

Software

Houdini Maya Nuke Substance Painter Programming (VEX, Python, HTML/CSS, JavaScript, XSLT)

Technical Skills

Houdini FX (FLIP Fluid, Pyro, RBD, Particle Systems, Procedural FX & Modeling) Modeling/Texturing Lighting

Skills

Problem Solving Critical Thinking Collaboration Adaptability

Awards

2022 | NATAS Student Production Award – Short Form The Lumberjack and the Woodpecker

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Nathan Huseth Houdini FX Artist

Education

Master of Arts in Visual Effects Savannah College of Art and Design Savannah, GA	2022
Bachelor of Fine Arts in Animation Savannah College of Art and Design Savannah, GA	2021
Bachelor of Fine Arts in Graphic Design University of Wyoming Laramie, WY	2013
Associate of Multimedia Laramie County Community College Cheyenne, WY	2010

Work Experience

FuseFX Jan. 2023-Sept. 2023

CG Generalist

- Collaborated with supervisors and other artists to create high-quality realistic CG elements for film and television
- Developed Houdini simulations, including smoke, viscous fluid, rigid body dynamics, and procedural effects
- Rigged Maya characters and props for animation and tracking tasks
- · Generated Houdini environments with procedural and manual methods

Laramie County Community College

2014-2019

Marketing Designer

- Hired as Web Developer/Multimedia Designer, promoted in 2016
- Created high-quality marketing print and digital materials
- Collaborated with marketing team on campaign creation
- Maintained institutional website content management system

University of Wyoming

2013-2014

Web Designer/Developer

- · Hired as part-time graphic designer, hired full-time in 2014
- Developed templates, concepts, and assets for institutional website
- Designed marketing advertisements, mailers, and web pages
- Trained website content coordinators across multiple departments

Collaborative Projects

Crossing Over | Student Short Film

2021-2022

Director: Gabriela Orlandi Fernandes, Trent Bellet

- Lead Visual Effects Artist
- Responsible for water simulation on three shots, and initial R&D
- Managing a team of three visual effects artists

The Lumberjack and the Woodpecker | Student Short Film

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2020-2021

- **Director:** Connor Bushoven
- · Responsible for Mrs. Pecky bird rig
- · Created hero tree and environment assets
- · Contributed to texturing environment assets and lighting multiple shots

Kaghati | Student Short Film

2020-2021

Directors: Amanda Jayapurna, Stanley Soendoro

- Lead character rigger
- · Responsible for character rigs, prop modeling, prop rigging, and kite cloth simulation