# Michela Rose

**Technical Animation TD**
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## Work History

June 2007-Present | Rhythm & Hues Studios | Los Angeles, CA

**Technical Animation Lead – Films and Responsibilities:**

**"Alvin and the Chipmunks: The Squeakuel"** (December 2009)
**"Aliens in the Attic"** (July 2009)
**"Night at the Museum: Battle of the Smithsonian"** (May 2009)

- Manage day-to-day operations for a team of 10-15 Tech Anim TDs
- Assign, critique, and present team's shots to Tech Anim and VFX Supervisors
- Train and assist TDs in execution of shot work and troubleshooting of problems
- R&D new techniques and tools, character rigs, look of characters

**Technical Animation TD – Films and Responsibilities:**

**"The Mummy: Tomb of the Dragon Emperor"** (August 2008)
**"The Golden Compass"** (December 2007)
**"Alvin and the Chipmunks"** (December 2007)

- Evaluate and enhance animation for proper skin and fur appearance
- Modify fur and cloth movement through simulation and other methods
- Present work for daily critique and make requested changes for quick, efficient shot turn-around

March 2003-July 2005 | Hastings Entertainment, Inc. | Murfreesboro, TN

**Assistant Manager**

- Management of store operations and staff, hiring/training of staff, safe/cash handling, customer service

August 1999-March 2003 | Printworks Express | Murfreesboro, TN

**Assistant Manager**

- Graphic design, customer service, execution of copy/print jobs, safe/cash/deposits

## Education

Fall 2005-present | Clemson University | Clemson, SC

**M.F.A in Digital Production Arts (pursuing)**

Fall 1999-Spring 2005 | Middle Tennessee State University | Murfreesboro, TN

**B.S. in Mass Communication (Digital Animation Concentration) and Computer Science, Minor in Art**

## SIGGRAPH

- Industry Coordinator for the SIGGRAPH Student Services Committee 2009-2010
- SIGGRAPH XSV (Ex-Student Volunteer) 2008
- Communications Director for the SIGGRAPH Student Volunteers Program Committee 2007
- SIGGRAPH Conference Student Volunteer/Team Leader, 2002–2006

References available upon request.