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Storyboard artist with over five years' worth of experience communicating with clients and companies to bring their visions to life. Looking to use my skills in illustration to work with others in new and established pre-production projects with the goal of keeping it engaging, consistent and fun for the audience.

PROGRAMS & SKILLS

Adobe Creative Cloud (Animate/Flash, Photoshop, Illustrator, Premiere Pro), Toon Boom Storyboard Pro, Photo Editing, Digital Illustration, 2D Animation, Digital Animation, 2D Traditional Animation, Storyboarding, Storyboard Revision, Character and Scenario Illustration, Shot Composition, Video Editing, Screenwriting, HTML & CSS, Cinematography.

WORK EXPERIENCE

Storyboard Artist

Cortez Brothers

May 2021 – Apr. 2022

Remote - Los Angeles, CA

- Consistently illustrated 100+ storyboard panels under the direction of filmmaker Jerome Kruijn, along with completing several storyboard revisions.
- Visualized specific camera and shot movements in several sequential panels; storyboard panels were used during production as key reference to ensure quality footage at the location in Walt Disney Studios' Golden Oak Ranch.

Rental Property Manager

Carol One Stop Shop

Sept. 2018 – Present

Toronto, ON

- Vetted tenants to occupy vacant housing, increasing monthly revenue by 57%.
- Handled in-person applications and documents for potential tenants and communicated to them about their questions regarding the quality of life in the area.

Storyboard Artist / Animator

Mad Ruk Entertainment

Aug. 2016 – March 2017

Toronto, ON

- Animated text graphics in employee training video for Rogers Communications Inc. Employee video increased productivity at the company by 305%.
- Animated several graphics for Miles Savage's Google Adweek presentation 'How Mobile is Changing Canadian's Expectations'.
- Storyboarded a motion-capture based music video for the musical group Torro Torro; illustrated ruined buildings, monsters and conflict scenes.

Storyboard Artist Intern

Studio Tendril

Dec. 2016 – Oct. 2016

Toronto, ON

- Presented storyboard assignments for a short narrative-based animatic, incorporating feedback to storyboard revisions under the supervision of the studio lead.
- Experienced an understanding of studio environment workflows on projects for advertising and other media properties.

PROJECTS

'Black Futures' Cadillac Escalade'

Car Commercial Featuring Killer Mike & Shana Render

April. 2022

Toronto, ON

- Illustrated storyboards for a commercial introducing Cadillac's new Escalade 2023 luxury SUV, starring Grammy award-winning rapper Killer Mike of Outkast & Run The Jewels fame.
- Boards were used as visual-aides for VFX artists to paint a futuristic cyberpunk-styled Atlanta City for the stars to drive across.

'Honda Summer Sales Event'

Car Commercial Directed By Jerome Kruijn

April 2021 – Oct. 2021

Toronto, ON

- Storyboarded panels with emphasis on camera movement on various "Honda"-brand cars driving through different settings and locations such as a city road, residential areas and a mountainous off-road path.
- Participated in a meeting with director and client during pre-production, suggesting ways to best show the vision intended for the ad spot by troubleshooting budget restraints and blocking out scene transitions.

'The Words She Spoke to Me'

Biographical Animated Documentary Profile, Featuring Actor and Activist Tantoo Cardinal

Aug. 2016 – March 2017

Toronto, ON

- Storyboarded, scripted, produced, video edited, and took creative direction for the documentary during production.
- Personally interviewed and filmed Tantoo Cardinal of 'Dances with wolves' fame at 'The Alliance of Canadian Cinema, Television and Radio Artists' (ACTRA) downtown Toronto location.
- Presented in front of an audience during a documentary screening, explaining the behind-the-scenes and responsibilities for the documentary.