# Hiromi Sogo

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# **Work History**

## Toyoko-Inn Chicago LLC, Chicago, IL /Apr. 2014 - Present

Translator, Interpreter, Administrative manager

- Translate construction, new entities foundation, working log documents.
- Interpret conversations for internal and external meetings.
- Take meeting minutes.
- Bookkeeping / Maintain the office environment / Contact with a phone and internet, copy machine, printout services as well as the office managing company outgoing payments / Purchase office supplies and furniture / Contact with office building management company for maintaining need / Manage employees' commuter benefit / Business trip expense reimbursement / Scout new office for the company expansion as well as handle with new connections for internet, phone etc., / Prepare for establishing the new office.

### City of Osaka Chicago Office, Chicago, IL / Aug. 2011-Dec. 2012

Administrative assistant

- Translate Osaka city promotion related articles.
- Bookkeeping / Pay monthly necessary fees for phone, internet etc.
- Office supply purchase.
- Prepare/coordinate business trips for the superior.

### Chicago Shimpo Newspaper, Chicago, IL / Feb. 2005-July. 2007

Assistant staff for weekly newspaper publishing

- Translate news articles from English to Japanese.
- Create layout for newspaper using Adobe InDesign.
- Design advertisements for local businesses using Adobe Photoshop.

#### Columbia College Chicago, Animation Department, Chicago, IL /2001-2003

Teaching Assistant

- Assist teachers with classroom and equipment set-up prior to the beginning of class.
- Aid students with animation equipment, pencil test camera, lunch box and answered questions regarding use.

# **Freelance**

### American Society of Plastic Surgeons, Arlington Heights, IL / Mar. 2014 ~

Project base freelance animator/illustrator

- Create 3-D animations for breast augmentation to be used with patient education using 3ds Max and Adobe After Effect.
- Create illustrations for buttocks augmentation to be used for brochure using Adobe Photoshop and Illustrator.
- Create 2D a female genital anatomy for labiaplasty, labia majoraplasty and vaginoplasty using Adobe Photoshop and Illustrator.

Neurowave Medical Technology, Chicago, IL / Jan. 2013 - Jun. 2013

# Project base freelance animator

 Create 3-D models and animation for display/introduce medical device using Autodesk 3ds Max and Adobe After Effect.

# Mindsight, Schaumburg, IL / 2005

Project base freelance

• Create a 3-D Model of pre and post cosmetic plastic surgery for a cosmetic surgeon using NewTek LightWave.

### Metro Edit/ Toon Ranch Chicago, IL / 2002-2003

• Create 3-D models, textures and animations using NewTek LightWave.

# **Education**

### University of Illinois at Chicago

• Master of Science, Biomedical Visualization Graduate program / 2011

# Columbia College Chicago

• Bachelor of Arts with Honors, Film and Video / Computer Animation / 2003

# **Skills**

Proficient: Autodesk 3Ds Max, Maya, Adobe Photoshop and InDesign, NewTek LightWave3D,

Microsoft Word, Excel

Familiar with: Autodesk AutoCAD, Revit, Mudbox, Adobe AfterEffects, Flash and Illustrator,

SketchUp

Basic knowledge: Materialise Mimics, Adobe Dreamweaver and HTML, OsiriX

### **Awards**

# IFP Flyover Zone Short Film Festival / 2003

Honorable mention award Comedy Short category

Columbia College Chicago Film Award: The Big Screen / 2003

Outstanding Animation Achievement award