

ROWAN HALTON

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PROFESSIONAL SUMMARY

Rowan is an experienced Blender Specialist with over 5 years of experience using Blender, he has worked professionally with Bomper Studio and Hollowpixel Studio on client projects for the BBC and Poked Studio, while producing a number of personal projects to further his skill and express himself. He is a friendly, considerate and hard working Animator, great at self management and working in teams.

RELEVANT EXPERIENCE

Apprentice Animator

Bomper Studio - BBC Bitesize - Qatar Food Festival
December 2024 - April 2025

- **Rigged** and **animated** the background crowds for **Qatar International Food festival** project
- Worked with a team to create **12 clay stop-mo inspired episodes** for **BBC Bitesize**, from previs to lighting.
- **Previs, Modelling, Rigging, Animating** and **Lighting**.
- Completed work in time for tight deadlines and meeting with client feedback.

Animation Apprentice

Hollowpixel Studios 2023 -2024

- Lead the team in creating the short film "**Gastronauts**". From the initial **concept** and **creating assets** to **animation** and **lighting**.
- Created animations that secured a contract to create the TV series "**Pokedbots**".
- Demonstrated diverse animation pipeline skills during the apprenticeship, making a versatile team member for production tasks.
- **Hollowpixel Studios** won the **Welsh Champion Apprenticeship Employer Award 2024**.

Scouts Vollunteer

61st Cardiff Scouts 2013 - present

- I have been part of the scouting movement since I was eight, progressing from a Cub to Young Leader and now an **Adult Leader** at the 61st Cardiff Scout section. Scouting has helped shap me, leading me to volunteer in a leadership role to mentor the next generation.

EDUCATION

AIM Qualification - Level 4 in Interactive Design

Hollowpixel Studios & Gower College 2023 - 2024

Bachelor of Arts Degree - HONS Illustration

University of South Wales 2017 - 2020 - Graduated with a 2-1

OCR Level 3 Diploma in Art & Design

Coleg Y Cymoedd 2015 - 2017 - Graduated with a Merit

GCSE's

Ysgol Gyfyn Gymraeg Glantaf 2011 - 2015 - 9 GCSE's ranging from C - B

TESTIMONIAL FROM PREVIOUS EMPLOYER

Chris McFall - Hollowpixel's Company Director
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"Rowan is a remarkably versatile multidisciplinary creative who is great at self management and collaborative working. Rowan is a pleasure to work with, and will be a real asset to whatever team he next finds himself on."