

## CHRIS YANSON

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### EDUCATION:

#### **Art Center College of Design (Pasadena)**

Bachelor of Fine Arts in Illustration (2000)

#### **University of Southern California (USC Thornton School of Music)**

Graduate Certificate in Film Scoring (Department of Screen Scoring) (2012)

#### **Los Angeles City College (LACC)**

Cinema Production

#### **Pasadena City College (PCC)**

Music Major

#### **UCLA Extension**

Film Scoring Certificate Program, Screenwriting

#### **The Second City (Los Angeles)**

Sketch Comedy Writing, Writing for Animation

#### **Upright Citizens Brigade (Los Angeles)**

Sketch Comedy Writing

### EXPERIENCE:

#### **Illustrator, 3D Modeler, Animator, VFX Artist, Concept Artist, and Storyboard Artist**

**Project Holodeck:** Art Director and Concept Artist for Oculus Rift based virtual reality video game developer. Video game projects include: *Wild Skies* and *Zombies on the Holodeck*.

#### **Take Two Interactive (2K Games), Video Game Quality Assurance**

Games include: *Conflict: Global Terror*, *Codename: Kids Next Door*, *Ford Versus Chevy*

#### **Film Score Composer and Songwriter for film, TV, and video games**

Projects include:

- *OMG!: Just Jacques* (DreamWorksTV)
- *Strawberry Shortcake: Beyond the Box* (Tongal)
- *CandyLand* (webseries)
- *Taco Bell Breakfast Radio Ad* (Deutsch Inc.)

#### **Film Composer's Assistant**

**Ilsley Music:** Assistant to film composer Christopher Young. Jobs include studio and recording session assistance, and assistance teaching the USC film scoring classes.

**Sonic Fuel Studios:** Intern to film composers Christopher Lennertz and Timothy Wynn. Jobs include studio maintenance, recording session assistance, and music editing for composer demos.

#### **Film Production Experience**

- *Magic Carnival* (director, animator, score composer)
- *Supply Run* (writer, director, VFX artist, score composer)
- *It Fakes Two* (writer, director, VFX artist, score composer)
- *A Very Musical Thanksgiving* (writer, director, score composer)
- *Dinner With the Boss* (writer, director, score composer)
- *Pinot Roux* (VFX artist/supervision, animator, score composer, storyboard artist)
- *If You Have Any Information, Please Call* (VFX artist/supervision, score composer)

### SKILLS:

Adobe Photoshop, After Effects, Premiere, Illustrator, Flash, The Foundry Modo, Autodesk Maya, Maxon Cinema 4D, Pixologic ZBrush, Blender, Unreal 5, Substance Painter, Apple Logic Pro, Sibelius.