



HALA QASQAS

MOTION GRAPHIC DESIGNER
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A senior **designer** with **fifteen years** of **motion graphic** and **interior design** experience, with a strong eye for visual composition and great attention to detail. Extensive knowledge of the technology used in creating **visual effects** and excellent knowledge of the computer software used in this profession.

Expert in **Adobe Premiere**, **After Effects** and **Nuke**, and have the skills to create an animated environment to look realistic through **3Ds Max**, **Maya** and **Houdini** software, and expert in lighting and rendering by using **Vray** and **Redshift**.

A highly **creative** mind with the ability to think outside the box to come up with the original. Self-motivated with the ability to work **independently** and **remotely**, but also do well when working as part of a team. A great ability to submit my work before the deadline and by following the pipelines.



PROFESSIONAL SKILLS

- Graphic Design
- Web Design
- 3D Modeling and Animation
- Motion Graphic
- Video Editing & Compositing
- Interior Design & Hand Drafting



COMPUTER SKILLS

3D Software
3D Rendering
Graphic Design
Motion Graphic
Web Design

Houdini, Maya, 3Ds Max, AutoCAD
Redshift, Vray
Adobe Photoshop, In Design, illustrator
Adobe Premiere, After Effect, Nuke
WordPress, Wix



PROFFISIONAL EXPERIENCE

Motion Graphic Designer ROTO, Oakville, ON & Victoria, BC	2020 - 2022
Graphic Designer MIZAJ, Oakville, ON	2020 - 2021
Freelance 3D Animator & Composer Victoria, ON, Canada	2019 - 2022
Interior Architect (Designing & Drafting) REMAX, Oakville, ON, Canada	2017 - 2019
Senior Interior Architect (Designing) Futurism Design, Dubai, UAE	2007 - 2017
2D Animator (Background and Animation) Afaq LTD, Damascus, Syria	2002 - 2006



TEACHING EXPERIENCE

Instructor (ID and Building Technology) Pacific Design Academy, Victoria, BC	2022 - pres
Teacher Assistant (Art History) Faculty of Fine Arts, UVic, Victoria, BC	2021 - pres
Art Tutor (Portrait and Perspective) HQ Art Studio, Oakville, ON	2018 - 2021
Teacher Assistant (Basic of Interior Design) Faculty of Fine Arts, Damascus University	2010 - 2017
Teacher Assistant (Architecture Drawing) Faculty of Architecture, Damascus University	2014 - 2015



DEGREES

PhD in History of Art University of Victoria, BC	2021 - Pres
Certificate Media Fundamental Sheridan College, Oakville, ON	2020 - 2021
Graduate Certificate Visual Effects Sheridan College, Oakville, ON	2019 - 2020
Graduate Certificate Computer Animation Sheridan College, Oakville, ON	2018 - 2019
MA in Art History Fine Arts Faculty at Damascus University	2009 - 2012
BA in Interior Architecture Fine Arts Faculty at Damascus University	2002 - 2007



AWARDS

Canada Graduate Scholarship Doctoral Award (CGS D) SSHRC Doctoral Awards competition. \$105,000	2022
President's Research Scholarship Faculty of Graduate Studies at UVic. \$15,000	2022
SSHRC Award Social Science and Humanities Research Council. \$80,000	2022
Herbert Bertram Falkenstein Graduate Scholarship in Fine Arts. \$20,000	2021
Jeffrey Rubinoff Scholar Art as a Source of Knowledge Scholarship. \$2000	2021
UVic Graduate Fellowship Art History & Visual Studies (2021) \$36,000	2021