

# MICHAEL TAVAREZ

Design, Animation, and Compositing

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## Education

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May 2008 **Otis College of Art and Design** *Los Angeles, CA*  
Bachelor of Fine Arts, Digital Media (With Honors)

## Software

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Adobe After Effects  
Final Cut Pro

Autodesk Maya  
Adobe Photoshop

## Experience

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Feb 2009 Paranoid US *Hollywood, CA*  
**Previz | Visual Effects Compositor**  
Walmart, Enviga

Feb 2009 Three Legged Legs *Santa Monica, CA*  
**Designer | Animator**  
Starbucks, NASA

Dec 2008 JibJab Media *Santa Monica, CA*  
**Designer | Visual Effects Compositor**  
JibJab.com "The Appointment"

Aug 2008 Disney | ABC *Burbank, CA*  
**Motion Graphics Animator**  
ABC Television Group

July 2008 Side One Dummy Records *Los Angeles, CA*  
**Visual Effects Compositor | Director**  
"Street Fighter" Music Video

Dec 2007 Coca-Cola *Los Angeles, CA*  
**Designer | Motion Graphics Animator**  
"Bubble Dance" Thesis Spec Ad

2006-2007 GoTV Networks *Sherman Oaks, CA*  
**Designer | Animator**  
"Fun with Shapes"

2005-2008 Otis College of Art and Design *Los Angeles, CA*  
**Part Time Video Lab Technician**  
Assisted faculty, staff, and students in editing and film production