Cristin Pescosolido

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VFX Supervisor, freelance 2023-present

VFX supervision for varied clients. Features, episodics, and commercials. Bidding, shot planning, on-set supervision, client interaction.

VFX Supervisor, Powerhouse 2021-2023

VFX supervision for several features and episodics, bidding, shot planning, client interaction.

VFX Supervisor, Madison Square Garden/Obscura Digital 2019-2020

Developing new techniques for extremely high-resolution immersive images for the Las Vegas Sphere. VFX supervision, on-set VFX supervision, bidding, shot planning, tool design, pipeline architect, camera rig development and evaluation, studio planning.

VFX/VR Supervisor, Lytro 2016-2018

Product management, defining MVP for Lytro Cinema, VFX supervision, developing lightfield VFX tools and workflow in VR and Cinema, leading the Cinema VFX team, research and development (machine learning, computer vision, optics, rendering, light field), shaping camera and software design, bidding, client interaction, pipeline design, and defining best practices.

Stereo Supervisor, Lead Compositor, Industrial Light & Magic 2009-2016

Stereo supervision, compositing tech team lead, sequence supervision, compositing, software tool design, problem solving.

Compositor, Composite Supervisor, Digital Domain 2008

Compositing, client interaction, problem solving, composite supervision of all *Speed Racer* 3rd party shots.

VFX Supervisor, Meteor Studios 2004-2007

Supervising all aspects of several shows, on-set supervision, compositing, client interaction, software testing, pipeline design.

Sequence Supervisor, ESC Entertainment 2003

2D & 3D supervision, compositing, technical direction, client interaction.

Compositor, Centropolis Effects, LLC 1998-2002

Compositing, software testing/development, technical direction, building strange sculptures in the offices.

Composite and Matchmove/Layout Supervisor, Cinesite 1995-1998

Composite supervision, sequence (2D & 3D) supervision, matchmove/layout supervision, product management for tools development (computer vision, camera matchmove, lens distortion, optical flow), layout on set, training artists.

Service to the Field:

Ad Hoc reviewer: Digital Production Symposium (DigiPro) program committee, 2018-2025
Juror: United Nations Women Global Voices Film Festival (2017), Siggraph Computer Animation Festival (2017)
Speaker: NAB, "The Future of Immersive Entertainment", 2020
Member: Academy of Motion Picture Arts and Sciences, British Academy of Film and Television Arts, Academy of Television Arts and Sciences, Visual Effects Society

Useful Skills:

Software: Nuke. Unreal Engine. Maya. Shotgrid. Jira. A smattering of other packages, 2D, 3D and proprietary.
Other: light field theory, stereography, color science, ACES, photography, microcontrollers, light metal fabrication skills, some Spanish, and some Icelandic.

Education:

California Institute of the Arts Valencia, CA

MFA coursework, Experimental Animation

Harvard/Radcliffe College Cambridge, MA

AB cum laude, Visual and Environmental Studies

Filmography:

Powerhouse (2021-2023)
- *Good Omens* - VFX Supervisor
- *Three Women* - VFX Supervisor
- *Kindred* - VFX Supervisor
- *The Curse of Bridge Hollow* - VFX Supervisor
- *Master* - VFX Supervisor
- *The Gilded Age* - Comp Supervisor
- *Mare of Easttown* - VFX Supervisor
- *Old* - VFX Supervisor
- *The Sinner* - VFX Supervisor
- *The Marvelous Mrs. Maisel* - VFX Supervisor

Industrial Light & Magic (2009-2016)
- *Rogue One - A Star Wars Story* - Compositor
- *Race Through New York Starring Jimmy Fallon* (venue project) - Stereo Supervisor
- *Teenage Mutant Turtles 2* - CG Sequence Supervisor
- *Soarin' Around the World* (venue project) - Compositor
- *Star Wars - The Force Awakens* - Compositor
- *Jurassic World* - Compositor
- *Tomorrowland* - Compositor
- *Avengers, Age of Ultron* - CG Sequence Supervisor
- *Ultimate Energy* (venue project) - Stereo Supervisor
- *Noah* - Compositor
- *The Lone Ranger* - Compositor
- *Now You See Me* - Compositor
- *The Avengers* - CG Sequence Supervisor
- *Transformers 3 - Dark of the Moon* - Compositor
- *Transformers Ride* (venue project) - Compositor
- *Rango* - Compositor
- *The Last Airbender* - Compositor
- *Transformers 2* - Compositor

Electric Entertainment (2008)
- *Leverage* - Compositor
- *Librarian 3* - Compositor

Digital Domain (2008)
- *Speed Racer* - Compositor/composite supervisor

Meteor Studios (2004-2007)
- *Scooby-Doo 2* - Lead Compositor
- *Exorcist, The Beginning* - Lead Compositor
- *Catwoman* - Visual Effects Supervisor
- *Librarian, Quest for the Spear* - Visual Effects Supervisor
- *Elektra* - Visual Effects Supervisor
- *Fantastic Four* - Lead Compositor
- *Final Destination 3* - Visual Effects Supervisor
- *300* - Digital Effects Supervisor
- *Journey 3D* - Lead Compositor

ESC Entertainment (2003)
- *Matrix Reloaded* - Lead Compositor
- *Matrix Revolutions* - Sequence Lead

Centropolis Effects (1998-2002)
- *13th Floor* - Compositor
- *Storm of the Century* - Compositor
- *The Faculty* - Compositor
- *Stuart Little* - Compositor
- *End of Days* - Compositor
- *The Patriot* - Compositor
- *How The Grinch Stole Christmas* - Compositor
- *What Women Want* - Compositor
- *Monkeybone* - Compositor
- *61** - lead Compositor
- *K-Pax* - Compositor
- *Vanilla Sky* - Compositor
- *Rose Red* - Compositor
- *Scorpion King* - Compositor
- *Eight Legged Freaks* - Compositor
- *Maid in Manhattan* - Compositor
- *Unconditonal Love* - Compositor

Cinesite (1995-1998)
- *Waterworld* - Matchmove Artist
- *French Kiss* - Digital Artist
- *Free Willy 2* - Digital Artist
- *Under Seige 2 - Dark Territory* - Digital Artist
- *Sleeping Beauty* - Restoration Artist
- *Lawnmower Man 2* - Digital Artist
- *Flipper* - Compositor
- *Matilda* - Compositor
- *Broken Arrow* - Compositor
- *Space Jam* - Matchmove Supervisor
- *Jerry Maguire* - Matchmove Supervisor
- *Air Force One* - Matchmove Supervisor
- *Beautician and the Beast* - Matchmove Supervisor
- *Smilla's Sense of Snow* - Matchmove Supervisor
- *Event Horizon* - Matchmove Supervisor
- *Titanic* - Compositor
- *Tomorrow Never Dies* - Matchmove Supervisor
- *Hard Rain* - Matchmove Supervisor
- *Batman & Robin* - Compositor
- *Almost Heroes* - Matchmove Supervisor
- *The Truman Show* - Matchmove Supervisor
- *Primary Colors* - Matchmove Supervisor
- *Sphere* - Cargo Bay Sequence Supervisor
- *The Devil's Advocate* - Compositor
- *The Thirteenth Warrior* - Compositor
- *Practical Magic* - Compositor
- *Lethal Weapon 4* - Compositor