
Subject: 3D modeler, Designer, Concept artist and more!

Posted by [Steve3d](#) on Sat, 06 Oct 2012 18:33:02 GMT

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Hi everyone, I'm Steve, AKA "Coolhand" I've been here very nearly since the start and have completed many printable models for shapeways users.

I've worked for many years running my own freelance modelling and design business and on top of the print on demand I can also design prototypes for mass production processes such as resin casting. Previously I worked as a CAD guy - Largely using Autocad.

Today I use a multitude of tools to create 3D models for print and other applications, high quality renderings and animations. Past clients include Axis Animation, Timegate Studios, Khurasan Miniatures, Microworld games and many others.

I offer an outstanding level of original, fresh designs for your project, or hyper-accurate replicas of anything you can think of, at a low rate because I'm very quick.

This outstandingly accurate Steinway Model D was built to be printed and is presently being finalised for use as a 1/4 scale museum peice.

One of my largest projects, The Cosmonaut Alexei Leonov, built for production as a resin kit, is also the most accurate 3d model of this particular spaceship which featured in the movie 2010.

Here it is broken into peices for resin casting.

I'm very proud of the range of tiny 6mm figure scale (about 1/300) I designed and built from scratch for Steve Salotti at Microworld Games.

<http://www.microworldgames.com/collections/6mm-scifi/TEF>

Here is one of the designs, a super-heavy tank. This is a production copy painted by the talented, Aaron Dickey.

I also produce models for mainstream video games, live action productions, independents, you

name it! but don't let that put you off. Please check out the items in my store, particularly if you're looking for rare custom minis.

I am presently available to help realise your 3d printing and production goals, feel free to contact me for a quote via PM.

Thanks for your time.

-Steve.

File Attachments

1) [Ionia_class_291a.jpg](#), downloaded 125 times

Subject: Re: 3D modeler, Designer, Concept artist and more!
Posted by [Scouls502](#) on Sat, 06 Oct 2012 21:18:05 GMT
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After obtaining some of the excellent A-Wings from Steve's shop I contacted him in the hope he might be able to create a 1/700 Yak-28 Firebar aircraft. Less than an hour later, much to my surprise, a working design was presented to me.

The Firebar's are on order, however, if the A-Wings are anything to go by I'll love the finished product and might put some more ideas his way.

Subject: Re: 3D modeler, Designer, Concept artist and more!
Posted by [nigal](#) on Mon, 08 Oct 2012 01:42:08 GMT
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Steve was a pleasure to work with.

Completely willing to deal with all changes and redesigns. Great communication and very fast responses.

Totally satisfied with final product.

Subject: Re: 3D modeler, Designer, Concept artist and more!
Posted by [ohhai](#) on Tue, 09 Oct 2012 06:47:14 GMT

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Steve please contact me.

Thanks

Subject: Re: 3D modeler, Designer, Concept artist and more!
Posted by [musicutopia](#) on Fri, 12 Oct 2012 12:36:20 GMT
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Hi there,
are you able to do 3D models of bolts and nuts (threading) assembly?

I'm a Singapore based craftsman needing some specialised plastic parts.

Yours truly,
Bernard

Subject: Re: 3D modeler, Designer, Concept artist and more!
Posted by [Steve3d](#) on Fri, 12 Oct 2012 12:42:15 GMT
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Subject: Re: 3D modeler, Designer, Concept artist and more!
Posted by [musicutopia](#) on Sat, 13 Oct 2012 14:39:49 GMT
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Just got my bolt and nuts (threading works) proto-types sculptured by Steve.
Very efficient and meticulous, even provides well-thoughts of input on improving my designs.
Best of all, he offers his service at a fair price rates.

Definitely will come back to him for more 3D imaging assignments!

Thank you Steve!
Warmest regards from Singapore.

Subject: Re: 3D modeler, Designer, Concept artist and more!
Posted by [YNOT](#) on Sun, 14 Oct 2012 12:25:10 GMT
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To Whom It May Concern:

I am wondering if you can fabricate a 400 Chevy automatic transmission for my 1957 Chevy model 1:12 scale.

Thank you for you assistance,

Anthony Karczewski
412-563-1659
ynotk@verizon.net

Subject: Re: 3D modeler, Designer, Concept artist and more!
Posted by [maxwadler](#) on Sun, 14 Oct 2012 20:13:54 GMT
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Hi Steve,

Please contact me. Would like a quote for a very simple modification to a custom plastic mug.

Best,
Max
maxwadler@gmail.com

Subject: Re: 3D modeler, Designer, Concept artist and more!
Posted by [Steve3d](#) on Mon, 15 Oct 2012 08:35:40 GMT
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Subject: Re: 3D modeler, Designer, Concept artist and more!
Posted by [arij](#) on Tue, 16 Oct 2012 00:59:00 GMT
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It is safe to say that I have found my permanent 3d modeler/designer. I am very satisfied with Steve's work and his prices are very good without sacrificing quality. Thanks Steve!!

Subject: Re: 3D modeler, Designer, Concept artist and more!
Posted by [Naeem](#) on Thu, 13 Dec 2012 06:06:34 GMT
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Hi Steve
Your email isn't on here, could you please PM me. Thanks, it's a bit urgent.

Subject: Re: 3D modeler, Designer, Concept artist and more!
Posted by [ohhai](#) on Thu, 13 Dec 2012 06:09:33 GMT
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What's up?

Subject: Re: 3D modeler, Designer, Concept artist and more!
Posted by [ShishiRanger](#) on Sat, 22 Dec 2012 21:25:28 GMT
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do you think you can help me make: River Iri, River Esk, River Mite, Northern Rock, Lady Wakefield, Perkins, Cyril, Douglas Ferreria and Shelagh of Eskdale for me in O9 scale?

Subject: Re: 3D modeler, Designer, Concept artist and more!
Posted by [musicutopia](#) on Mon, 11 Feb 2013 02:00:37 GMT
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Extremely efficient and professional, with very fair price quotes!
Engaged Steve for his modelling services and it was a breeze, extremely well-informed/honed 3D modeler.
Communication was easy and Steve offers sound solutions to many of my 3D problems.
Definitely will return to Steve to get more 3D assignments done. =D

Subject: Re: 3D modeler, Designer, Concept artist and more!

Posted by [bennett338](#) on Mon, 11 Feb 2013 16:44:52 GMT
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Looking for a few 3d models done. One being a model if my 1year old daughter. I'm not sure what is needed from myself for you to give me a quote?

Thanks

Subject: Re: 3D modeler, Designer, Concept artist and more!
Posted by [BetsyH](#) on Thu, 14 Feb 2013 19:23:24 GMT
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Hi Steve!

I may have some projects I'd like to work on with you (Especially since you have such great feedback!) but I want to make sure that if I do work with you we can negotiate a contract/agreement in such a way that the designs and models become my property. I want to start a small business, so I'd like the designs to be under my own name, and I would be paying you to turn my detailed sketches into 3D renderings. Is that something we can work out?

Also, would I get a price quote from you after I send you sketches?

Hope to hear from you soon.
Betsy

Subject: Re: 3D modeler, Designer, Concept artist and more!
Posted by [ForPony](#) on Sun, 17 Feb 2013 17:52:53 GMT
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Hello,

Do you do rings ?

I have a design in mind for a ring with a celtic knot on it and am looking for a modeller to make the model so Shapeways can print it.

Can you help ?

Thanks

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Subject: Re: 3D modeler, Designer, Concept artist and more!
Posted by [CaraG](#) on Thu, 21 Feb 2013 19:45:42 GMT
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I contacted Steve because he had such great feedback but I was a little worried because my concept was so basic. Steve respond quickly and was very professional as he worked on the model concept. I was surprised at how fast Steve worked up a draft for review and very pleased with the outcome.

I would recommend Steve for any job big or small without hesitation. It is so refreshing to work with someone who takes pride in their work and delivers exactly what they advertise. The customer care and follow up that Steve provided was fantastic. Over all great experience and a very fair price!

Sincerely,
Cara Giannoni

Subject: Re: 3D modeler, Designer, Concept artist and more!
Posted by [Smugsly1](#) on Sun, 24 Feb 2013 01:28:24 GMT
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Hi,

May I call or email you regarding a design project?

I'm seeking a designer who can work on site in Manhattan for the first project, then remote for other projects.

Projects include:

- novel water bottle concept
- cobra belt buckle
- glasses
- skull mask

Please reply to smugsly1@gmail.com

Thanks,

Evan
