Gabby Gillespie
3D Animator

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Work Experience

Giddy Goat Games

3D Cinematic Animator for *Billie Bust Up* — Jan. - Present 2025

- Animated lively cutscene sequences that bridge gameplay segments together to tell a character-rich story for the upcoming platformer game *Billie Bust Up.*
- Collaborated with the project directors and animation supervisor to accomplish their vision for my assigned shots.

Barnstormer Media

Freelance 3D Animator — 2022

3D Animation Intern — June - Sept. 2022

- Promoted from intern to freelance 3D animator in September 2022. Animation quota increased from 6 to 10 seconds per day.
- Created multiple animated shots daily- averaging to 10 seconds a day.
- Exported animations from Maya and sequenced them in Unreal.

Collaborative Projects

SCAD Animation Studios

Animation Lead — 2022 - 2023

3D Animator — 2020 - 2022

- Promoted to Lead Animator in September 2022.
- Led dailies to give notes and critique for animated shots produced by the animation team.
- Animated physical and high energy shots with dynamic camera staging and character posing.
- Collaborated with directors and other animators to ensure consistency and quality character performance.

"Grotesque" - 3D Animated Short Film

Director — 2021 - 2022

- Supervised a team of 18 artists, animators, and sound designers.
- Provided leadership for the vision of the film.
- Recommended solutions and ideas during critique to improve the film's quality.
- Facilitated weekly team meetings outside of class.

Education

Master of Fine Arts in Animation — 2025
Bachelor of Fine Arts in Animation — 2022
Minor in Visual Effects
Savannah College of Art and Design - Savannah, GA

Demo Reel

Software

- Autodesk Maya
- Unreal Engine
- Houdini
- Autodesk MotionBuilder
- Vicon Shogun Live
- Vicon Shogun Post
- Adobe Photoshop
- Adobe Premiere Pro

Professional Skills

- Leadership
- Adaptable
- Problem-solving
- Dependable

Certifications

- SCAD Amp – Professional Communication and Storytelling
- LinkedIn Learning: Motion Builder, Maya Time Editor, Maya Character Rigging, Retopology for Animation

Honors

- Outstanding Academic Achievement Award SCAD 2025
- SCAD Graduate Fellowship Scholarship 2022 - 25
- SCAD Achievement Honors Scholarship 2018 - 2022