

# Karl Jahnke

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## Employment

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INSTRUCTOR, ADJUNCT  
*International Academy of Design and Technology/CEC*

2007-PRESENT  
*Nashville, TN*

Teach courses in:

- Adobe Photoshop
- Adobe Illustrator
- Adobe Flash
- 3D Studio Max
- Final Cut Pro
- DVD Studio Pro
- Still life, figure drawing
- Commercial, short film editing
- Color theory
- 2D animation

- Fostered and grew the Digital Media and Animation Program to more than 1.5 million in tuition a year
- Helped with the alignment of the Digital Media and Animation program
- Helped create the Digital Media and Animation program
- Hosted student orientation events
- Hosted student open house events
- Hosted advisory meetings with community leaders in the animation field
- Helped with the alignment of a Game Design program
- Helped create a Game Design program
- Counseled students for academic and attendance related issues



Owner  
*Sillydragon.Commercial*

2001-PRESENT  
*Nashville, TN*

- Sub-contractor for animation and broadcast ready motion graphics for a variety of businesses
- Create free online tutorials for modeling, animation, visual effects, and general education
- Author of books and educational material for modeling, animation, visual effects, and general education
- Create short movies, and animations.



FREELANCE VISUAL EFFECT ARTIST  
*Country Music Television/Viacom*

2008-2009  
*Nashville, TN*

- Create weekly animations for the number one single, album, video, DVD, and movie
- Create monthly billboard slates
- Create monthly showtime slates



FREELANCE CORPORATE INSTRUCTOR  
*Berkeley Institute*

2008-2009  
*Chicago, IL*

Taught advanced courses in:  
Adobe After Effects  
Adobe Photoshop  
Visual Effects  
3D Animation

Travel to site corporations and continue education to employees



INSTRUCTOR, FULL-TIME, ADJUNCT  
*ITT Technical Institute/ESI*

2005-2006  
*Nashville, TN*

Taught courses in:

- Adobe Premiere
- Adobe Photoshop
- Adobe Illustrator
- Microsoft Office
- 3D Studio Max
- Macromedia/Adobe Director
- Game Development
- Commercial, short film editing
- Project management
- Technical motivation
- Web Development

Only Game Development Instructor for 137 students (roughly 1.7 million in tuition a year)  
Created and modified lesson plans  
Counseled students for academic and attendance related issues  
Received 'Instructor Review of the Week' award with the highest available score



LEAD 3D MODELER  
LEAD TEXTURE ARTIST  
STORYBOARD ARTIST  
ASSOCIATE EDITOR

2004-2005

*Elara Systems Inc.*

*Rancho Cordova, CA*

Created original 3D medical animations  
Storyboarded original 3D medical animations  
Brought new technologies to Elara Systems Inc.  
Created high-resolution 3D models for product promotions  
Created art assets for Flash, Director, and website development  
Edited video, and outputted to a variety of mediums (DVD, VHS, CD, etc.)  
Created Master DVD's for tradeshow, education programs, and digital brochures  
Worked with such clients as Boston Scientific, Gyrus Medical, Iris Medical, Enpath (Lead Technologies), and Volcano Therapeutics



CONCEPT LOGO DESIGN  
GRAPHIC ARTIST

2004

*M1911.org & Folders-R-Us.org*

*Athens, Greece*

Created original logos to match an existing color palette  
Created miscellaneous web content



FLASH ARTIST  
*Direct Profitability Group*

2004  
*San Francisco, CA*

Created original web content



CONCEPT CHARACTER ARTIST  
3D MODELER  
TEXTURE ARTIST

2004-2005

*Roxor Games*

*Austin, TX*

Created original characters for the game *In The Groove*  
Created looping dance move animations

## Education

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B.F.A. IN COMPUTER ARTS, 3D MODELING/ANIMATION  
*Academy of Art College*

2000-2003  
*San Francisco, CA*

GENERAL EDUCATION  
*Santa Barbara City College*

1996-2000  
*Santa Barbara, CA*

## Skills

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Adobe Premiere  
Adobe After Effects  
Adobe Photoshop  
Adobe Illustrator  
Adobe Captivate  
Adobe Dreamweaver  
Adobe Flash  
Camtasia Studio  
Microsoft Office  
3D Studio Max  
Character Studio  
Reactor  
3D Vis Matchmover  
Torque Game Builder  
TorqueScript  
HTML/CSS