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I am an award-winning, focused, enthusiastic and professionally minded animator specialising in 2D Animation. I am also skilled at Cinema 4D, Motion Graphics, Illustration digitally and traditionally, Stop-Motion, Rostrum Animation, Character Design, Concept Art and Graphic Design.

I will be delighted to offer my skills and creativity in these areas and look forward to exploring and expanding my knowledge further.

# **EDUCATION**

2017 - 2020 [London College of Communication (UAL), UK] BA (Hons) Animation (First Class Honours)

2016 - 2017 [Central Saint Martins (UAL), UK] Foundation Diploma in Graphic Design (Distinction)

## SKILLS

#### Language:

Korean (Native Speaker), English (Fluent)

#### IT Skills:

Adobe Illustrator / Photoshop / InDesign/ After Effects (DUIK Bassel) / Animate / Premiere Pro / Media Encoder / Audition / Clip Studio Paint / Dragonframe / TV Paint / Toon Boom Harmony / Cinema 4D (RedShift, OctaneRender & RealFlow) / Blender / Jitter / Avid / Vizrt / Figma / Garage Band

# **EXPERIENCE**

Sept 2024 - Present ITV News (ITN) Motion Graphic Designer London, UK

- Create graphic animations for ITV Lunchtime News, Evening News, News at Ten, London and ITVX.
- Made branding graphics for The UEFA EURO and The Championships Wimbledon 2024: sting, background loops, fixture, table and two-way box graphics. They were broadcast on ITV National and Regional News and Digital Hub.
- Participated in the General Election 2024 event: created a graphic showing the map of all London constituencies for ITV News London GE24 Day 2 programme.

ITV News (ITN) Nov 2022 - Sept 2024 Junior Motion Graphic Designer London, UK April 2023 - Aug 2023 The People Theatre Company 2D Animator Surrey, UK

- Remotely worked as a volunteer animator and created an intro animation to promote their play, I Spy With My Little Eye. I worked closely with the artistic director to oversee the production.
- Animated all characters and backgrounds, composited the video and soundtracks.

May 2022 - Nov 2022 Arcadia Content Artist / Illustrator London, UK

- Remotely worked as a volunteer illustrator for a nonprofit organisation, Arcadia. I had to produce two illustrations weekly so they could share the work on their social media. They provided two topics for me to illustrate each week.
- Created a short motion graphic animation for one of their articles.
- Designed graphic templates for their Instagram posts and a character for Arcadia's Brand Ambassador, Shiro.

Nov 2021 (Commission) JEMINN - Winter Is Coming Album Cover Designer

- Designed and illustrated the album cover for the Korean music artist JEMINN's single album, Winter Is Coming.
- Music is published on YouTube, NaverVIBE and Melon, with the album cover streamed over 80000 on YouTube.

Nov 2018 - April 2019 Barbican Box Life Rewired **Director & Animator** 

- Made 30 animations containing 5 to 10 second loops for the Barbican's Box Life Rewired concert. The theme was a relationship between the human and technology, and how it provoked certain emotions - joy, anger, fear, sadness, love. Initially, we were given a specific colour to use (green) and then the team was able to choose two more colours (pink and blue).
- Directed three group members. Designed the overall visual concept for the theme, which was reacting to the internet based on the five emotions that the Barbican Centre had given me. They were animated with simple geometric shapes.

# **COMPETITIONS & FESTIVALS**

## POSITIVME:

Big Spring Film Festival (Texas, US)

Selected for the festival

London Independent Film Awards (London, UK)

Winner Best Animation Short Student Award, February 2020

IndieFEST Film Awards (San Diego, US)

Winner Awards of Merit Animation (Student)

Tokyo Lift-Off Film Festival (Tokyo, Japan)

Selected for the festival

Lift-Off Showcase Extravaganza (Iver Heath, UK)

Selected for the festival

Paris Short Film Festival (Paris, France)

Selected for the festival

Paris Lift-Off Film Festival (Paris, France)

Selected for the festival

Rome Independent Prisma Film Awards (Rome, Italy)

Selected as a semi-finalist for the festival

Montreal Independent Film Festival (Montreal, Canada)

Selected as a semi-finalist for the festival

Tokyo International Short Film Festival (Tokyo, Japan)

Selected as an honourable mention for the festival

Sicily Independent Film Awards (Sicily, Italy)

Selected as an honourable mention for the festival

JellyFEST Film Festival (Los Angeles, US)

Selected as a finalist for the festival Roma Short Film Festival (Rome, Italy)

Selected as a finalist for the festival

New Wave Short Film Festival (Munich, Germany)

Selected as a finalist for the festival

FLICKFAIR Film Festival (Los Angeles, US)

Selected for the festival

Seoul International Short Film Festival (Seoul, South Korea)

Selected as a finalist for the festival

Film Today (Online Event)

Selected as an honourable mention for the festival

Fullshot Cine Mag Festival (Online Event)

Selected as a finalist for the festival

Toronto Indie Filmmakers Festival (Toronto, Canada)

Selected as a finalist for the festival

New York Tri-State International Film Festival (New York, US)

Selected as a finalist for the festival

Madrid International Short Film Festival (Madrid, Spain)

Selected as a Nominee for the festival