



MICHAEL ANDERSON

Lead VFX Trainer

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SUMMARY

Distinguished VFX Trainer with over a decade of experience in visual effects education and production. Recognized for developing innovative training curricula that enhance technical proficiency and creative expression among emerging artists. Expertise in a wide array of VFX software, coupled with a profound understanding of industry standards. Proven track record of leading workshops and seminars that empower students to harness cutting-edge technology.

WORK EXPERIENCE

Lead VFX Trainer Creative Media Academy

Jan 2023 - Present

- Designed comprehensive training programs utilizing industry-standard software.
- Conducted hands-on workshops to enhance students' practical VFX skills.
- Evaluated student projects, providing constructive feedback to foster improvement.
- Collaborated with industry professionals to keep curriculum aligned with market demands.
- Facilitated guest lectures from renowned VFX artists.
- Implemented assessment metrics to gauge student progress and program effectiveness.

Senior VFX Artist Visionary Films

Jan 2020 - Dec 2022

- Created high-quality visual effects for feature films and commercials.
 - Collaborated with directors and producers to achieve artistic vision.
 - Utilized advanced software tools for compositing and animation.
 - Mentored junior artists, providing guidance on best practices.
 - Participated in post-production reviews to enhance project outcomes.
 - Streamlined workflows to improve production efficiency.
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EDUCATION

Master of Fine Arts in Visual Effects, University of Southern California

Sep 2019 - Oct 2020

ADDITIONAL INFORMATION

- **Technical Skills:** VFX training, curriculum development, software expertise, student mentorship, project evaluation, industry collaboration
- **Awards/Activities:** Developed a training program that increased student job placement rates by 30%.
- **Awards/Activities:** Recognized as 'Instructor of the Year' for outstanding teaching excellence.
- **Awards/Activities:** Successfully launched an online VFX course that attracted over 500 participants worldwide.
- **Languages:** English, Spanish, French