

Brett J Blake

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SUMMARY

Animation Editor with an appreciation for dynamic and innovative collaborations. Looking to join a creative team where I can utilize my skills as a hardworking self-starter with a passion for editing as an artistic medium. You will find me to be a team player with a keen eye for detail, always putting the quality of work first.

KEY SKILLS

- Vast knowledge of Avid Media Composer - Advanced - 12 Years
- Great understanding of editorial, animation, production pipelines and project management
- Effective communicator with excellent interpersonal skills
- Go-to support for the team, mentoring through encouragement and collaboration
- Ability to craft scenes with appropriate timing, dialogue, sound effects, and music

FILM WORK EXPERIENCE

Pixar Animation Studios

Assistant Editor

- Inside Out 2 (2024)
- Elemental (2023)

1st Assistant Editor

- Twenty Something (short film) (2021)
- Lamp Life (short film) (2020)
- Auntie Edna (short film) (2018)

Editor

- Mickey's PhilharMagic: Coco (theme park attraction) (2021)
- Vivid Sydney (exhibition display) (2019)

Custom Animation Assistant Editor

- Toy Story 4 (2019) / Carnival Prizes (feature film extra) (2019)
- Incredibles 2 (2018) / Super Moments (feature film extra) (2018)

December 2017 - July 2024

Emeryville, California

Blue Sky Studios

1st Assistant Editor

- Nimona (2023)

Custom Animation Editor

- Ferdinand (2017)

2nd Assistant Editor

- Spies in Disguise (2019)
- Ice Age: Collision Course (2016)
- Ice Age: The Great Egg-Scapade (tv special) (2016)
- Cosmic Scrat-tastrophe (short film) (2015)
- The Peanuts Movie (2015)

January 2014 – November 2017

Greenwich, Connecticut

Digital Domain

Assistant VFX Editor

- Maleficent (2014)

April 2013 – December 2013

Venice, California

Editor

- Crossing Minds (short film) (2012)

March 2012

Irvine, California

Zoic Studios

Freelance Assistant Editor

September 2011 – January 2012

Culver City, California

OTHER WORK EXPERIENCE

Apple Inc.

Creative Trainer

- Provided training through knowledge of Apple's professional and consumer level applications
- Earned certifications in Final Cut Pro 7 and Final Cut Pro X

March 2007 – October 2012

Irvine, California

EDUCATION

Chapman University - Dodge College of Film and Media Arts

Bachelors of Fine Arts - Major in Digital Arts with a Minor in Film Studies

August 2006 – June 2009

Orange, California