

## Department of Computer Science & Engineering

**PERMISSION**  
**To enroll in CSE 458 – Introduction to Computer Animation for**  
**Fall, 2008**

**Computer Animation** is an introduction to basic principles of computer generated animation. This course focuses on the modeling, shading, lighting, and animating of 3D characters. Students from CSE, Art, DxArts, Music and other related majors will team up on the projects, which will be built on commercially available modeling and lighting packages.

**Note:** CSE 458 is the first in a series of three classes in Computer Animation. Students accepted into CSE 458 will need to be sure that they are available to enroll for CSE 459 in the **Winter quarter** and CSE 460 **Spring quarter**.

### **PERMISSION OF THE INSTRUCTOR IS REQUIRED.**

Please note that you may be asked to come in for an interview. Decisions will be emailed before fall quarter.

### **INSTRUCTIONS**

1. Complete this form, attach a current copy of your transcript, and submit it to the receptionist's office (Atrium main floor) in the Paul Allen building **by 5 p.m. on Thursday, May 15<sup>th</sup> for early admission or Monday, June 30<sup>th</sup>, 2008.**
2. **(Optional but recommended)** Submit a portfolio, a demo reel, or any pertinent material that would indicate your background or interest in the field of computer animation. Materials will NOT be returned so be sure to submit materials that are **copies**, not originals.

You are highly encouraged to submit your material at the earliest date possible so that feedback can be given.

3. On a separate page, write up a paragraph about yourself and your motivation for taking this course. What background do you have that you feel prepares you for the course? What interests you most about animation? What about computer animation? What do you hope to get out of the experience? Do you see yourself going into the field of computer animation after graduating?

UW (if possible) Recommending Professor: \_\_\_\_\_

Phone: \_\_\_\_\_

Class Standing:  Fr  So  Jr  Sr  5th  Grad

First name: \_\_\_\_\_

Last name: \_\_\_\_\_

Phone number: \_\_\_\_\_

Student #: \_\_\_\_\_

Email address: \_\_\_\_\_

Please check any of the following classes that you have taken at UW:

CSE 455

CSE 457

Other appropriate classes in:

Art: \_\_\_\_\_

CSE: \_\_\_\_\_

Architecture: \_\_\_\_\_

Drama: \_\_\_\_\_

DxArts: \_\_\_\_\_

Comp Lit: \_\_\_\_\_

Music: \_\_\_\_\_

What is your major?

Art

Architecture

Comparative Literature – Cinema Studies

Drama

DxArts

Music

Other \_\_\_\_\_

Describe any related experience.

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**Decision of Course Instructor:**

APPROVE

DENY

INSTRUCTOR'S SIGNATURE \_\_\_\_\_

Date \_\_\_\_\_