

MARK FRANZ

EDUCATION

2007-2009	The School of The Art Institute of Chicago M.F.A Studio Art, Art and Technology Graduation May 2009	Chicago, IL
2005-2007	Ball State University M.A Electronic Art and Animation	Muncie, IN
2001-2005	Taylor University B.A. English Literature Minor Studio Art	Upland, IN

EXPERIENCE

2008 - 2009	Contractor/Designer and Animator for CME Group and Make Corporation	
2008	Internship, Eatdrink, Chicago, IL	
2007 - 2008	Head Animator, DJ Spooky's Video Essay <i>Link City Chicago</i>	
2007 - 2008	Graduate Teaching Assistant, School of The Art Institute Of Chicago	
2007	Producer and Director, Ki Theory's Music Video <i>Holiday Heart</i> for Redlight Management	
2006 - 2007	Graduate Teaching Assistant, Institute for Digital Intermedia and Animation	
2006 - 2007	Institute for Digital Intermedia and Animation Immersive Seminar in Intermedia Art (competitive admission based on instructor recommendation and portfolio review, projects funded by Lilly Foundation grant)	
Fall 2006	Installation Assistant, Ball State University Indianapolis Center	
Fall 2006	Installation Assistant, Engaging Technology: <i>A History And Future Of Intermedia</i> (Prepared and Installed Work by Nam June Paik, Jenny Holtzer, Adam Brown, Richard Bloes, Hans Breder, Dick Higgins, Golan Levin, And Alan Rath, worked closely with many of the artists on complex installations)	
Fall 2006	Instructor, Shake 4.0 Compositing Demonstration	
Spring 2006	Installation Assistant, Interactive Wireless Sculpture by Jesse Allison, Keith Kothman, And John Fillwalk, Shaeffer Bell Tower, Ball State University	
Spring 2006	Graduate Teaching Assistant, Ball State Department of Art	

- Summer 2006 Digital Art Production Assistant, Center for Media Design, Ball State University
- 2005 – 2006 Advanced Video Lab Technician, Ball State University Department of Art
- 2003 - 2004 Integration of Faith And Culture Cabinet, Taylor University, Paid Position (published monthly newsletter on popular culture, booked major concerts and movie presentations for Taylor University, worked with artists such as Sufjan Stevens, Death Cab For Cutie, Over the Rhine and Others)

SELECTED JURIED EXHIBITIONS

- 2008 HollyShorts Film Festival, Hollywood, CA
- 2008 International 18! Video Festival, Bochum, Germany
- 2006 Ball State University 71st Annual Student Art Exhibition, First Place Electronic Art
- 2006 Frog Baby Film Festival, Best Experimental, Ball State University
- 2006 Minnetrista Cultural Center Exhibition, Muncie, IN
- 2005 Senior Art Exhibition, Awarded Superior, Taylor University
- 2004 Mitchell Art Exhibition, Two Zondervan Library Purchase Awards, Taylor University

NON JURIED EXHIBITIONS AND GUEST ARTIST PRESENTATIONS

- 2008 Looptopia Annual Chicago Art Festival. *Visible Gestures*. Interactive 3D Video Installation, Infrared head tracking, Depaul University
- 2008 Paul D. Miller Aka DJ Spooky's *Link City Chicago* Video Essay, Betty Rymer Gallery, Chicago, IL
- 2007 Subliminal Strings: Link City, The Chicago History Museum
- 2007 David Letterman Communication and Media Building Opening Ceremony, Muncie, IN
- 2007 Private Reception For Ball State University Administration, Mitchell Place Studios, Muncie, IN
- 2006 Digital Exchange Showcase Presented By The Center For Media Design, Ball State University
- 2006 Solo Exhibition, Arts And Journalism Advanced Photography Lighting Studio, Ball State University

2006	Institute for Digital Intermedia Art and Animation Exhibition, Mitchell Place Studios
2006	Graduate Exhibition, Ball State University Atrium Gallery
2006	<i>Fairmount Indiana And The Life Of James Byron Dean</i> , Fairmount Historical Museum, Editor And Producer, Fairmount, IN
2006	Guest Artist Presentation, Ball State Museum of Art
2006	Guest Artist Presentation, Taylor University

COLLECTIONS

2006	Ball State University Department of Art Collection
2005	Taylor University Department of Art Collection
2004	Zondervan Library Collection, Taylor University

SKILLS

Compositing	Apple Shake 4.0, Autodesk Combustion 4.0, Eyeon Fusion 5.2, Adobe After Effects CS3, Adobe Illustrator CS3, Adobe Photoshop CS3
3D	Autodesk 3ds Max 2008, Autodesk Maya 2008, Avid Softimage XSI 6.5, Autodesk MotionBuilder 7.5
Design/Web	Adobe Master Collection
Scripting	Python, ActionScript3, MEL, Processing, JavaScript, Max/MSP/Jitter, HTML
Motion Capture	Vicon MX40 Motion Capture System, Autodesk MotionBuilder 7.5
Cameras	Sony HDW-F900H, Panasonic AG- HVX200