

# Beth Palmer

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## EDUCATION

**Ringling College of Art and Design**, Sarasota, FL

BFA, May 2020

Major: Computer Animation

Senior Thesis: Solely created a one-and-a-half-minute film implementing my skills of visual storytelling, character animation, and visual development

**University of North Carolina Wilmington**, Wilmington, NC

May 2016: Graduated through dual enrollment Early College High School Program

Emphasis in Animation / Visual Development Experience

## ANIMATION / VISUAL DEVELOPMENT EXPERIENCE

**Computer Animation** - Ringling College of Art and Design, Sarasota, FL, August 2017 – May 2020

- Fully Created Characters: Designing, modeling, rigging, texturing
- Developed environments and props for my characters: modeling, texturing, lighting, rendering, camera positions
- Character Animation: Produced under time sensitive circumstances – Created one-and-a-half-minute length short film, alongside multiple 15 second animation pieces as an upper-level student, focused on strong pose to pose, emotion, lip-sync, weight distribution, character interaction

**Story Artist** - Ringling College of Art and Design, Sarasota, FL, August 2017 – May 2020

- Crafted one-minute animatics under time sensitive circumstances
- Pitched short story ideas to class and faculty to create as animatics
- Designed story telling images and story boards to develop into animatics
- Created animatics through Adobe Photoshop and Premiere, demonstrating skills of camera angles and placement, 2D animation, emotion, sound design

## COMMUNICATIONS EXPERIENCE

**Online Instructor | Champion Art** Remote Part-Time Job (Evenings and Weekends), November 2020 – Present

- Developed the curriculum and teach 5 visual arts courses: 2D Animation, Digital Painting, Drawing and Story Boarding, Cartooning, and Portfolio Preparation

**Marketing Specialist | Carolina Beach Furniture Store** Wilmington, North Carolina, February 2021 – Present

- Created digital artistic marketing materials for multimedia marketing purposes
- Designed and painting mural on side of Carolina Beach Furniture Store
- Photographed furniture sets and pieces inside store, edited all images to be displayed on CBF website

**Director/Videographer and Editor | “Fool” Music Video** Wilmington, North Carolina, May - June 2020

- Filmed music video for Ava Johnson’s song “Fool”
- Edited all footage using Adobe Premiere and Adobe After Effects

**Graphic Designer | P4 Technologies** Wilmington, North Carolina, Summer 2018, Summer 2017

- Designed and created two large banners for P4 Technologies to use as a part of trade show display
- Edited training films for customers to watch and learn how to navigate the Inventory Management Software
- Responsible for editing and creating graphical content for training and marketing materials
- Designed graphic images for website with Adobe Photoshop

**Video/Photo Editor | Mt Philo Films LLC** Wilmington, North Carolina, Summer 2016

- Edited footage to create a short film to be presented at a Film Festival
- Edited and cropped large quantities of photos to be compiled into a book

## COMPUTER SKILLS

- Proficient in Autodesk Maya, Adobe Photoshop, Adobe Premiere, Procreate, Adobe Light Room, Apple iMovie, ZBrush, 3D Coat, Substance Painter, Marvelous Designer
- Knowledgeable in Adobe After Effects, Adobe Illustrator, Adobe InDesign
- Certified in Microsoft Office (Word, PowerPoint, Excel)