

Christopher J. Kelly

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Director of Art, Animation & Design.

Conceptual Artist

- Recruited Illustrators & Animators
- Training Illustrators into Senior Illustrator & Animators
- Capable of adaptation to any art or illustrious style
- Helping clients realize their vision

Specializing in

- 2D Animation
- Logos & Corporate Identity
- Graphic Design
- Visual Development
- Storyboarding
- Advertising
- Character Development
- Show & Lighting Design

Education

School of Visual Arts BFA, New York, NY

Professional History

C. Kelly Studios/Visionary Illuminations/CKTiki Animation Studios New York, NY & Sonoma, CA

Design Director & Visual Development: The Al Turner Company

Conceptual Artist: New Line Cinema, Toonworks, I.D.E.A.S. at Disney/MGM Studios for Walt Disney Imagineering

Show/Conceptual Design, Lighting Design, Graphic Design, logos & branding: Marriott, Ritz-Carlton, Renaissance hotels

Art & Animation Director, Character Design: Toonworks working with Premise Entertainment

Animator: Cartoon Network, World Wrestling Federation, Hasbro Toys, Curious Pictures (set designer), TV commercials, CKTiki

Illustrator: musical group Hot Tuna, Cineventures and Riverbank Executive Productions

House Art Director/Artist: New York's Lone Star Café

Academy of Art University San Francisco, CA

Instructor: Storyboarding, Pre-production.

Art Institute of California San Francisco, Sacramento & Sunnyvale, CA

Instructor: 2D Animation, Color Theory, Flash, Anatomy, Life Drawing

Storyboarding, Characterization, Caricature, Surrealism Digital Ink and Paint

Expression Center for New Media Emeryville, CA

Instructor: Business/Marketing/Branding, Animation, Life Drawing

The Adhoc Group/Proxim Inc Sausalito & San Francisco, CA

Animation Director, Illustration Director and Producer. Head Animator and Principle Designer.

Disney-Online: main Client

London Connection Design New York, NY **Art Director and Principle Designer**