

Ryan O'Connell

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Employment

aLiquidReality Creative Director April 2001 to Present

aLiquidReality.com - design@aLiquidReality.com

- Create Interactive Websites (clients include BowReHair.net and MichaelSchenkerHimself.com)
- Design CDs and printed materials (clients include Arcos Brasil, Dennys, and Hydden Agenda)
- Edit Videos, Add Special F/X and Author DVDs (clients include Artistic Enlightenment and Brophy/Xavier)

ABC 15 / KNXV Graphic Artist October 2002 to July 2003

515 N. 44th Street - Phoenix, AZ 85008 - (602)685-3037 - Simona Valentine

- Layout Graphics for daily news broadcast
- Create the 'On Air Look' of "The Game"
- Make Text Effects to fit the mood of Promos - (After effects files that can be modified with any text)
- Design Animation for special topics and Promos
- Set-Up the "Valley Tracker" using Curious Maps

U.A.C.T. Teacher January 2002 to June 2002

2625 W. Baseline Rd - Tempe, AZ 85283 - (602)383-8228 - Dominic Pistillo

- Teach Flash, Photoshop, and DreamWeaver
- Create Curriculum and projects

Techniprint Pre-Press Specialist October 1998 to December 2002

2545 N. 7th Street - Phoenix, AZ 85006 - (602)257-0686 - Eric Smith

- Output Film, Big Color, and Fiery prints
- Scan transparencies and prints
- Operate Mac and PC using Quark Xpress, Adobe Photoshop, Illustrator, In Design and Pagemaker; Corel Draw, Macromedia Flash and Freehand, Microsoft Publisher and Office 2000
- Create files according to customer specifications
- Troubleshoot, trap, and repair files

Education

University of Advancing Computer Technology Bachelors Degree April 2000

- Received in-depth knowledge of leading 3D, 2D, Video, Internet, and programming software
- Learned how to efficiently model and animate in Maya 2.5, Soft Image 3.8, and 3D Studio Max
- Taught a class how to create seamless textures from Photoshop, and realistic textures in Painter 5
- Consistently exceeded requirements for assignments to maximize my learning

Gilbert High School Diploma May 1996

- Enrolled in Honors level and Advanced Placement courses while actively involved in clubs
- Took office (President, V.P., Publicist), and designed T-shirts and promotional flyers for clubs
- Won awards for my comedic performance in School Plays, came in at 4th place in the state for Impromptu Speaking in Speech and Debate, and won numerous medals in Academic Decathlon

Software

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| • Adobe Acrobat 5.0 | • Alias Wavefront Maya 4.5 | • Corel Draw 11.0 | • Languages |
| • Adobe Photoshop 7.0 | • Apple Final Cut Pro 3.0 | • Macromedia Director 8.0 | • Action Scripting |
| • Adobe Illustrator 10.0 | • Apple DVD Studio Pro 2.0 | • Macromedia Flash MX | • Apple Script |
| • Adobe Streamline 3.0 | • Avid Softimage 3.8 | • Macromedia Freehand MX | • Basic |
| • Adobe In Design 2.0 | • Curious World Maps 3.67d | • Macromedia Dreamweaver MX | • HTML |
| • Adobe After Effects 6.0 | • Discrete 3D Studio Max 4.0 | • Microsoft Publisher 2003 | • Lingo (Director) |
| • Adobe Premiere 6.0 | • NewTec Lightwave 7.0 | • Microsoft Office 2003 | • Visual Basic |
| • Adobe PageMaker 7.0 | • RayDream Studio 5 | • Quark Xpress 5.0 | |

Web

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| • aLiquidReality.com | Creator | multiple Flash interfaces explore creative design ideas |
| • BowRehair.net | Designer/Webmaster | conceptualized site for stringed Instrument service |
| • CanyonsAndCoastlines.com | Graphic Artist | - water based theme for Phoenix based Kayak school |
| • MichaelSchenkerHimself.com | Designer | - worked guitar legend Michael Schenker to promote CD |
| • TechniprintAZ.com | Flash Developer | created Flash based order form for print company |

Skills

- Creative, Innovative and Intelligent
- Works independently or in a team
- Ability to quickly adapt to change
- Knowledgeable of all leading software programs for Design, Animation, Multimedia, and Video Editing
- Self-motivated, Enthusiastic, and Goal-Oriented
- Versatile member of the production pipeline
- Determined to produce the highest quality work

Demo Reel available upon request • DemoReel@byRyan.com