# Suzanne K. F. Capper

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#### **OBJECTIVE**

To develop my career in the field of Animation.

#### **EDUCATION**

#### Bournemouth University, Bournemouth, UK

2004-2005 - Masters in 3D Computer Animation

- Graduated with a Merit
- Completed a Group Project called 'The Hatter's Tea Party', a Personal Final Project and a show reel
- Courses entailed are Animation, Scripting, Compositing, Computer Graphics, Moving Image - Digital Cinematography / Art, Science & Technology. Worked with digital video, digitized audio, 2D and 3D graphics and animation.
- Publications; Image of 'The Hatter's Tea Party' in '3D World' Magazine, issue 67.
- Award; BBC 2005 New Animator Award Finalists

## Rochester Institute of Technology, Rochester, NY

1999-2003 - Bachelor of Fine Arts in Illustration

- Grade Point Average: 3.3 out of 4.0
- High Distinction List 2001, 2003
- Concentration in Music
- Selected for the Senior Show at Gallery R, Rochester Institute of Technology's Downtown Gallery: 'Tim Curry Collage'
- Some of the Courses entailed are Cartooning I, II, Heads, Hands, Facial Expression, Figure in Motion, Caricature Illustration I, II, Life Drawing, Vector and Raster Imaging and Reference Photography. Worked with 2D & 3D graphics.

### MEDIA EXPERIENCE

- Computer experience, PC and Mac platforms includes: Softimage XSI, Maya,
  Adobe Premiere, Photoshop, Illustrator, FreeHand, Poser, Sound Forge,
  QuarkXpress, PageMaker, PowerPoint, Microsoft Office Excel and Microsoft Word
- Pastels, Oil, Watercolor, Gouache and Acrylic Paints, Pencils, Pen and Ink, Color Pencils, Charcoal, Clay and Air Brush

# **WORK EXPERIENCE**

- 'OmniDate', Markham, Ontario Jan. 2007-July 2008 Lead 3D Computer Animator
  - o 3D computer animation for all characters
  - o 3D animation and graphics

- 'IBC Digital', Buffalo, NY 2006
  - 3D Computer Animator; Telecommunicating Intern
    - Completed short Animation projects
    - o 3D animation and graphics
- 'Access MoCap', Bournemouth University, Bournemouth, UK 2005 Motion Capture Actor
  - Performed scenes for Motion Capture for Red Vision's online gambling TV channel on Sky (Sky Vegas/At The Races)
  - o Acting out motions in scenes
  - o Walk cycles
- CGI Festival in London, UK December 2004

#### Volunteer

- In charge of keeping order of my section and running the animation films promptly
- 'The PennySaver' Newspaper, Orchard Park, NY 2003-2004 Graphic Designer
  - o Design/create advertisements and coupons
  - Page layout
  - o 2D graphics
- The New Era Cap Company, Derby, NY 2002

### **Graphic Designer**

- o Worked with logos on differently designed baseball caps using Freehand
- o Catalog layout; Created each page in the 2003 New Era catalog
- o Participated in team building activities
- o 2D graphics
- The Southtowns Citizen, Orchard Park, NY 2001

Graphic Designer / Reporter / Photographer

- o Interviewed people and wrote articles
- o My weekly articles include; 'Citizen of the week', historical article 'An Eye on Yesterday', 'Upcoming Events' calendar and Town board meetings
- o Photography; Pictures for numerous articles / Front page, fill in pictures throughout paper
- Assisted staff with graphic design projects; Helped with page layouts
- The Reporter, RIT, Rochester, NY 2000 -2002 Illustrator
  - o Created illustrations for articles appearing in this student news magazine

#### INTERESTS

- Historian in the Rochester Institute of Technology Student Music Association
- Treasurer / Historian / Stagehand in the Rochester Institute of Technology Players (drama club)
- Performer; Rochester Institute of Technology Children's Theatre productions, Student films, Motion Capture, Rocky Horror Picture Show Performances and Voiceovers in student animations.
- Musician; played the Clarinet in Concert Band, Swing Band, and Orchestra
- Proficient in Standard and Digital Cameras
- Knowledgeable in American Sign Language & French