

GREGORY HOPKINS HUMES

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SUMMARY OF EXPERIENCE

- ◆ Animator, Illustrator, Multimedia Producer, and lifelong Artist with 8 yrs. experience designing and producing rich media educational health and science content for CD-ROM, Intranet, and WWW.
- ◆ Extensive experience in 3D/2D illustration & animation, A/V editing, graphic design (GUI, web, print), using standard industry software on Windows & Mac
- ◆ Proven ability to provide creative ideas, and utilize strong artistic and design skills, to communicate corporate objectives in a timely and cost effective manner
- ◆ 11+ years excellent record of customer service skills and client/vendor relations

TECHNICAL SKILLS

- ◆ Software proficiency with Adobe PhotoShop, Illustrator, Premiere, Flash, 3D Studio Max, Microsoft Office (Word, Powerpoint), Matrox Digsuite/Speed Razor
- ◆ User-friendly with Strata StudioPro 3D, Macromedia Director, Dreamweaver, DeBabelizer, Adobe After Effects, ImageReady, Audacity, Flash action scripting, Media Cleaner, Nero, & Toast
- ◆ Experience with 2D/3D animation techniques, 3D modeling, Web and Print Design
- ◆ Superior skills with concept art, painting, storyboarding, pen & ink illustration
- ◆ Experience with CD-ROM production: concept, development, mastering, burning, testing; package design for CD and DVD
- ◆ Experience in video and TV production & post-production, non-linear DV editing, CG effects, & teleprompting

PROFESSIONAL EXPERIENCE

APEX LEARNING Inc., Seattle, WA

MULTIMEDIA DESIGNER, 2006 - present

Designing and creating instructive animations and graphics for extensive online education

- asset creation using Flash, PhotoShop, Illustrator, Audacity, and proprietary database
- asset cataloguing, photo research

Freelance Graphic Designer, 2006 - Yorktown Caps: T-shirt and cap designs

2005 - All Weather Refrigeration: Logo design consult

Freelance DV editor, 2005: "A Polarbear Adventure," 23 min. live footage

RE-MARKS Inc., Seattle, WA

Temp Production, 2005 - Assembly and production of various bookmark designs and catalogues.

VIDEODISCOVERY Inc., Seattle, WA

ART DIRECTOR/ASSOCIATE MULTIMEDIA PRODUCER, 1997 - 2004

Responsible for designing, creating, editing and integrating video, animation, digital 2D/3D & print graphics. Managed workflow in fast-paced environment, for education corporation. Co-produced over 16 shipped titles, NASA, NSF and NIH grants, and converted older titles for cross-platform CD-ROM, WWW, and network delivery.

- Art Director, lead graphics designer and video editor for 18 title Health Sleuth CD-ROM series on Health education, including: video capture, compositing, compression, audio sweetening, 3D/2D animation, interface design, graphics creation and packaging design; also encoded for streaming video and WWW compatibility
- Extensive digitization of analog graphics and video for CD-ROM and WWW, including video capture, encoding, optimization; graphic scanning and color correction; Paradox and Access database cataloging and updating; Asset back-up and archiving
- Created over 1000 instructive graphics, including: medical illustration, informational charts, diagrams, Powerpoint presentations and cartoons
- Created extensive web graphics and website designs
- Producer and designer of over 16 shipped CD-ROM titles; managed all phases of development, through mastering, testing, and marketing
- Diverse in areas of photo research, contract negotiation, video shoot production, acting (a little), lighting, teleprompting, writing, script and copy editing
- Producer and designer of all print materials (2001-2004); developing and creating corporate identity, product logos, collateral, and package design
- Contributed to sales, customer support, public relations, and marketing

Canoe & Kayak Magazine, Kirkland, WA

Design Intern - 7 months 1997

Trained in the publication process for full color magazine.

- Illustrated geographical maps, graphics, and diagrams
- Work with Art Director on magazine and newsletter lay-out
- Work with Sales Department, designing and placing ads
- Freelance Illustration Artist, post-internship

Swedish Hospital Medical Center

Surgical Supply Specialist - 2005

Senior Auxillary Technician/Pharmacy Tech 2 - 1988 - 1996

Extensive experience ordering surgical supply materials, instrument

Care and assembly; AIDS and cancer patient home health, pharmaceutical and infusion supply delivery to patient's homes

EDUCATION

Certificate: 3D Game Animation Certificate, University of Washington Extension, 2006

AA: Multimedia, Shoreline Community College

Dean's List, 3.9 GPA Major

BA: Visual Arts, (Graphic Design) Seattle Pacific University

Honor Roll

Additional:

University of Washington (3+ years): Art and Art History major

Seattle Academy of Fine Art