# Matthias Lappe

**Character Animator** 

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#### Objective

I am highly passionate about animation, film and photography. I take a lot of pride in my job and set extremely high standards to myself to accomplish high quality work. I love to work in an environment where I get the opportunity to grow as an artist.

### **3D Experience** Remote Character Animator at Stidio Rakete 04/18 - 10/18 • Animator on a feature film project Remote Character Animator at Chimney Group 12/17 - 03/18 Animator on the feature film "Pettersson und Findus 3" 07/17 - 10/17 Remote Character Animator at SuperSpline Studios • Animator on the game "SpellSouls" 05/17 - 07/17 Remote Character Animator at Studio 100 • Animator on the feature film "Maya the Bee 2" Remote Character Animator at MIMIC Productions 10/16 - 12/16 • Facial Animator 03/16 - 07/16 Remote Character Animator at ATTRAKTION! Animator on a short film Remote Character Animator at Studio Soi 10/15 - 03/16 Animator on the project "Trudes Tier" 05/15 - 10/15 Remote Character Animator at MotionWorks • Animator on the feature film project "Mullewapp 2" 03/15 - 05/15 Remote Character Animator at Studio Soi • Animator on the project "Trudes Tier" Remote Character Animator at Little Zoo Studio 01/15 - 03/15 Animator on the feature film project "Rock Dog" 02/14 - 12/14 Director and Character Animator at Studio Soi • Directing, storyboarding and animating on the TV Pilot "Törtel" for the TV Show "Siebenstein", Broadcaster ZDF Character Animator at Studio Soi 08/13 - 12/13 • Animator on the Project "Trudes Tier" for the German TV Show "Sendung mit der Maus", Broadcaster WDR 06/12 - 07/13 Character Animator at One Animation Studio (Singapore)

• Animator on the Oddbods Project

#### **Teaching**

04/15 - present b.i.b. Internation College

• Teaching principles of animation and 3D Modeling

03/14 - present Lucerne University of Applied Sciences Art and Design

• Teaching principles of animation. Guiding students during there assignments.

09/12 - 12/12 Alumni Mentor at Animation Mentor

• Holding a Q&A Session for once a week to help students with feedback and showing tips and tricks about different animation topics.

#### **Education**

09/10 – 03/12 Animation Mentor - Advanced Studies in Character Animation

• Mentors: Tim Crawfurd (Pixar Animation Studios / Pixar Canada)

Anthea Kerou (Luma Pictures) Dimos Vrysellas (Reel FX) Dana Boadway (Freelancer)

Michelle Meeker (Teaching at the Art Institute of California)

Sean Sexton (DreamWorks Animation)

09/07 - 08/10 University of Applied Sciences Ostwestfalen-Lippe

• Program: Media Production, Degree: Bachelor of Arts

Thesis: "Alive" - A 3D 2 minute Short film Screened at followings Festivals

- Filmfestival Münster 2011

- 22. Bielefelder Film- und Videowettbewerb 2011

- 34. Internationale Grenzland-Filmtage

- 6. Internationale Mediafestival Villingen Schwenningen

## Skills

Language German (native), English (fluent)

Software Autodesk Maya (animation and modeling)

Autodesk 3ds Max (animation, modeling, texturing, rendering)

Autodesk Softimage (animation)

Adobe Suite (solid knowledge of Photoshop and After Effects)

Computer Proficient in PC and Mac