

# Ron Austin

## Curriculum Vitae

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### EDUCATION

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University of Washington, Bothell

**Master of Education**, Concentrations: Instructional design and interactive media

Culminating Project: "Virtual Electric Lab" Developing an interactive museum kiosk. June, 2005

The Evergreen State College

**Bachelor of Arts**, Concentrations: Film and communication studies, June, 1991

Bellevue College

**Web Multimedia Certificate**, January, 2000

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### EXPERIENCE

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#### **Instructor January 2000-Present**

Bellevue College

Develop and instruct courses spanning a variety of media disciplines. Create curriculum and advised Digital Media Arts students. Teach character animation, film history, motion graphics, Javascript programming, Actionscript for games, and media theory. Teach distance learning and on-campus courses.

#### **Multimedia Developer 2006-2007, 2011-Present**

Independent Contractor with the Creative Group, and other clients. Developed interactive applications, animations, motion graphics, and games. Utilize After Effects, Actionscript, HTML, CSS, and Photoshop.

#### **Instructor Spring 2009 & Spring 2010**

DigiPen Institute of Technology

Adjunct Lecturer teaching 2D vector animation to Bachelor of Fine Art students.

#### **Instructor Fall 2009-Winter 2010**

Lake Washington Technical College

Taught Flash, HTML, CSS, Illustrator, and Dreamweaver.

#### **Multimedia Developer 1997-2001**

Created media content for Microsoft, The Meacham Insurance Group, InfoSpace, Bally Total Fitness, and other corporate clients. Utilized XHTML, CSS, Javascript, Photoshop, and Flash.

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## PRESENTATIONS

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*Learning Adobe Creative Suite CS5 (Dreamweaver, Illustrator, Flash)*. Presenter: Austin, Ron. Presented at the National Workforce Center for Emerging Technologies weeklong conference, 2010.

*What's New: Adobe Creative Suite CS5*. Presenter: Austin, Ron. Presented at the IT Futures Summit at Microsoft, 2010.

*Adobe Creative Suite CS4*. Presenters: Austin, Ron; Walker, Linda. Presented at the IT Futures Summit at Microsoft, 2009.

*Podcasting: Lessons learned from a pilot project at Bellevue Community College*. Presenters: Austin, Ron; Prigg, Riley, Williams, Marcia. Presented at The League for Innovation, Charlotte, North Carolina, 2006.

*Flash Video and ActionScript*. Presenter: Austin, Ron. Presented at The Seattle School of Visual Concepts for a one day workshop, Seattle, Washington, 2006.

*Flash Video and ActionScript*. Presenter: Austin, Ron . Presented to the Seattle Flash User Group, Adobe Conference Center, Seattle, Washington, 2006.

*Learning with Robolab Robotic Technology*. Presenters: Austin, Ron; Dr. Martin, Kathleen; Dr. Anderson, Andrea. Presented at The Northwest Council for Computer Education, Portland, Oregon, 2004.

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## SELECTION OF RECENT COURSES TAUGHT

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### Bellevue College

Spring 2011	IDE 135	History of Film and Film Music
2009-Present	PROG 109	Javascript, HTML, CSS
2009-Present	WEB 222, WEB 225	Flash Actionscript
2003-Spring 2011	ANIM 120	Introduction to Animation
2004-2009	GAME 110	Casual-Based Game Development
2004-2009	ANIM 230	Animation for the Web
2003-2007	MEDIA 119	History of Animation
2003-2005	ANIM 220	Illustrator
2000-2005	MEDIA 109	XHTML, CSS, Media Theory

### Bellevue College Continuing Education

Spring 2010	Flash CS4 Level 2
Fall 2009	Flash CS4 Level 1

### Digipen Institute of Technology

Spring 2009 & 2010	2D Vector Animation
Spring 2009	Guest Lecturer for 2D Development

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## RECENT ACHIEVEMENTS

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Co-developed the History of Film and Film Music course taught at Bellevue College, 2011  
Co-authored the new Programming for the Web Certificate, Bellevue College, 2009  
Developed the new Web Multimedia Authoring Degree , Bellevue College, 2009  
Co-President of Cartoonists Northwest, an organization of over a hundred artists, 2010-2011  
Produced *Estate of Mine* a 9 minute narrative featuring animation and live action, 2011  
*Estate of Mine*, official selection of NW Projections Film Festival, Bellingham, WA, 2011  
Produced *Making Noise* a 16-minute documentary featuring animation and live action, 2010  
*Making Noise*, official selection of Seattle True independent Film Festival, Seattle, WA, 2010  
*Making Noise*, official selection of NW Projections Film Festival, Bellingham, WA, 2010  
Developed WebMM 225 and 222: Multimedia Web Development (online), Bellevue College, 2009-2011  
Co-designed and maintained the American Indian Film Festival website, 2007-2009  
Developed an interactive animated kiosk for The American Museum of Radio, 2005  
Published cartoons in a variety of magazines and newspapers, 1988-2003

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## ASSOCIATIONS AND VOLUNTEER ACTIVITIES

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Cartoonists Northwest  
Seattle Flash User Group  
Cascade Bicycle Club  
Grand Illusion Theater, July-December, 2008  
Bellevue College Bike to Work Month, Team Captain, 2008-2010  
American Indian Film Festival, volunteer, 2007-2009

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## CERTIFICATES AND TECHNICAL KNOWLEDGE

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C# Programming Level 1, Certificate of Completion, Bellevue College, 2009  
ASP.Net using C#, Certificate of Completion, Bellevue College, 2009  
Adobe/Macromedia Flash Designer Certification, 2006

Software proficiency: XHTML, HTML5, CSS, Javascript, jquery, Actionscript 3, Actionscript 2, Flash, Illustrator, Photoshop, Premiere, Final Cut Pro, After Effects

Some experience with: Maya, PHP, C#

Experienced developing content for Blackboard, Moodle, and Angel online learning management systems