

## MATT PARENT - 3D GENERALIST

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**Objective:** Continue to use my technical and artistic talents in an energetic studio that is always looking to advance their work.

### Expertise:

**Skills:** Character Animation, Particle Effects, Dynamic Lighting and Rendering, Modeling, Texturing, Compositing, Editing, Graphic Design, Photography, Sound Design.

**Software:** XSI, Maya, 3ds Max, After Effects, Final Cut Pro, Combustion, Mudbox, ZBrush, Motionbuilder, Real Flow, Photoshop, Premiere, Illustrator, Audition, Reason 4.0, Dreamweaver, Flash, Director

**Languages:** MEL Script, C++, HTML

**OS:** MS Windows (95/98/NT/2000/XP/Vista), Mac OS

### Experience:

#### *XVIVO Animation Studio (September 2007 – Present)*

##### **Animator**

[www.xvivo.net](http://www.xvivo.net)

- Animated several complex medical sequences for various clients
- Utilized XSI Softimage to create captivating animations
- Modeled numerous medical objects to be used in production
- Composited animations together using Adobe After Effects
- Edited animations together using Final Cut Pro
- Worked closely with other animators and directors to create the best product

#### *XVIVO Animation Studio (April – September 2006)*

##### **Internship**

- Interned 6 months at this award-winning animation studio
- Produced artwork for a DVD mailer for their DVD demo
- Contributed thoughts and ideas during weekly meetings
- Involved in a number of animations using multiple programs
- Adapted and learned XSI Softimage and Newtek Lightwave
- Advanced my skill with Adobe After Effects

#### *Spectrum Sports Group LLC (2004-2005)*

##### **Graphic Designer + Video Editor**

- Produced numerous desktop wallpapers of the Florida Panthers.
- Edited a highlight reel that showcased the Florida Panthers.

## Education:

Drexel University - Philadelphia, Pennsylvania  
Bachelor of Science in Digital Media (Animation Concentration)  
Minor in American Studies (History)  
GPA: 3.9  
Member of the National Society of Collegiate Scholars  
Captain of the Drexel University Roller Hockey Club  
Student Volunteer at SIGGRAPH 2007

## Accolades:

Graduated Magna Cum Laude  
Graduated with second highest GPA in Digital Media  
Dean's List (2003-2007)  
AnnX Art Show 2005 & 2007 (Animation Showcased)  
MAD Dragon Film Festival (Animation Showcased)  
Senior Thesis Animation won Drexel Research in Humanities Award

## Relevant Coursework:

Character Animation I + II	Figure Drawing
Acting for the Screen	Digital Storytelling
3D Modeling & Design	Animation I + II
Compositing	Advanced Visual FX
Gaming I + II	Computer Programming I + II
Design I + II	Timeline Design
Photography	Computer Imaging
Typography	Advanced Interactivity
Fund. of Video Production	Digital Audio Production

References available upon request.