

# **James Philip Mole**

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### ABOUT

I have experience working in the games and film industry both in-house and remotely as 3D Generalist Artist & Character Animator. I also design and self publish advert-free video games which are available on the App Store and Google Play (Search "Jimmy Mole"). I have achieved many qualifications and put my hand to different skills over the years including Plumbing, Customer Service, Press Operating, Assembly work, Spot Welding, Armed Forces and a number of skilled driving roles including Buses and HGV's.

#### EDUCATION

Animation Mentor (September 2013 – June 2016) US Diploma in Advanced 3D Character Animation

Staffordshire University (September 2004 – June 2007) BSc (Hons) Computer Games Design & Programming

Open College Network (December 2007 – April 2008) 3D Character Modelling & Animation

Computeach International (September 2002 – September 2004) Sun Certified Java Programmer & Web Designer

Hockley Bus Garage (July 2002 – December 2002) NVQ Level 2 Transporting Passengers by Road

Scheidegger Ltd (February 2001 – September 2002) City & Guilds Level 2 Programming with Java 2.0

Open College Network (December 2000 – February 2001) RSA Integrated Business Technology Stage 2

Sandwell Training Association (September 1998) – Press setting and operating Certificate

Comex EIC Ltd (September 1996 – June 1997) NVQ Level 2 Plumbing and Heating Engineer

Handsworth College (August 1994) City & Guilds Level 2 Electrical Installation

HM Armed Forces (July 1993 – July 1996) NVQ Level 2 Military Training, Weapon Handling & First Aid

Dartmouth High School (1986-1991) GCSE's – Various subjects graded B – E (1991)

Fully Qualified & Licensed Taxi Driver Private Hire Badge no. 3780 – Walsall Council

**HGV Truck Driving License** (Category C & C/E) **PCV Bus Driving License** (Category D)

#### WORK EXPERIENCE

**Koda Cryptocurrency – 3D Generalist Artist** (June 2022 – Present) Creating 3D models, rigs and animations for various content including games, films, advertising, VR and the web

**Strolling 4 Stress – Fundraiser** (May 2022 – Present) Charity website to help raise funds for various charities. Set up to battle depression and mental health issues by walking, running and hiking

**Uber Eats – Delivery Driver** (September 2021 – Present) Part-Time role ensuring the safe and efficient delivery of Hot/Cold food, groceries and beverages to the community

**Amazon Flex – Delivery Driver** (August 2021 – Present) Part-Time role ensuring the safe delivery of Parcels and Packages to the wider community and businesses

**Jimmy Mole – 3D Generalist Artist** (April 2019 – Present) Self-Employed Designer working on various projects including 3D Animation, 3D Modelling and Games Design. I work on my own mobile indie games, 3D projects and also Freelance work for various companies creating models, rigs and animations for Games and Short Animated Films

**Mole Maintenance – Plumber** (April 2019 – Present) Part-Time role carrying out various plumbing tasks mainly for friends and family such as leaks, ball valves, washers, faulty pipe work and toilet repairs

**Virtual 3D Solutions – 3D Generalist** (May 2017 – April 2019) 3D Generalist & Animator for the Virtual Reality and training industry. Produced various 3D animated movies and VR training for the traffic management industry

**Fuzzy Frog – 3D Character Animator** (July 2016 – May 2017) Character Animator for Mobile Games & VR. Worked on a number of high-end mobile games including Kings of Soccer & Nyjah Huston: #Skatelife

Quarter Circle Games – 3D Generalist (March 2016 – July 2018) Part-Time role as an Animator, Rigger and 3D Generalist working on the steam game "Once Upon a time in Roswell" for PS4, Xbox & PC

Mole Mobile (Now Jimmy Mole) - Games Designer (August 2014 - March 2016) Mobile Games Designer / Publisher

Diamond Buses (Rotala Group) - Bus Driver (December 2010 - August 2014) Bus Driver

Allied Bakeries – HGV Driver (August 2010 – December 2010) HGV Driver C and C/E

National Express (Travel West Midlands) - Bus Driver (July 2000 - August 2010) Bus Driver

Land Rover – Welder & Assembler (August 1998 – July 2000) Spot Welder & Assembler

Hadley Industries - Press Setter/Operator (July 1997 - August 1998) Press Setter & Operator

Mole Maintenance – Plumber (July 1996 – July 1997) Plumber's mate

HM Armed Forces - Gunner 3RHA (July 1993 - July 1996) Part Time Territorial & Full time Soldier in HM Forces (RHA)

C.A. Sothers - Apprentice Electrician (September 1991 – July 1993) Apprentice Electrician

## • SKILLS

**Computer Software:** Blender, Maya, ZBrush, Lightwave, Substance Painter, Photoshop, Premier, Illustrator, Keyshot, Tiled, Corona & Unity

Other: Plumbing, PCV Driver, HGV Driver (C), HGV Driver (C + E), Taxi Driver, First Aider, Courier & Delivery Driver

#### HOBBIES

Running, Travelling, Sketching, Designing, Writing, Movies, Retro Games, Music, Watching Snooker & Boxing

## • CREDITS

**Games:** Nemesis Apes of Edyn, Flying Fox, Once upon a time in Roswell, Nyjah Huston: #Skatelife, Kings of Soccer, Doodle Jump 3D, Quest of Legends, Word Demon, Dibba & Dabba, Pop 'em!, Creepy Little Monsters, Time Tapper, Planet Run, Funny Onions (In Progress) **Films:** Trollbridge, Metro 6, Ayer, The Little Redcoat, The Spider Diaries (In Progress) **TV:** Bakkar **Books:** Jacob & the Magic Monster, Elijah's Little Spider (In Progress)

#### Children's book available on Amazon & Kindle



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