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Storyboard Artist

I am a creative storyboard artist with a love for bringing characters to life. From wandering kings in vast landscapes to cheerful creatures singing, I draw the compositions that tell beautiful stories. I am looking for a studio where I can grow in experience and develop my storytelling ability.

Experience

- Nov 2018 - present Storyboard Artist | **Tiger Aspect Productions**
Sole artist on an 11 minute pilot episode for a children's animated series
- Mar, Sep 2018 Storyboard Artist | **Vermillion Films**
Drew storyboards for AGCO and Beasts of Balance commercials
- Jan - Feb 2018 Storyboard Artist | **Fellowship Film** | *Quest for the Silver Pearl*
Storyboarded sequences for this live action family adventure feature
- Nov 2017 - Feb 2018 Storyboard Artist | **David Freedman** | *Unstable*
Drew and edited animatics for two musical sequences for this animated feature
- Sep - Dec 2017 Storyboard Artist and Character Designer | **Spiked Productions** | *Spiked*
Drew beat boards and created a teaser animatic for this animated feature
- Jul 2015 - Mar 2017 Storyboard and Concept Artist | **Fellowship Film** | *The Gaelic King (2017)*
Storyboarded action sequences and designed characters for this live action feature
- Jul - Sep 2016 Trainee Story Artist | **Sony Pictures Animation/Animation Centrifuge**
As part of a group, boarded a short film directed by Dave Feiss
- Feb, July 2016 2D Animator | **Interference Pattern**, Edinburgh, UK
Animated and designed backgrounds for a Scottish Government video campaign
- Mar - May 2015 Illustrator/Animator | **Trinity Digital** | *Knox (2015)*
Animated scenes for a BAFTA Scotland New Talent Award-nominated documentary
- Jan - Feb 2015 Trainee 3D Animator | **Aardman Animations**, Bristol, UK
With mentorship, animated on a commercial and a personal project

Education

- Sep - Dec 2014 | Certificate in Character Animation | **NFTS/Aardman**
- Apr 2013 - May 2014 | Diploma in Classical Animation | **Vancouver Film School**
- 2007 - 2010 | BA (Hons) Media Production | **Northumbria University**