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**Daniel V. Cusimano**

**ARTIST • DESIGNER • SCULPTOR**

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## EXPERIENCE

### **Blaine Kern Artists, Inc.**

#### **Illustrator**

- Created concept illustrations for props, floats and costumes for in house production crews, and for client use.
- Designed several floats for diverse clientele including the Krewe of Babylon 2015.
- Created designs and assembly instructions for the Chick-Fil-A Cow Campaign billboards.
- Designed and assembled diverse client presentations in a variety of media.

**May 2014 - Oct 2014**

New Orleans, LA

### **Composite Effects (CFX)**

#### **Production Artist**

- Repaired structural and aesthetic defects in silicone prosthetics and masks.
- Constructed various silicone props and medical equipment.

**Aug 2013 - Feb 2014**

Baton Rouge, LA

### **Crescent Crown Distributing, LLC.**

#### **Graphic Designer**

- Managed, used, and maintained several large format printers and signage equipment.
- Produced, designed, and updated a variety of signage for diverse customer base including posters, banners, wall signs, and outdoor signs.
- Met customer design expectations in a timely and satisfying manner.

**Sept 2012 - March 2013**

Baton Rouge, LA

### **Midnight Productions, Inc.**

#### **Actor**

- Performed as a variety of characters and creatures, both in makeup and prosthetics, throughout both the 13th Gate and Necropolis haunted attractions.

**Sept - Nov 2012**

Baton Rouge, LA

## EDUCATION

### **Savannah College of Art and Design**

B.F.A. Sequential Art

**May 2012**

Savannah, GA

## ACHIEVEMENTS

#### • **Vernissage Gallery Showing**

Work featured in a gallery show and purchased by private collectors.

**May 2011**

Lacoste, France

#### • **Eagle Scout, Boy Scouts of America**

**2008**

#### • **Louisiana Press Women 2007 High School Communications Contest in Cartooning**

1st and 3rd Place Awards

#### • **2007 Louisiana Scholastic Press Association Newspaper Competition in Editorial/Political Cartooning**

1st, 2nd, and 3rd Place Awards

## SKILLS

- Proficient in Adobe Creative Suite 6; particularly Photoshop, Illustrator, InDesign, and Dream Weaver.
- Proficient in CorelDraw Graphics Suite x6.
- Proficient in Microsoft Office and Apple iWork programs.
- Familiar with HTML and CSS.
- Familiar with Maya and ZBrush.
- Extensive knowledge of Graphic Design, Drawing, Painting, Sculpting, Color Theory, Anatomy.
- Experienced with Large Format Printing, Document and Image Layout, Sign and Display Production and Manufacture.
- Experienced with the handling, manufacture and repair of multiple types of silicone products.
- Experienced with setup and care of varied technical pieces of lighting equipment.