

# William Drescher

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Creative • Graphics Management • VR • Motion Design

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My expertise encompasses a collaborative process that focuses on design, speed, and flexibility, my expertise with design, software, problem-solving, training, budgets, and project management, ensure that deadlines are met, and projects exceed creative expectations.

# **EXPERIENCE**

#### CREATIVE DIRECTOR - VR & RT3D EXPERT - CONSULTANT

williamdrescher.com • Virtual Sets and Motion Graphics

- Nov. 2011 Present
- ♥ NYC, NY Albuquerque, NM
- Branding and design, award-winning expertise in motion graphics, print, and web
- $\bullet \ \ \text{Team leadership, presentation, mentoring and training of artists, \ producers, and clients \\$
- · Developer with 15 years and expertise with motion design and VR,
- · Unique Virtual Sets, Augmented Reality and UX interface designs

#### ART DIRECTOR & VIRTUAL SET DEVELOPER

ABC World News / GMA / ABC Digital

- JUL. 2014 Jan. 2017 VNYC, NY
- Art Director: ABC World News Tonight, Good Morning America and Special Projects
- · Virtual Sets and Augmented Reality Developer for ABC News Digital
- In-house mentor and trainer for broadcast and broadband graphic artists
- Social Media for ABC World News Daily feeds.

#### **DESIGN DIRECTOR**

BELO NW / KING TV / KONG TV / NWCN / KING5.com / NWCN. com

- OCT. 2005 NOV. 2011 

  ▼ Seattle, WA
  - Branded and launched more than 30 successful TV shows and their digital products.
    - New Day NW, Pete Carroll Show (NFL), Gardening with Ciscoe, Moore to Life,
    - NW Sports Tonight. NW Backroads, Evening Magazine, New Years at the Needle
  - · Clients and Partnerships
    - Seattle Seahawks, Microsoft, ALS Foundation, Starbucks, Rachel's Challenge,
    - Boeing Golf Classic, and other Seattle Brands
  - Built, developed and managed a successful industry leading department using bleeding edge
    - technology, mentoring and training for artists and producers
  - Industry leader for automation graphics and graphics project management
  - NAB Presenter for Apple Computer for my \$800,000 technology project
  - National Emmy's, duPont and Murrow awards

#### **GRAPHICS PRODUCER & FROST MANAGER & TRAINER**

**NBC Nightly News** 

- NOV. 2001 JUL. 2004 VNYC, NY
- Developed Real-time 3D motion graphics for NBC Nightly News and Special Events
- Trained and mentored designers with RT and After Effects Motion graphics.
- Designed and built graphics suite integrating Mac, PC & SGI, After Effects Expert
- Three awards for innovation in motion design and graphics production

# **TEACHING**

## NYC Motion Graphics users.org (link)

- 2000 2006 NYC, NY
  - FOUNDER, HOST, PRESENTER, AFTER EFFECTS GURU
  - Largest Motion Design Users Group in the U.S
  - Sponsored by Apple, Adobe, Autodesk, and others
  - 1400 NYC Members

#### ASSOCIATE PROFESSOR FOR MOTION DESIGN

- - School of Visual Arts
- NYU Center for Advanced Digital Applications

### **PORTFOLIO**

# CREATIVE DIRECTION, MOTION GFX, VR http://williamdrescher.com

Examples of Branding, VR, Broadcast, Social, Web, and Print.

#### **STRENGTHS**

COAST • Creative Project Management (link)

Team Leader

VR & Virtual Set Design/Development

Graphics Management and Budgeting

Motion, Web and Print Graphics

Graphic Automation, Systems Design, Server

Design,

Asset Management Design & Deployment.

Video to Web Integration and encoding,

Web Design and CSS

# **ETHOS**

"WHEN YOU MAKE SOMETHING NO ONE HATES, NO ONE LOVES IT."

- TIBOR KALMAN

# **SOFTWARE**

After Effects & Photoshop Beta Expert, Adobe CS,

Plugin Beta Tester, Cinema 4D, Final Cut, Unreal E4,

ZeroDensity Reality, Ross XPression, Vizrt, Brainstorm,

AVID Maestro, MIMO TV, Chryon/HYBRID. RT Software

tOG, CSS, HTML, UX Development, Maya, 3d Studio

Max, Curious, Google and BING Maps expert, Avid Inews, Discreet Logic Flame; MS Office Suite, Keynote,

Pages, Live Studio Camera Operator and Tracking

#### **EDUCATION**

#### GRAPHIC DESIGN - VIDEO, MULTIMEDIA

New School of Social Research & School of Visual Arts

FEB., 1994 - JUL, 1995 VNYC, NY

## PHOTOGRAPHY, TYPOGRAPHY, DESIGN

Museum School of Fine Art

■ Jan. 1991 - Sep.. 1993 • BOSTON, MA

#### FILM, VIDEO, NEGOTIATION

**Emerson College** 

■ Sept. 1990 - Sep.. 1993 • BOSTON, MA

#### MEDIA, BUSINESS, PROGRAMMING

Suffolk University

■ Sept. 1990 - Sep.. 1993 • BOSTON, MA