

# Career of the Month: Animator



Minimum qualifications

An undergraduate degree



Typical salary (with experience)

£15 – 25k



Competition for places

High



Demand for this role

Medium

Animators produce images that appear to come to life on the screen, for use in TV, websites and games.





Useful skills and qualities:

Highly motivated	Technically minded
Confident	Creative
Full of initiative	Happy working alone

Related interests:

Media & Internet	Computers & Computer Games
TV, Radio & Performing Arts	

## Things to consider

-  **Rewarding**  
 This type of work can be highly satisfying, providing opportunities to develop your own creative ideas and style.
-  **Exciting projects/opportunities**  
 Animation is rising in popularity amongst the public with many animated films being highly successful at the box office.
-  **High-pressured**  
 An animator producing a series may find it hard to take time off, as nobody can step in and recreate their unique artistic style.
-  **Potential for knock-backs**  
 You may have to change your design ideas if a client does not like your animation.

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