

# Skillset Visual Effects Course

## Application Guidelines



### Key Dates

- Applications will be accepted from June 23rd to July 11th 2008.
- Shortlisted applicants will be invited for interviews during the week commencing July 28th 2008.
- Unsuccessful applicants will be informed by email by August 1st 2008.
- The 12 successful applicants will be informed by telephone by August 1st 2008.

### Eligibility Criteria

- Applicants must be EU Passport Holders and UK Residents at the time of application.
- Applicants must be able to attend all of the full-time (Monday - Friday, 10-5pm) tuition section of the course running August 11th to December 19th 2008.
- Applicants must be able to attend their Industry Placements during early 2009.
- Applicants must not have any previous UK film industry experience.

### Application Requirements

- All applications must include a completed application form, portfolio work submission and CV.
- Please address applications to 'Visual Effects Course Submissions' at Escape Studios, the full address is at the bottom of the page.

### Portfolio Work Submission

We are looking for work that demonstrates a keen visual sense and artistic ability and not necessarily the advanced use of software packages. Please submit the work which you feel best demonstrates your talents and potential aptitude for the course.

Applicants are welcome to submit any combination of work from the following areas;

- Painting and Drawing
- Illustration
- Photography
- Sculpture
- Graphic Design
- Animation (traditional or digital)
- All forms of Digital Artwork including Websites
- DVD or CD Show Reels - Please ensure that authored DVDs will play on a standalone DVD Player. Movie files should use standard codecs such as .movs, sorenson or H264. Please do not use any unusual or proprietary codecs (such as Apple's HDV format).

Portfolio work submissions will not be returned. Please send photographs or PDFs of anything valuable.

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