

# Christoph Ates

## Lighting & Look Dev Artist



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🚩 German nationality  
🌐 Christoph-Ates  
📺 Showreel

### 📄 Profile

**Lighting & Lookdev Artist**, with a great passion for the art of cinematography. Through effective communication and troubleshooting, group projects could be realized together. Knowledge and use of industry-relevant software and processes during education. Ambitious and responsible, working on projects with foresight in order to realize them reliably and find solutions for occurring problems.

### 🌐 Languages

German ● ● ● ● ●  
English ● ● ● ● ●

### 💻 Software

V-Ray	██████████
Nuke	██████████
Maya	██████████
Mari	██████████
Blender	██████████
SynthEyes	██████████
Substance Painter	██████████
Reality Capture	██████████
Davinci Resolve	██████████
Affinity Photo	██████████
Capture One	██████████

### 📌 Interests

- Horseback riding
- Photography | Videography
- 3D-Printing
- FPV Drones

### 📄 internships

#### **Audiovisual Media Designer**, *Reitausbildung Alexandra Kappes*

05/2023 – 07/2023 | Walldorf

In collaboration with Alexandra Kappes, master of equine management and movement trainer according to EM, I created a series of high-quality recordings for instructional videos

#### **Audiovisual Media Designer**, *Zone 7 GmbH & Co. KG*

03/2023 – 04/2023 | Mannheim

Independent video recording with MoJo Technology | Video editing of TV reports | Assistance on shoots

#### **Audiovisual Media Designer**, *Zone 7 GmbH & Co. KG*

09/2022 – 11/2022 | Mannheim

Live on-air video broadcast 1 to 1 interview | Participation in the design and recording of the current opener of RON TV | live on-air sound mixing | Independent video recording with camcorder, system camera and MoJo technology | Video editing of TV reports | Assistance on shoots

#### **Audiovisual Media Designer**, *Zone 7 GmbH & Co. KG*

12/2021 | Mannheim

Independent video recording with MoJo technology | Insight into video editing of TV reports | assistance on shoots

#### **Video production / interview**, *Praxis Dr. Hartmann*

08/2021 – 10/2021 | Mannheim

Process data, prepare and conduct multiple interviews with patients to produce a video about telemedicine which was played at a medicine conference

### 🎓 Education

#### **Pixl Visn Diploma**, *PIXL VISN | media arts academy*

10/2023 – 04/2025 | Cologne

- Gained extensive practical experience through lessons and assignments across various disciplines.
- Worked on progressively larger projects each quarter. Including many CG integrations as well as full CG work.
- Taught by qualified lecturers which are actively working in the industry.
- Acquired up-to-date knowledge of industry-relevant programs and processes.
- Gained valuable teamwork and creative problem-solving skills through a variety of individual and group projects.
- Created a demo reel showcasing learned skills, like realistic CG integrations, lighting, look dev, texturing and compositing.
- Awarded with the "Best demo project of the term 500" by school officials.
- Tackling challenges directly, focusing on finding solutions.
- Learned the importance of organization to manage new knowledge and obstacles efficiently.
- Stayed motivated despite constant learning challenges.
- Engaged with the school community by attending trade fairs and assisting at open house events and spoke to new possible students about 3D and the school.
- Developed a strong commitment to becoming part of the industry.

#### **Abitur**, *Privatgymnasium Schwetzingen*

2021 | Schwetzingen

Graduated with a grade of 1,7 with my main subjects being: mathematics, physics and biology

### 📄 Jobs

#### **General medical doctor's office**

07/2019 – present | Mannheim

Registration, patient management, patient examination, billing control, helping out with Covid vaccinations on public vaccination days during the pandemic.

### ✍ Declaration

Plankstadt, 05.05.2025

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