

A Prop Master with a strong background in props, builds, coordination, tight deadlines, budgeting, and inventory keeping. A fast learner with a broad skill set, eager to accept new learning challenges.

EDUCATION

Otis College of Art and Design

BFA in Product Design, Class of 2016

WORK EXPERIENCE

The Queen Mary's Dark harbor & Chill

Technical Artist

Long Beach, CA 2013-2015

- Designed and developed the dressing of the event exhibits.
- Worked under Creative Director's directions.
- Created and customized props.

The Hand Prop Room

Apprentice

Venice, CA 2012-2016 (seasonal)

- Created molds of original props for recreation.
- Casted props based on function needed.
- Cleaned and finalized props.

CERTIFICATIONS

I.A.T.S.E. Local 44, Property Master
Precision Driving, Rick Seaman Stunt Driving School
Entertainment Firearms Permit, CA D.O.J.

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ENTERTAINMENT EXPERIENCE

Film

Uncorked - Pickups, Netflix, Propmaster, 2019
Flight of the Sparrow, Production Design, 2018
The Statue, Art Director, 2017
Called and Chosen, Propmaster, Assistant Armorer, 2017
Dead of the Night, Production Design, 2017
The Black String, Production Design, 2016
This World of Ghosts, Production Design, 2016
Devil's Whisper, Production Design, 2016
Breaking Legs, Art Director (pickups), 2014
From The Dead, Art Director (pickups), 2013

Commercials, TV and Streaming

MasterClass - EWMC, Propmaster, 2021
MasterClass - FEMMC, Propmaster, 2021
Fructis #2101 - Commercial, Propmaster, 2021
A Black Lady Sketch Show S2, HBO Max,Props buyer, 2021
Albertson's - Commercial, Propmaster, 2020
T-Mobile - Commercial, "Anthony and Mom", Propmaster, 2020
CNN - Promo, "R4TWH", Propmaster, 2020
MasterClass - Fireside 112, Propmaster 2019
MasterClass - Fireside 110, Propmaster 2019
Let's Make a Deal - S11, Props Assist - Graphics 2019
MasterClass - Fireside 102, Propmaster 2019

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Amazon - Commercial, Property, 2019

CHASE Offers - Commercial, Propmaster, 2019

The Tradeshow Show - Web, Mailchimp, Propmaster, 2019

JC Penney - Commercial, Property, 2018 H&R Block - Commercial, On Set Dresser, 2018 SKYY Vodka - Spot #1089, Propmaster, 2018 Progressive - Commercial, On Set Dresser, 2018

Masterclass - DLMC, Propmaster 2018 Masterclass - JFMC, Propmaster, 2018 Masterclass - NPMS, Propmaster, 2018

GNTM 2013, Construction Coordinator, 2017-2018

Daniel Kim Law -Commercial- , Production Design, 2017 I Ship It, S2 - CW Broadcast, Propmaster, 2017 GNTM 2012, Art Department, 2016-2017 TWC, Kiss & Kill productions, On Set Dresser, 2016

Installations and Art

Masterclass Headquarters, SF - MCID, Carpenter, 2018 Crenshaw Yoga Studio, LA, Designer/Installer, 2018

SKILLS SUMMARY

Communication

Fluent in English, Spanish and French, Design Thinking, Brainstorming, ideating, research, problem solving, rebranding.

Digital Experience and Programs

Mac/Windows, Office/iWork, web browsers, Google Maps, social media. Adobe Creative (Photoshop, Illustrator, InDesign), Solidworks, Rhinoceros.

Sketching

Markers, pencils, pastels, renderings (digital and by hand).

Prototyping

Rapid prototypes, paper, cardboard, foamboard, MDF, modeling/pottery clay, high density foam, 3D printing

Fabrication/Shop experience

Textiles, leather, sewing, sewing/serger machine, embroidery, crochet, pattern making, mold making, table saw, band saw, chop saw, disc sander, palm sander, table sander, lathe, router, CNC, planer, joiner, welding, grinding, polishing, sand/water blaster, finishing, jewelry making, soldering.

Ceramics: slab construction, plaster/slump/hump molds, slip casting, wheel throwing, brush/airbrush glazing, stamping.

Painting/finishing

Water /oil base, spray paint, airbrush, watercolor, ink.

Presentation

Print/digital, set-up, exhibit design.