

# RUSTY YUNUSOFF

## SUMMARY

I am a professional motion graphics designer, animator, storyboard artist and illustrator. I live and breathe animation, film and cartoons, and I'm very eager to bring my level of excitement, creativity, and enthusiasm to your business.

## EMPLOYMENT

### **Motion Graphics Designer, Pacific Communications** 2015 - Present

Created series of corporate videos for major pharmaceutical brands, including Botox, Natrelle and Allergan.

### **Storyboard Director, Friends Night/FOX ADHD** 2014 - 2015

Created storyboards for *Golan The Insatiable* and *Major Lazer*, animated TV series airing on FOX.

### **Freelance Storyboard Director, Friends Night** 2013 - 2014

Worked as a director/storyboard artist on the pilot episode of *Golan the Insatiable*, an animated series airing on FOX.

### **Freelance Character Designer, Bento Box Entertainment** 2012 - 2013

Provided character designs and storyboards for *The Awesomes*, an original HULU series.

### **Motion Graphics Designer, Palio+Ignite** 2007 - 2014

Created award-winning educational web series including *LiveWithIt.com* and *HepC Made Simple*, numerous storyboards for educational videos, concept art for ad campaigns and print ads and corporate videos for major pharmaceutical brands, including Lilly, Bydureon, Gilead and Onyx 360.

### **Teacher, Radio and TV Institute, Russia** 2005 - 2006

Taught basics of film directing, drama, and editing; supervised student film projects.

### **Storyboard Director, Wadim Cinema, Russia** 2000 - 2005

Directed and storyboarded *Klara, Dora: Beshenye Babki*, an original animated series airing on nationally syndicated television and MTV. Duties: film direction, character animation, art direction, storyboarding and clay modeling.

## EDUCATION

1993-1998

**Russian State University of Cinematography**, Moscow, Russia  
Master of Arts, Animation Directing and Motion Graphics

1989-1992

**Art School**, Volgograd, Russia  
Certificate in Fine Arts

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## PORTFOLIO

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## SKILLS

### SOFTWARE

Adobe Photoshop

Adobe Flash

Adobe Premiere

Adobe After Effects

Adobe Illustrator

Final Cut Pro

Sony Vegas Pro

MAC/WIN user

### ARTS

Hand drawing, sketching  
and painting

### ANIMATION

Traditional animation

Stop-motion animation

Claymation

2D animation

### INTERESTS

Linguistics

Politics

History

## AWARDS

2009

### **Manny Award**

Best Interactive Patient Campaign  
*LiveWithIt.com*

2004

### **Best Animated Film**

DC Independent Film Festival

Won the Best Animated Film Award as a  
director and animator for *Klara, Dora:  
Beshenye Babki*.