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- OBJECTIVE:** Obtain a position as a Lighting Artist by bringing together my graphic arts, lighting and showset design experience.
- EXPERIENCE:**
- Senior Lighting Artist (Treyarch)** **12/17-9/18**
Lighting artist working on multiplayer levels, alternate lighting states and cinematics for Call of Duty: Black Ops 4.
 - Senior Lighting Artist (Skydance Interactive)** **2/17-11/17**
Lighting artist at Skydance Interactive, working on Archangel and unannounced titles in Unreal Engine 4.
 - Senior Lighting Artist (Infinity Ward)** **3/16-2/17**
Lighting artist at Infinity Ward, working on Call of Duty: Infinite Warfare. Worked on all multiplayer levels in Radiant and Rembrandt.
 - Freelance – Lighting Artist/Modeler** **10/13-3/16 , 10/10-12/11**
Contract lighting, rendering, modeling and texturing for such companies as Gabriel Garcia Studios, Cal State Fullerton, TreeFort, etc.
 - Lighting Artist (Red 5 Studios)** **7/12-9/13**
Lighting and atmospherics for all areas of Firefall, working in and improving their deferred lighting system.
 - Lighting Artist (Double Helix Games)** **12/11-7/12**
Assess, repair and bolster the lighting pipeline for the in-house engine. Lighting and atmospherics for all levels on an unannounced next-gen title.
 - Lighter/Technical Artist (Electronic Arts - LA)** **10/09-10/10**
Focusing mainly on lighting work in the Unreal 3 engine (with Illuminate Labs Beast lighting), as well as VFX, shader work, asset creation and integration.
 - Production Artist (The KERN Organization)** **10/05-10/06**
Managed all aspects of graphic design and print production projects
Clients included DIRECTV, Nextel, SAP and VeriSign.
 - Production Artist (Bakersman Productions)** **6/00-6/01**
Managed image editing and mechanical layouts for DVD and video game packaging using Photoshop, Illustrator and Quark.
 - Showset Designer (Walt Disney Imagineering)** **2/96-4/99**
Coordinated, designed and edited showset packages on Animal Kingdom's Tree of Life, Disneyland Innoventions, and DCA Bug Show. Lighting and fixture design on themed lighting team.

EDUCATION: **Gnomon** **2006-2008**
Completed all available courses in polygon modeling, high res digital sculpting and game asset creation.

Michigan State University **1990-1993**
Engineering Major.

SOFTWARE: Maya UnrealEngine ZBrush
Perforce Photoshop Bootstrapper
Radiant Rembrandt