

BACHELOR OF FINE ARTS: ANIMATION

These are skills and software that Animation majors may encounter and gain proficiency in during their studies. Skills and software listed may not apply to all students.

SKILLS:

- Animatics/Storyboarding
- Augmented Reality/Virtual Reality
- 2D Animation
- 3D Animation
- 3D Look Development and Lighting
- 3D Modeling
- 3D Printing
- 3D Rendering
- Audio Production
- Broadcast Graphics
- Character Animation
- Character/Object Design
- Character Rigging
- Compositing
- Digital Imaging
- Digital Video Editing
- Experimental Animation
- FX Animation
- Interactive Game Development
- Kinetic Typography
- Motion Graphics
- Previsualization
- Rotoscoping
- Stop Motion Animation
- Visual Effects

PROGRAM-SPECIFIC SOFTWARE:

- After Effects
- Dragonframe
- Illustrator
- iStopMotion
- Maya
- Media Encoder
- Mudbox
- Photoshop
- Premiere Pro
- Substance Painter
- Toon Boom
- Z-Brush

GENERAL SOFTWARE:

- Google Suite
- Linux
- Mac OS X
- Microsoft Office Suite
- Windows OS

CAREER DEVELOPMENT RESOURCES:

Opportunities for internships, employment, work studies, and freelancing are posted on mcadcareerdevelopment.com. All current students and alumni have access to view and apply for these opportunities. New opportunities are posted frequently. The Career Development site also offers links to internship and employment resources, career development resources, and the option to submit your resume for critique and review. Students and/or alumni are welcome to register with Career Development for one-on-one employment assistance.

- Career and degree/major exploration
- Career development: resumes, cover letters, interview skills, professionalism, networking, and informational interviews
- Internship preparation, application, and registration
- Job and internship search strategies
- Job and internship listings and networking contacts
- Employer and alumni connections and mentorship
- Visit us at <https://mcad.edu/facilities-and-services/career-development>

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