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Personal Information

- Marital status: Single
- Nationality: British
- Age: 31
- Born: 15 June 1976
- Place of Birth: Pretoria, South Africa

Education

- 1996 Sep – 1999 June University of Dundee Dundee, Scotland
BDes(Hons) Animation and Electronic Media
- 2:1 Honours Degree specialising in:
 - 3D (CG) and 2D Animation
 - Softimage| 3D, Softimage TOONZ
 - Photoshop, Painter

Work experience

- 2006 Jan – Present Blackginger Johannesburg, South Africa
Animation Supervisor
- Character Animation
 - Shoot Supervision
 - Modelling, Rigging and Layout
 - Softimage| XSI
 - Houdini (beginner)
- 2003 June – 2005 Dec The Refinery Johannesburg, South Africa
Senior Animator / Supervisor
- Character Animation
 - Shoot Supervision
 - Modelling, Rigging and Layout
 - Softimage| XSI
 - Alias Maya
- 2002 Nov – 2003 June Spin Productions Toronto, Canada
Senior Animator
- 3D animation and modelling.
 - Leading animation on 10 X 10 sec “M&M closed captioning” commercials.
 - Softimage| XSI

2000 Dec – 2002 Nov The Refinery Johannesburg, South Africa

Animator

- 2D and 3D animation
- 3D Generalist
- Alias Wavefront's Maya
- Softimage| XSI
- CelSys' Retas!Pro 2D animation software

1999 Sep – 2000 Dec Digital Arts cc Johannesburg, South Africa

Animator

- 2D and 3D animation
- Developing proprietary software with Brightspark Technologies.
- ToonBoom's Tic Tac Toon 2D animation software
- Kinetex 3DS Max

Achievements

2004 August Cape Town, South Africa

Dogstar Awards 2004

- Best Animation in Made For South Africa Category for "Gerhard"
- All backgrounds and compositing

2001 September Seoul, Korea

LG "Cricket"

- Awarded best Asian and African Promotional Piece
- Lead Animator, Layout and team supervisor

1999 August Glasgow, Scotland

Students of Scotland Festival

- nominated for "Billy"
- Student work done while at Dundee university.

References

Hilton Treves +27 (0)82 854 8814 South Africa

VFX Supervisor

- Worked under Hilton in South Africa and Canada for five years

Shirley Sunter +27 (0)83 254 6504 South Africa

Production manager

- Worked with Shirley in South Africa for two years