

Johnny Tomasello

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**VFX/Flame artist/Designer
musician/producer**

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Experience:

1999-present	hifidesign, LLC VFX artist, animator, designer.	New York, NY
1997-present	soul7.nyc Music composition, production & licensing.	New York, NY
2003-2005	Quiet Man VFX/Flame artist, animator, designer.	New York, NY
2000-2003	Sunburst Creative Group, Freelance VFX artist, animator, editor & web designer.	Marlboro, NJ
2000-2000	TVPath.com Graphic/web designer & animator.	Atlantic Highlands, NJ
1999-2000	DJ Central Art Director, animator & web designer.	Red Bank, NJ
1999-1999	Ocean Motion Multimedia Graphic/web designer, video editor.	Tinton Falls, NJ
1998-1998	Robert Wood Johnson, UMDNJ Graphic designer & audio/visual media technician.	New Brunswick, NJ
1997-1998	Authority Records Audio recording engineer & graphic designer.	Tinton Falls, NJ

Education:

2002-2003	NYU MS : Digital Imaging & Design	New York, NY
1997-1999	Rutgers University BS : Design & Information Architecture.	New Brunswick, NJ
1992-1996	Rutgers University BS : Psychophysics, w/ 4 year research grant at UMDNJ.	New Brunswick, NJ
1992-1994	Brookdale Community College Electronic music production program, concurrent w/ Rutgers.	Lincroft, NJ
1991-1992	Maryland Institute, College of Art Fine art, foundation.	Baltimore, MD

Additional Information:

2017	VFX for Robert De Niro's film "The Comedian" Licensing of original music to MTV/VH1/Viacom.
2016	Virtual Reality music video "Peroration Six" by Floating Points Licensing of original music to MTV/VH1/Viacom.
2015	Autodesk Flame Premium Level 3 Certification. Licensing of original music to MTV/VH1/Viacom. Relaunch/redesign of soul7.nyc, an independent music publishing company.
2014	Editing & VFX for CJ Ramone's <i>Won't Stop Swinging</i> , using Autodesk Smoke. Licensing of original music to MTV/VH1/Viacom. Original music composition, titled <i>Fat Duck</i> .
2013	Licensing of original music to MTV/VH1/Viacom. Original music composition, titled <i>Sounds of NY</i> ,
2012	Designed guerrilla marketing campaign <i>Who Loves Ya?</i> Licensing of original music to MTV/VH1/Viacom. Redesigned & rebuilt soul7 audio suite.
2011	Licensing of original music to MTV/VH1/Viacom. Original music composition, titled <i>Space</i> .
2010	Freelance VFX artist. Re-launch of hifidesign.net, an independent VFX company & design company. Re-launch of soul7.tv, as an independent music publishing company. Original music composition, titled <i>Resistance Science</i> .

Personal Information:

I am an avid reader, and I have played the piano since age 7. I am primarily interested in increasing my knowledge and experience, and look forward to new opportunities that will test the extent of my skills and aesthetic, regardless of the scale or commercial exposure. I have had experience and success with commercial and fine art (both audio and visual), and feel comfortable with either medium, or a combination of both. I maintain a studio with much of the software, and hardware, that I have worked with in the design and music fields. This has helped me stay competitive, and given me the opportunity to use these tools for artistic and learning purposes, as well as commercial ones.

hifidesign showreel: hifidesign.net (alternate youtube link: [youtube.com](https://www.youtube.com))
soul7 music licensing: soul7.nyc
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IMDB: imdb.com