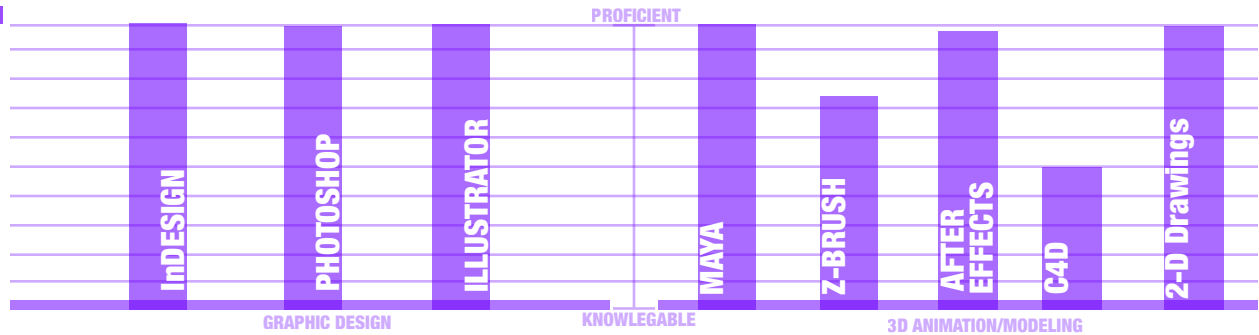


# THOMAS HIGDON

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Creative and versatile 3D Animator, 3D Modeler and Graphic Designer with experience in character animation, character modeling, character development as well as all elements of graphic design. Excellent interpersonal skills with team members and clients. Accustomed to performing under extreme deadlines and in fast paced environments.

## Technical Skills



## Professional Skills

### Graphic Design

- Conceptual Design
- Logo Design
- Packaging Design
- Corporate Branding
- Advertising Design

### 3D/Animation

- 3D Character Animation
- 3D Character Modeling
- Character Conceptual Design
- Motion Graphics
- Strong Drawing Skills

## Professional Experience

### The San Diego Padres Baseball Club

Coordinator, Creative Services - San Diego, CA

Present

- As a part of the Padres Productions team, I am responsible for creating print and web graphics for the organization as well as motion graphics and character animations for in-game assets. Work featured on SportsCenter, Sports Illustrated, Fox Sports and other local/national publications.

### Sea World San Diego

Technical Production Assistant Supervisor - San Diego, CA

2014 - 2015

- Part of a team in charge of Special Events and Attractions for Sea World. More specifically on the team supervising the christmas lighting overlay for the entire theme park.

### Qualcomm Stadium (Centerplate)

Barback - San Diego, CA

2006 - Present

- Duties include stocking, maintaining, and cleaning the bar before, during and after the events while interacting with guests to enhance their overall experience.

### Coussoulis Arena, CSUSB

Lighting Designer - San Bernardino, CA

2011 - Present

- Shows: CSUSB Presidential Gala, Best Coast, Anjelah Johnson, Kevin Hart, Aziz Ansari, Gabriel Iglesias, Shine On: A Pink Floyd Experience, CSUSB Summer Concert Series, Lupe Fiasco.

### Pacific Event Productions

Lighting Lead/Crew - San Diego, CA

2013 - 2014

- Duties include lighting and prop set and strike of various events from concerts, weddings and formal dinners. Worked on a strict time schedule to achieve the look and feel the clients wants.

### Freelance Animation/Motion Graphics

- TacoVilla Authentic Mexican Food: Graphic Design/Motion Graphics
- TenStories - Visual Authors: Character Animation (2014)
- Eventavision: Character Modeling, Animation, Motion Graphics, Projection Mapping (2015)
- CSUSB Events: Projection Mapping, Video Editing (2015)

## Education

Platt College - San Diego, CA

- B.S. in 3D Animation

Graduated 10/2013

California State University San Bernardino - San Bernardino, CA

- B.A. in Fine Art, Graphic Design

Graduated 6/2012

References Available Upon Request