

# Amy Bigelow

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## ANIMATION EXPERIENCE

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### **3D Animator**, Ringling College of Art and Design, Sarasota, FL. 2006-2009

- Took part in a very demanding course and successfully completed many animated shorts.
- Actively participated in thoughtful, constructive group critiques and problem solving.
- Prepared for and successfully executed 2-minute animated short which included all pre-production, modeling, rigging, animation, lighting, texturing, rendering and post-production with a focus on character animation.

### **Traditional Animator**, Ringling College of Art and Design, Sarasota, FL. 2006

- Completed 10+ short traditionally animated projects demonstrating the principles of animation in lip-sync, emotion, animation in perspective and depicting simple story.
- Recognized in Best of Ringling show for Flour Sack Traditional Animation, 2006.

## COMMUNICATION EXPERIENCE

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### **Game Advisor/Senior Game Advisor**, GameStop Inc., Lakewood WA/Los Angeles CA. Oct. 2010-present

- Worked on a team to help customers find the merchandise they needed.
- Troubleshoot many hardware and software issues with consoles and computers.
- Maintained a high level of organization, accuracy and time management while completing various managerial duties and positively affecting customer experience.
- Promoted to Senior Game Advisor within 10 months of starting.

### **Sailing Instructor**, Culver Summer Schools and Camps, Culver, IN

- Taught and supervised 100+ international children in classroom and on-the-water activities.
- Took on additional tasks and created 3 custom shirt designs for various related camp groups and activities. Summers, 2006-2008

## COMPUTER SKILLS

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**Proficient in:** Autodesk Maya, Adobe Photoshop CS3, Adobe Premiere CS3.

**Skilled in:** Adobe Audition 2.0, Corel Painter X, HTML/CSS.

**Working knowledge of:** Adobe Flash, Adobe Encore, Dreamweaver, Renderman, Mudbox, Adobe After Effects and Shake.

Basic programming experience in Mel and Python languages; basic knowledge of Linux and Unix.

## EDUCATION

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**Ringling College of Art and Design**, Sarasota, FL

Bachelor of Fine Arts in Computer Animation – May, 2009

Best of Ringling, Traditional Animation, 2006

**Senior Thesis:** Animated Short, *The Dress Up*