



Benny Roybal

Writer | Story Artist | Producer

SKILLS

Writing & Art

Screenwriting
Dialogue
Development
Story Art
Pitch Decks

Programs

Adobe Suite
Toon Boom Suite
Google Suite
Unreal Engine
Autodesk Maya
Blender
Celtx
Final Draft
WriterDuet

Personal

Collaborative
Independent
Communicative
Creative

REFERENCES

Available Upon Request

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EXPERIENCE

Narrative Designer | Storm8 | Nov 2023 - Aug 2024

- Wrote comedic, dialogue-based scripts for established franchises
- Collaborated with Writing and Art teams to create episodic and one-off narratives
- Developed characters and plotlines via independent and collaborative settings

Story Lead & Generalist | "Roadkill Jamboree" Short Film | Jul 2022 - May 2023

- Collaborated on scripting comedic skits through final voice line recordings
- Led a small team creating comedic visual narratives to boost educational points

Producer | "Middle Isle" Video Game | Aug 2021 - Apr 2022

- Tracked progress of 3D assets and animation in Google Sheets and SyncSketch
- Compiled weekly meeting notes across multiple departments

Director | "Mystery Shack Escape" Video Game | Mar 2020 - May 2021

- Led a team of 20+ artists across different departments to create final 3D game
- Completed level layouts, 3D modeling, and texturing in Unreal Engine and Maya

Story Artist & Film Generalist | "Igniting Change" Short Film | Oct 2020

- Collaborated on development of the plot and visuals through brainstorm sessions
- Multi-Award winning short including Best Animated Film for Campus MovieFest

EDUCATION

Animation/Illustration | San Jose State University | Aug 2018 - May 2023

- Awarded Bachelor's of Fine Arts with a focus in Story

Writing Mentee | Blizzard Entertainment | Sep 2022 - May 2023

- Collaborated with narrative manager, Matthew Cohan, in script development
- Gained insight into the game and film industries

Writing Mentee | San Jose State University | Sep 2022 - May 2023

- Studied under writer/educator, Barnaby Dallas, to produce a feature length script
- Gained insight into screenwriting for animation and live-action content

ADDITIONAL ACTIVITIES

Shrunkenhedman Club | ASIFA Member | 24 HOURS Animation | Campus Movie Fest

INTERESTS

Dungeons & Dragons, Archery, Cryptids & Mythology, Comics, Fantasy, Sci-Fi