

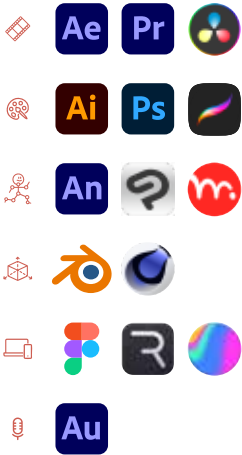
WES MILES

motion design & animation

at a glance

2D & 3D Motion Design & Animation Specialist with 13+ years of professional, studio experience. Skilled in storytelling, UX motion, and team leadership. Active contributor to the Microsoft motion design community.

skills



project management

brand development

storyboarding rigging

art direction prototyping

ui design user testing

ai solutions & integration

experience



Microsoft

2018 - present

Senior Motion Designer for Windows Core UX
Lead Motion Designer for Microsoft EDU



Amazon

2017-2018

Lead Motion Designer for Day One Creative Team
Senior Motion Designer for Amazon CS & D2CS Teams



VMG Studios

2017

Character Artist/Animator for Microsoft & Starbucks videos
Motion Designer/Video Editor for T-Mobile videos



Design Laboratory, Inc.

2014 - 2016

Lead Artist/Video Editor for Microsoft, Xbox, Skype,
Bill & Melinda Gates Foundation videos



Wes Works

2012 - 2016

Freelance Videographer, Editor, Motion & Graphics
for local and out-of-state businesses

project highlights

- Lead Animator on Microsoft Teams' "Turn-In Celebrations" used in classrooms worldwide
- Established motion guidelines for Microsoft Reading Coach character animations
- Lead Animator on Microsoft Accessibility 101 Training
- Core Character Rigger & Animator on Starbucks' Emergency Preparedness resources
- Developed reusable motion templates for Amazon Prime Day campaigns, still in use today
- Art director for upcoming PBS Cascade documentary

i would also like to mention

- Video production expertise, owner of fully stocked studio, utilized for hi-vis Microsoft projects
- Founder & Host of "DreadFest" annual Seattle-area film festival
- PADI certified Rescue Diver & Emergency First Responder