Professional Training Course Storyboard course plan

Cinematography through the history of cinema

During the course, you will have a number of evening lectures on cinematography, expanding your knowledge on film history and cinematography, providing you with valuable background information for storyboarding.

Week 1 Drawing for storyboarding

Perspective and drawing for storyboarding, drawing on model.

Week 2 Introduction to storyboarding

In the introduction week you learn about basic film making tools like shots and camera movements and how to use them in storyboarding.

Weeks 3-4: Storyboarding for 2D television animation 1

In this 2-week module you will learn about storyboarding for animated TV series and try your hands on it. You will mostly be working from a script, learning how to get from thumbnails over beat boards to actual storyboards.

Week 5: Action boarding

This week is full of speed, movement and dramatic incidents, and you learn how to handle all that in your storyboards.

Weeks 6-7: Storyboarding for animated feature

In this 2-week module you will be learning about storyboarding for animated feature films. There will be a focus on acting and other topics relevant for animated features.

Week 8: Screen writing

This week you will learn the basics of script writing and get to write yourself. This workshop is included since storyboarders sometimes get involved in developing the story.

Weeks 9-10: Storyboarding for 2D television animation 2

In this 2-week module you will be storyboarding a sequence from an animated TV series just working from a storyline. This method gives the storyboarder a lot of creative space to shape the story, and you will be using your knowledge about script writing.

Week 11 Portfolio week

During the second last week of the course, you will be working on your portfolio and making a career plan.

12: Pitching and exam week

The course is rounded off by a week of diving more into pitching, both in an intense two-day workshop on the topic and an industry day, where representatives from companies will attend your pitch. There will also be an exam.