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EMPLOYMENT & EDUCATION

MPC - Software Technical Director

MAY 2022 - PRESENT

Nuke focused TD (Nuke, Nuke Studio, Python, Git, RV, Jira, Confluence)

TD working with all aspects of the VFX pipeline. Nuke development & support focused. Tasks include:

- Development using python. Code reviews, maintaining and improving existing tools
- Development for Nuke using the Nuke python API
- Cross show and cross site support, bug fixing and troubleshooting work in production Notable Projects:
 - Custom Nuke Studio image transcoder improvements and audio export additions
 - Nuke Studio ingest workflow enhancements
 - Multiple tool improvements including: Auto-comp, stereo dailies, Katana camera selection

The Foundry - Quality Assurance Engineer

MAR 2020 - MAY 2022

Quality assurance (Nuke, Nuke Studio, Hiero, Python, Git, Confluence)

QA on the Nuke team. Working with all products, Studio, Hiero, Nuke but focusing on the timeline tools. Tasks include:

- Manual artist workflow testing
- Autotest creation and documentation using Python, unittest, Nuke API and confluence
- Autotest failure investigation and resolution. Bug discovery, regression testing, logging and triaging Notable Projects:
 - Monitor Out implementation, improvement and unification between Nuke Studio and Nuke
 - Open Colour IO (OCIO) and ACES upgrades including HDR and colour theory
 - Planning and managing the overhaul and improvement of in-house artist workflow test plans
 - Python and C++ training

Double Negative / DNEG - Technical Resource Assistant

JUL 2018 - MAR 2020

Technical resource management (Jira, Linux command line, Python, G Sheets)

Technical resource management of DNEG London's tech assets working closely with tech and editorial. Tasks include:

- End of show clean up and archival. Restoration of archived data
- Server space management, moving shows/shots, clearing/archiving non-essential data
- Assisting the Technical Resource Manager with more advanced systems such as the render farm Notable Projects:
 - Wrote a multitude of small python tools with documentation to automate repetitive tasks
 - Assisted in the creation of a database to track all of DNEG London's workstations/portable drives
 - Overhauled the organisation of 20,000+ LTO5 archival tapes and later co-ordinated off-site storage

Double Negative / DNEG - Head Runner & 2D Training In Roto

NOV 2017 - JUL 2018

Head of the facilities runners while training (Jira, G Sheets, Nuke)

Bournemouth University - PAL (Peer Assisted Learning) Leader

SEP 2014 - JUN 2015

While in 2nd year, assisting 1st year students (Nuke, Maya)

Bournemouth University

SEP 2013 - JUN 2016

BA (Hons) in Computer Animation Arts

Lowestoft College

SEP 2011 - JUN 2013

LV2 BETC Subsidiary Diploma in Art & Design LV3 BETC Extended Diploma in Art & Design LV2 NCFE Award in Graphic Design

SKILLS & TOOLS

Programming Languages

Python / C++

Software

Nuke / Nuke Studio / Hiero / Maya / RV

Other

Git / GitLab / Github / Jira / Confluence Linux / Mac / Windows / Photoshop MS Office / G Suite

Collaboration & Organisation

Scrum / Agile / Trello / Target Process

HOBBIES & INTERESTS





TV & FILM



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BUILDING

BOARD GAMES

EXTRAS

Training

First Aid trained Scrum master trained

Experiences

University Peer Assisted Learning Leader University student council Steward - London 2012 Paralympics Former Scare Actor in a horror maze

REFERENCES

Available on request

DNEG / The Foundry / MPC







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