

IMO ROLFE

STORYBOARD ARTIST AND ANIMATOR

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ANIMATION EXPERIENCE

Junior Animator, Ritzy Animation, London, UK

Jan 2021 – Present

- Character animator for four episodes of a 15x2 series for a British broadcaster.
- Responsible for animation and camera placement for four full episodes.

Freelance Story Artist, Aardman Animations, Bristol, UK

July 2020 – Dec 2020

- Responsible for storyboards of complete episodes for multiple short-form productions.
- Worked closely with directors and production teams to revise boards and meet deadlines.

CG Generalist and Story Artist, Hasbro Inc. Cake Mix Studios, Pawtucket, RI

July 2019 – July 2020

- Delivered storyboards and animatics for deadlines requiring a rapid turnaround.
- Collaborated with creative team to develop story and gag ideas for children's series.

Computer Animation B.F.A, Ringling College, Sarasota, FL

Aug 2015 – May 2019

- Writer and director of award winning short film *Fierce*.
- Responsible for all CG aspects of the film, including complex animated shots.

Animation/VFX Intern, Hasbro Inc. Cake Mix Studios, Pawtucket, RI

May 2018 – Aug 2018

- Worked with a VFX team and collaborated with writers to produce a CG short film.
- Delivered animated shots and pitched storyboards to directors and clients.

LEADERSHIP EXPERIENCE

Head Computer Animation Peer Mentor, Ringling College, Sarasota, FL

April 2017 – May 2019

- Coordinated student-led mentorship program within the major.

Student Advisory Council member, Ringling College Career Services, FL

April 2017 – May 2019

- Liaison between Career Services and Computer Animation student body.

Resident Assistant, Ringling College, Sarasota, FL

Aug 2016 – May 2019

- Received both 'New RA of the Year' and 'Diversity Program of the Year' awards.
- Worked collaboratively to promote cooperative community standards in halls.

Student Ambassador, Ringling College, Sarasota, FL

Sept 2016 – May 2018

- Nominated by staff to represent the school to donors and associates at events.
- Received Outstanding Service Award in April 2017.

ARTISTIC DIRECTION

President of Oook! Productions, Durham Student Theatre, Durham, UK

May 2014 – May 2015

- Led executive committee of award-winning student theatre company.
- Directed and produced multiple critically acclaimed productions.

Designer, UK Wolf Conservation Trust, Berkshire, UK

March – April 2013

- Produced brand artwork a new range of merchandise for the conservation centre.

EDUCATION

Ringling College of Art and Design, Sarasota FL

May 2019

B.F.A. (Hons) in Computer Animation, GPA 3.74

Computer Animation Trustee Scholar, May 2019

Student Life Trustee Scholar Nominee, Feb 2018

Faculty Scholarship, May 2016

Durham University, Durham, UK

May 2015

B.A (Hons) Theology and Religion, 2:1

SOFTWARE

Toon Boom Storyboard Pro 7, Shotgun, Adobe CS6 Photoshop, Adobe Premiere Pro, Maya 2018, ZBrush 2018.