

Curtis J. Bathurst

Artist & Animator

★ Skills

I'm good at creating well-formed and appealing vector art and animation with limited point data, where needed. I'm also good at splitting existing vector art into a useable asset library. I'm traditionally trained, but I spend most of my time making art with a variety of modern tools, like: Photoshop, Flash, Illustrator, and Painter. I also take interest in open source production tools like Inkscape, and Gimp.

★ Experience

2004 – 2007: Time, Inc. Consumer Marketing Web Designer (Southern Progress Corporation)

I created content to promote the magazines Coastal Living, Sunset, Cooking Light, Health, and others. Duties included creation of art campaigns and online animation. Creative Director: Rebecca Gurk

2002 – 2004: Silverfish Studios, Concept Artist

I created art, assets, and marketing materials for convention use, as well as reference art for the Silverfish modelers.

2007– 2009: Gallery070, Gallery Manager

I managed Gallery070, on Vashon Island, in Washington. My duties including the screening of applicant artists, basic maintenance of the space, the sales of art to patrons, community dialog, as well as the design and coding of the gallery's website. Owner: Tara Snowden

2007 – 2009: Freelance Illustrator

I've produced cartoons for The Bingo Bugle to promote their branded cruises, and I've also taken on a variety of small retail and restaurant clients.

★ Education

1999 – 2003 University of Montevallo, Alabama, Illustration Major (but I always found a way to bend my projects into animation). I worked under Scott Stephens, Karen Grapheo, and Erin Wright. My favorite courses were Life Drawing, Print Making, and Media Design.

★ Special Training

1996 – 1998 The Academy for Academics & The Arts

Under the supervision of Karen Rhyss, I took on a special study on interactive media, animation, and video compression for low-spec platforms.

2004, 2006, 2009 Solo Exhibitions

Birmingham Art Association (Birmingham, Alabama)

Workplay (Birmingham, Alabama)

Gallery070 (Vashon, Washington)

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