

JARVIS BROWN

Technical Artist II

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SUMMARY

Experienced Technical Artist II, Animator, and adept Designer, I have consistently driven innovation in educational learning solutions. Presently, I am enhancing my skill set through ongoing studies, with a focus on expanding my capabilities and contributing to the dynamic field of web development.

WORK EXPERIENCE

Technical Artist II

12/22 - Present

Animator

01/18 - 12/22

Ascend Learning | New York, NY

Ascend Learning innovates cutting-edge online learning solutions that empower individuals to enter, excel, and thrive in professions such as first responders, personal trainers, nursing, and other careers.

- Optimized technical animation pipelines, ensuring the efficient delivery of high-quality animations. Measured by improved collaboration with cross-functional teams.
- Produced character animations in Blender for educational conversation simulation apps on mobile, tablet, and web platforms, contributing to engaging learning experiences.
- Researched and accurately animated characters depicting mental and physical health conditions, enhancing visual representation and educational value.
- Collaborated seamlessly with Developers, QA, Project Management, Design, and Animation teams, playing a key role in realizing dynamic characters and design for projects.
- Engaged in agile development practices, consistently achieving high closure and resolution rates, and enhancing overall project efficiency.
- Leveraged scripts within utility frameworks in Unity to streamline processes and optimize workflow.
- Create design asset libraries in Adobe Illustrator and implement them into Unity, streamlining the design-to-development workflow.
- Debug and improve issues found in projects, ensuring smooth project functionality and enhancing user experience.

Animation Teacher

08/17 - 01/18

Xposure Foundation Inc | Brooklyn, NY

- Inspired creative thinking by teaching animation techniques to middle school students, fostering imagination and original storytelling.
- Equipped students with proficiency in industry-standard animation software, such as Adobe Creative Suite and Autodesk Maya, enhancing their technical skills.
- Tailored instruction to cater to diverse learning styles, creating an inclusive and practical learning experience.
- Developed lesson plans that encouraged critical thinking and problem-solving, enabling students to analyze animation processes and refine their work autonomously.
- Cultivated collaboration and teamwork through group projects and discussions, enhancing students' communication skills and ability to learn from peers.

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PROJECTS

UI Designer	11/22 - 01/23
Donate Green	
<ul style="list-style-type: none">Working with a developer to create a tool that helps users discover and support environmental non-profit organizations through donationsResearched competitive apps to view flaws and missing components to create a stronger designCrafted the app's user interface and visual style guide	
UI/UX Designer	09/20 - 11/20
Fit For You	
<ul style="list-style-type: none">Developed a fitness-centric iOS and Android solution to demonstrate the need to exercise from home during Covid-19 lockdownsDesigned wireframes and prototypes for usability testing	

CERTIFICATIONS

Full-Stack Development	03/23 - 12/23
Coding Dojo Online	
UI Design Certificate	05/20 - 02/21
CareerFoundry Online	

EDUCATION

Masters in Fine Arts, Animation and VFX	11/11 - 11/14
Academy of Arts San Francisco, CA	
Bachelors in the Arts, Media Arts and Animation	11/06 - 11/10
Illinois Institute of Art Chicago, Illinois	

SKILLS

PLATFORMS	Jira Confluence Microsoft Teams Slack Tortise Github Alfresco Sharepoint Tempus
SKILLS	Web Development HTML CSS Javascript Python MySQL User Experience Design
	User Interface Design User Research Usability Testing Prototyping Wireframes
	Storyboarding Illustration 2D/3D Animation Blender Maya Unity Cinema 4D
	Adobe Creative Cloud