

# MICHAEL RINGSEIS

INTERACTIVE ART DIRECTOR & ANIMATOR

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## ABOUT ME

I am a digital art director with over a decade of experience in the advertising/marketing industry and an extensive background in interactive, motion design and animation. I bring a great understanding of design and brand communications to my work. I am a dedicated and detail-oriented worker, successful individually as well as in a team setting. While each project is taken seriously, I enjoy my work, which translates to high quality creative and successful working relationships.

Interactive allows me to apply both my love of animation and of design. I am inspired by designing for user behavior, and strive to achieve a balance between simplicity and engagement in all my work. My professional experience and dedication combine to make me a motivated team player that would be a great asset to your organization.

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## EXPERIENCE

2008 - present Freelance Art Director and Flash Animator

2007 - 2008 Art Director  
BuderEngel & Friends, San Francisco, CA

2005 - 2007 Art Director / Senior Flash Animator  
McCann Worldwide, San Francisco, CA

2002 - 2005 Senior Designer / Animator  
Freestyle Interactive, San Francisco, CA

2000 - 2002 Designer / Animator  
eMotion Studios, Sausalito, CA

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## SKILLS

*Interactive Advertising:* Art Direction, Flash Development, Animation & Motion Design, Web Design and Illustration

*Applications:* Adobe Photoshop, Adobe Flash, Adobe Illustrator, Adobe After Effects, Adobe Dreamweaver, and Adobe InDesign.

*Languages:* ActionScript 3.0, CSS and HTML.

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## AWARDS

Silver MIXX Award  
3 Bronze ADDY® Awards

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## EDUCATION

University of Oregon, Bachelor of Fine Arts: Graphic Design and Animation  
University of California, Santa Cruz, Fine Arts: Film and Video  
San Francisco State, Multimedia Studies Program