/Character Designer/Storyboard Artist

**Education**  
Syracuse University –                      BFA Film Art 1998  
California Institute of the Arts - BFA Character Animation 2003

**Awards and Honors**  
Yahoo Short "Disney/Star Wars Corporate Retreat" won Best Narrative Short at Animation Block Party 2013  
Short Film "Doggie Door" won the Animation Category at 'Dogfest International Film Festival' 2005  
Short Film "Doggie Door" aired on TV as part of the Nicktoons Film Festival 2004  
Short Film "Natie the Pirate" won the 'Golden Flamingo' 1st prize at Miami Animation Festival 1999  
Short Film "Natie the Pirate" won Bronze Award World Fest Houston, and World Fest Flagstaff 1999

**Software:** Adobe Creative Suite, Toon Boom: Storyboard Pro, Harmony.

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