

Aaron F. Ross

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3D generalist with strengths in lighting, material lookdev, and dynamics

Abilities

3D modeling and animation, visual effects, motion graphics
Design visualization for products and architecture
Video direction, production, editing, compositing
Sound design, recording, editing, mixing
Technical writing and editing
University instruction
Software training

Software

Maya	3ds Max	Blender
Arnold	V-Ray	Substance Painter
After Effects	Premiere	Photoshop
InDesign	Dreamweaver	ProTools
Sound Forge	Vegas	Sonar

Soft Skills

Self-motivation and self-discipline
Anticipation of client and collaborator needs
Versatility, adaptability, creative problem-solving
Logic, critical thinking, lifelong learning

Education

Master of Fine Arts, California Institute of the Arts, School of Film/Video	1993
Bachelor of Fine Arts, School of the Art Institute of Chicago	1990
Highest honors, Carmel High School, Carmel-by-the-Sea, CA	1986

Experience

Freelance digital artist, visualizer, trainer	1998 - now
Author, LinkedIn Learning / lynda.com	2009 - now
Faculty, Art Institute of California - San Francisco	1999 - 2013
Instructor, Bay Area Video Coalition	2007 - 2012
Director of Training, Realtime Arts LLC	2008 - 2009
Owner, Dr. Yo Internet Radio	2000 - 2008
Author, CENGAGE Thomson Learning	2001 - 2006
3D Animator & Senior Video Editor, Production City, Mill Valley, CA	1995 - 1998
Technical Staff, CalArts School of Film/Video	1994 - 1995
Video Editor & Engineer, Production City	1993 - 1994