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OBJECTIVE

Artist and Art Director specializing in illustration and animation.

Experienced in international projects, with a strong academic background and practical leadership in supervising creative teams and managing production workflows.

Combines traditional fine art training with modern digital tools to deliver and expressive results.

PROFESSIONAL EXPERIENCE

Animator

Breakthrufilms | October 2021 – September 2023

Creating and animating frames in the technique of oil painting.

Art Director/ supervisor

Breakthrufilms | June 2022 – September 2023

Supervision of the animation creation process, team recruitment, process management, quality control of the film.

Monumental artist

Freelance artist | March 2020 – January 2026

Creation of paintings, murals, stained glass.

Illustrator

Nebo BookLab Publishing | March 2023 – January 2026

Creation of book illustrations, covers.

SKILLS

- Management
 - Communication skills
 - Friendly and customer-oriented attitude
 - Fast learner
 - Stress resistance
 - Responsibility and punctuality
 - Photoshop
 - Zbrush
 - Blender
 - Toon Boom Harmony
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EDUCATION

National Academy of Visual Arts and Architecture | 2021–2025

Philosophy Doctor of Culture and Art

- Faculty of theory and history of art, artcritic.

National Academy of Visual Arts and Architecture | 2019–2021

Master of Science in Culture and Art

- Faculty of fine arts, specialty painter, teacher.

National Academy of Visual Arts and Architecture | 2015–2019

Bachelor of Science in Culture and Art

- Faculty of fine arts, specialty painter, teacher.

A. Erdel Professional Art College of Transcarpathian Academy of Arts | 2011–2015

Bachelor of Science in Culture and Art

- Faculty of fine arts, specialty painter, teacher.

Art Craft CG School | 2023/2025

3D Basic – basics of modeling, sculpting and texturing

Zbrush – creating a layout, modeling, finalizing and visualizing the model using the tools available in ZBrush.

REFERENCE

Oeksandr Tsuhorka

Rector, National Academy of Visual Arts and Architecture

Anna Bolotna

Art Director, Nebo booklab publishing

Tomasz Wochniak

Producer, BreakThru Films