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# SEBASTIAN DURAN- CAD / CHARACTER ARTIST

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## *PROFESSIONAL SUMMARY*

I am a creative, hands-on professional with expertise in CAD Design, and free form sculpting. I am a Team player who multi-tasks and manages time to excel at bringing Concepts to life.

I find my strength lies when I'm in an environment that challenges me to think outside the box.

In addition to teaching, I enjoy communicating with others to help develop knowledge and a sense of urgency in a fast pace environment.

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## *SKILLS*

- Bi-lingual (Spanish & English).
- Proficient in Photoshop, Maya, Zbrush, Rhino, Matrix, Substance Painter, Marmoset Toolbag.
- Problem solver • Team player
- Understanding high to low game poly mesh
- Texturing, ability to create UV's and hand painted materials
- Traditional drawing, sculpting and painting skills.
- Excellent ability to be organized and be resourceful in a team environment pipe line

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## *EXPERIENCE*

JARED | Apprentice | Alpharetta, GA

- In charge of Clerical work.
  - Answering calls and opening UPS boxes.
  - Taking pictures of work coming in and work leaving the shop.
  - Responsible for polishing Jewelry and Rhodium plated it.
  - Size up and size down rings.
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ID3 | 3D Designer and CNC operator | Atlanta

- I was a key asset for Character and Animal design.
- Communicated with other departments for fabrication needs.
- Efficient in meeting Production deadlines.
- I used CNC and Hotwire to create shapes that can be used for production.

Freelance Sculptor | Indie Games | Sculptors Assistant

- Communicated with clients to produce characters for their game needs.
- Retopologizing character to be rigged for animation.
- Textured asset to read well in game.
- Cut wood to size
- Build wire armatures
- Hand sand surfaces for required finish
- Reviewed the life size assets to assure it will fit in the space needed.
- Communicated back and forward with the coordinator to assure success for the event.

*EDUCATION*

BACHELORS OF ARTS Digital Media/ Animation

The Art Institute of Atlanta

Dunwoody, GA | 2016

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