



Colleen Lawless

animator & graphic artist

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Profile:

- Trained in 3D, stop-motion, flash, and traditional animation as well as fine art techniques including drawing, painting, and sculpture.
- Pursuing a career in animation and graphics for television and film.

Education:

Bachelors of Fine Arts (BFA) in Experimental Animation
Maryland Institute College of Art
2008- Cum Laude

Work History:

Motion Graphics Artist- Intern, Productive Playhouse
Jan. 2009- current

- Creating animations in Adobe After Effects
- Creating illustrations and graphics with Adobe Photoshop
- Creating hand drawn illustrations

Production Intern, Emerging Entertainment

Dec 2008-current, part time

- Editing images in Adobe Photoshop for pre-vis graphics
- Online and database research
- Organization and data entry using Microsoft Office software

Awards:

Official Selection, Juried Undergraduate Exhibition
2006-2007 Academic Year
Maryland Institute College of Art

Scholastic Art & Writing Award
Gold Key in Animation
2004 Region-at-Large

Student Television Network Award
-Animation Category-5th Place
2004 Spring Nationals

Student Television Network Award
-Commercial Category-4th Place
2004 Spring Nationals

Maryland Institute College of Art Scholarships
Trustee Scholarship 2004, Academic Honors Scholarship 2004,
MICA Talent Grant- 2005 & 2006, MICA Achievement Award -2007

Technical Skills:

Proficient with:

- 3D Studio Max, iStopMotion, After Effects, Flash, Photoshop, Illustrator, Dreamweaver, Premiere, Final Cut Pro,
- Microsoft Office programs including Word, and Excel,
- Comfortable working on Mac and PC