

John Lipskie

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Education

- Sept 2008 – Jun 2009 **Visual Effects Diploma**, Lost Boys Learning, Courtenay, BC
Photo-realistic 3D animation and compositing for movies and television.
Maya, Nuke, Boujou, Photoshop.
- Sept 1990 – May 1993 **Fine Arts Diploma**, Georgian College, Barrie, ON
Coursework included printmaking, painting, drawing, sculpture, design, photography, and art history. Dean's List.

Selected Work Experience

- July 2009 – Present **CG Artsit**, Anthem Visual Effects, Vancouver, BC
Environment Modeling, Shading, Lighting, Rendering. Creature Lighting, Rendering.
Sanctuary (TV Series, Seasons 2,3,4)
Neverland (2011, TV Movie)
Tucker and Dale vs Evil (2010)
Alice (2010, TV Movie)
- 2009 **"Helix" Independent Feature Film**, Director Eric Petey
Insect Animation, Shading, Prop Modeling, Compositing, Matte Paintings, Set Extensions.
- 2009 **"Boingo Boingo" Short Film**, Director Mark Benard
Modeling, Animation, Lighting, Rendering, and Compositing.
- May 1993 – July 2007 **Preparator / Facilities Manager**, MacLaren Art Centre, Barrie, ON
Responsible for physically managing art works temporarily borrowed for exhibitions as well as the permanent collection. Duties included the handling, mounting, lighting, care, storage, packing and transport of artwork related to exhibitions and acquisitions.
Oversaw the general operations, maintenance, climate controls and security of the building and equipment. Responsible for arranging, administering and supervising contract staff for work related to exhibition installation and building maintenance. Other duties as assigned.
- 1994 – 2008 **Contract Art Installation Technician**, work for the following clients:
Royal Victoria Hospital, Barrie ON Private Individuals
City of Barrie, Barrie ON Georgian College, Barrie ON
- 1996 – 2007 **Director for Live Television**, Rogers Community Television, Barrie, ON
Volunteer position, directed a very popular one-hour live phone-in show (49 shows annually) for a local community cable station. Also responsible for equipment set up and take down, set construction, lighting and many other tasks too varied to list.
- May 1996 – Mar 1998 **Relief Councilor**, Burrows Family Services, Orillia, ON
Care and supervision of Young Offenders in a residential group home. Maintained a safe and healthy environment, resolved conflicts, completed required documentation and transported residents to required program destinations.
- May – Sept 1991, 1992 **Packaging**, Molson Breweries, Barrie, ON
Line Production and training; quality assurance.