

Joe Griffin

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PROFESSIONAL EXPERIENCE

Ogilvy & Mather - Chicago, IL - June 1995 to Present

Recording Engineer.

- Record and mix over 250 radio/TV commercials per year for BP, Dove, Sears, Suave, Allstate.
- Record and mix internal presentations and podcasts for CDW, Dove, Suave, BP, Ogilvy.
- Maintained and upgraded studio setup, and designed new studio spaces in 2001/2004.
- Bill Whitney Award (for "the highest standards of professionalism combined with civility"), 2002.

Toxic Bag Productions, Inc. - Des Plaines, IL - March 1996 to Present

Sound Designer/Executive Producer.

- Designed and created the critically acclaimed Game Masters Collection sound effects CD set. Responsibilities included location and studio recording, editing and mixing, mastering, graphic design, and marketing.
- Designed sound effects for video games "Uncommon Valor" and "Flashpoint Germany" for Matrix Games. "Uncommon Valor" was selected by the Australian Department of Defence as an educational tool.
- Created corporate DVD projects for clients such as Chicago Dueling Pianos and CyberINK. Duties included schedule and asset management, videography, video editing, graphic design, sound mixing and DVD authoring.

Independent Engineer/Sound Designer - 1992 to Present

Recent projects include:

- Created sound design/mix for Kiki & Associates' award-winning "Getting to Know the World's Famous Artists" animated videos: "Van Gogh," "Da Vinci," "Michelangelo," "Rembrandt," "Cassatt" and "Warhol."
- Created sound designs for local theatre companies including The House Theatre, Steep Theatre, Speaking Ring Theatre and Moraine Valley Community College.
- Recorded local bands including The Radio Hour, Eddie and the Panes, Dubtronics, Braintree, and Timmy G.

EDUCATION

- Michigan State University: Bachelor of Arts, Telecommunications - June 1991
- Columbia College - Chicago, Illinois: Field of study: Music

TECHNOLOGY

ProTools, Sony Vegas and ACID, Reason, Final Cut Pro, Avid, Photoshop. Multitrack analog recording, razor blade editing.

REFERENCES

- John Towner, Solid Sound Recording Studio, Inc. 847-882-7446
- Gary Yek, Electric Garyland Studios, 773-862-0472