

Joshua Arora – 3D Modeler

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EDUCATION

Academy of Art University | BFA in 3D Modeling

San Francisco, CA | 06/2021 – Present

- School of Game Development – Expected Graduation in 2026 (President Honor's List)
- Spring Show 2025 – Accepted Submission: *Hydro Ray Pistol*
- Valorant Esports Team Member – Spring 2024

EXPERIENCE

Smilegate – Global Business Outsourcing (GBO), OPC. | Intern (OJT)

Manila, Philippines | 06/2025- 08/2025

- Produced high-quality 3D assets for Crossfire promotional campaigns, ensuring thematic accuracy and visual impact.
- Designed title/team logos with chrome & gunmetal wear, modeled gemstone assets, and created promotional crates, in-game currency, and an environment scene from concept to final render.

The Retreat Palm Dubai | Graphic Design Intern

Dubai, UAE | 07/2018 - 08/2018

- Designed an ad brochure for Retreat Palm Dubai, boosting inquiries from Saudi Arabian tourists by 30% in three months.
- Researched cultural preferences, increasing audience engagement by 25% through tailored content.

The Message House | Graphic Design Intern

Dubai, UAE | 07/2017 – 08/2017

- Designed and installed greenery-themed vinyl wall art to enhance workplace environment.

PROJECTS

BLOOD (Collab Project/Studio X for AAU) | Environment Artist

San Francisco, CA, USA | 02/2025-05/2025

- Created and refined environmental assets for Blood, ensuring level consistency and alignment with the game's visual direction.

AGO Short Film | Actor

Dubai, UAE | 07/2024-07/2024

- Street-cast in a colleague's film, collaborating with the director, crew, and actors to develop character and scene direction.

Lost Relay Short Film | Creative Director

Dubai, UAE | 06/2024-06/2024

- Directed the film's visual style and collaborated with crew and ADs to ensure consistency, align goals, and support problem-solving.

SKILLS

Maya, ZBrush, Substance Painter, Photoshop, Unity, Unreal Engine, Marmoset Toolbag 5