



# JOEL TURNER

## DESIGNER

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### PERSONAL

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### WORK

Experience	10 years (relevant)
Currently	3D Motion GFX


### EDUCATION

Master	MA Psychology
Degree	BA Psychology/Philosophy

### PROGRAMS

After Effects	<div style="width: 80%;"></div>
Illustrator	<div style="width: 60%;"></div>
Photoshop	<div style="width: 90%;"></div>
Premiere	<div style="width: 70%;"></div>
Cinema 4D	<div style="width: 50%;"></div>
Houdini	<div style="width: 30%;"></div>




### AWARDS/CERTIFICATES

-  **Eagle Boy Scout**  
1997
-  **Certified Addictions Counselor II**  
Colorado
-  **Best of the West**  
Values Recognition (design)

### TIMELINE

- 2017** ● **Video Designer/3D/UX Design / Live Production**  
University of West Georgia  
Carrollton, GA, USA  
(March 2013 - current)
- 2013** ● **Adjunct Professor - Psy**  
West GA Technical College  
Waco, GA 30182  
(July 2010 - January 2013)
- 2013** ● **Therapist/Counselor**  
West GA Counseling & Ed  
Temple, GA  
(2010 - 2013)
- 2012** ● **Bartender**  
Plates on the Square  
Carrollton, GA 30117  
(2010 - 2012)
- 2008** ● **Bartender**  
WISH Nightclub  
Denver, CO 80204  
(2007 - 2008)
- 2006** ● **Founder/Director**  
Comeback, LLC  
Denver, CO  
(2006 - 2010)

### HOBBIES

-  **Music/Audio**  
Musician/Engineer/Designer
-  **Science**  
Neuroscience/Physics/Biology
-  **Social Justice / Philanthropy**  
Equality/Poverty/Education

### ABOUT ME

My interest in design began in high school when I started looking at how websites were being uniquely put together. I then began teaching myself how to build and design websites using what was then called Macromedia (now Adobe) products Dreamweaver, Flash, and Fireworks.

This interest in design lingered as a hobby in my life throughout college and after until I started a small record label/promotions company in Denver, Colorado. It was during this time that I began to further develop my design skills through working with various artists and bands.

In 2009 I returned to Georgia where I began working as a mental health therapist and then as an adjunct professor of psychology at a local College. After a few years of teaching and counseling, I had a career change when I was offered the opportunity to do motion graphics and video design for the University of West Georgia. Through this job I taught myself 3D motion and UX design to further my understanding of design and really satiate my desire for various techniques.

At my current job I average upwards of 2200 graphics a year, currently; and work in most areas including: concept, 3D modeling, texturing, lighting, animation, compositing, and rendering.

### REFERENCES

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