



Kfir Ben-Dov

3D Animator

ABOUT ME

Passionate artist who lives and breathes animation with extensive experience in the field of post-production.

Eager to push myself to the next level and help tell stories that inspire people.

SKILLS

Great team player, fast learner, strong work ethic, proactive, open-minded, problem solver, performs well under time constraints and pressure

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LANGUAGES

Hebrew Native

English Fluent

SOFTWARE

Autodesk Maya

Unreal Engine

After Effects

Photoshop

Illustrator

Premiere Pro

DaVinci Resolve (Color)

Recommendations can be provided upon request

WORK EXPERIENCE

2026 - Present **Playtika - 3D Character Animator**

- Leading character animation for Playtika's upcoming unannounced global mobile game
- Defining acting and tone across cutscenes and gameplay for a brand-new IP.

2024 - 2026 **Freelance Character Animator**

- Freelance animation work for leading game and animation studios, including Playtika, Candivore, Funkeyz, and Studio BUMP
- Character animation for commercials and marketing content
- Animator on a feature animated production in development, under the director Uri Lotan

2024 **Stealth Startup - Technical Animator & 3D Generalist**

- Animation, modeling, rigging, and creative directing in the development of a GenAI pipeline
- Forming technical animation solutions and workflows, using GenAI tools and the Unreal Engine cinematics tools

2023 **Igloo Creative House - 3D Animator**

- 3D Character Animator on "SpongeBob's Crazy Carnival Ride" including acting and gameplay scenes, under the direction of artists from Paramount and Nickelodeon
- 3D Animation work on trailers and advertisements

EDUCATION

2022-2023 Graduate of **Animation Mentor** school for **3D Character Animation** studying under some of the industry's finest animators

2020-2022 Graduate of **Frame by Frame** school for **3D Character Animation**

2013-2019 3D studies with Head of Animation and Maya Department at Tiltan College of Visual Design and Communication

2013-2019 **Bar Ilan Yeshiva for the Arts and Sciences** - Matriculation Certification

AWARDS

2017 **First place** for a 3D animation video clip, "Karamela" in the "Young Clip" Video Competition