Kaley Cho

Technical artist with a passion in combining technology and art to enhance storytelling.

CONTACT

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SOFTWARE

- Unreal Engine
- Houdini
- Autodesk Mava
- TouchDesigner
- Unity
- Redshift
- Marvelous Designer
- NukeX
- 8th Wall
- Cinema 4D
- Substance Painter
- Adobe Creative Suite
- (Ae, Ps, Ai, Br, Au)

SKILLS

- VFX
- Simulation
- VR/AR
- Procedural Animation
- Programming
- PBR shader
- Volumetric Capture
- Interactive Media
- Virtual Production
- Projection Mapping

PROGRAMMING

- C++ • GLSL
- C# • Vex
- Python · JavaScript
- HTML/CSS Java

LANGUAGES

- English (native)
- Korean (native)
- Japanese (intermediate)
- Spanish (elementary)

WORK EXPERIENCE

Avatar Dimension – Junior Technical Artist

09/2020 - Present

- Ashburn, VA Create holographic videos using Microsoft's volumetric capture technology.
- Integrate volumetric captures in Unreal Engine, mobile apps, and websites.
- Write python scripts and develop new workflows to improve holograms.
- Create VFX in Unreal Engine and Houdini.

The Famous Group – Technical Artist Intern

07/2020 - 09/2020

- Developed a real-time crowd system in Unreal Engine with vertex animations.
- Prototyped an interactive photo booth using Kinect sensors and TouchDesigner.

Walt Disney Imagineering – VFX Design Intern

05/2019 - 12/2019

- Designed and previsualized the media for Guardians of the Galaxy: Cosmic Rewind.
- Created procedural shaders and blueprints in Unreal Engine.
- Created a pipeline for real-time projection mapping in TouchDesigner.
- Created particle effects and smoke simulations for D23 Expo.

Sony Pictures Entertainment – Summer Content Innovation Associate 05/2018 - 08/2018

Culver City, CA

Los Angeles, CA

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- Designed an interactive projection mapping game for the *Ghostbusters* IP.
- Programmed a proprietary projector to track objects and hand gestures.
- Created 3D art for the experience using Maya and Cinema4D.

The Getty Center – 3D Animator, TouchDesigner Artist

06/2018 & 07/2019

- Created 3D animations for a large scale projection mapping event.
- Created interactive content using TouchDesigner and Kinect sensors.
- USC School of Cinematic Arts Student Assistant

08/2017 - 05/2020

- Assisted MFA production classes with real-time compositing.
- Taught Nuke in a bi-weekly workshop for MFA production students.
- Assisted and taught classes for 3D animation and VFX in Maya.
- Held TouchDesigner and Arduino workshops for an installation class.
- Provided technical support for software and production equipment.

AWARDS / HONORS

- 2019 CTPR 551 Student Assistant Scholarship recipient
- 2018 Oculus Launch Pad participant
 - Adobe Design Achievement Awards semifinalist: "Integration"
- Adobe Design Achievement Awards semifinalist: "2017 Showreel" 2017 USC Academic Achievement Award
 - USC Cinematic Jaunt VR Lab Mini-project grant recipient
- 2016 Dean's List

EDUCATION

University of Southern California | BA in Animation & Digital Arts 2016-2020 Minor in Computer Programming

Culver City, CA

Glendale. CA