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Introduction

Disney animation studio is a wonderland of animation and Imagination located in Burbank California.

Art is brought to life through traditional and computer animation in the form of storyboards and color. With a team of animators from all over the world with a passion of putting things to life with the latest technology.



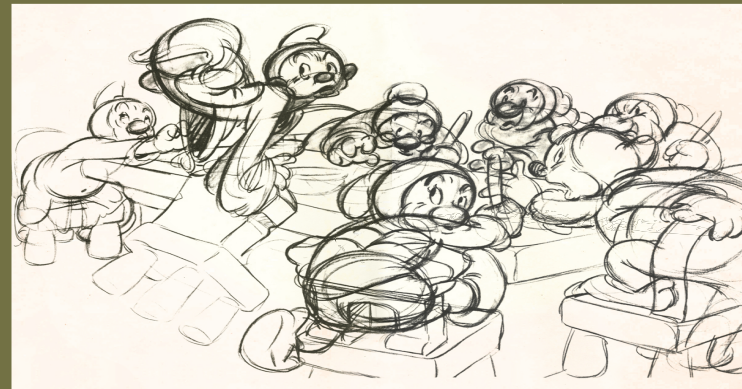


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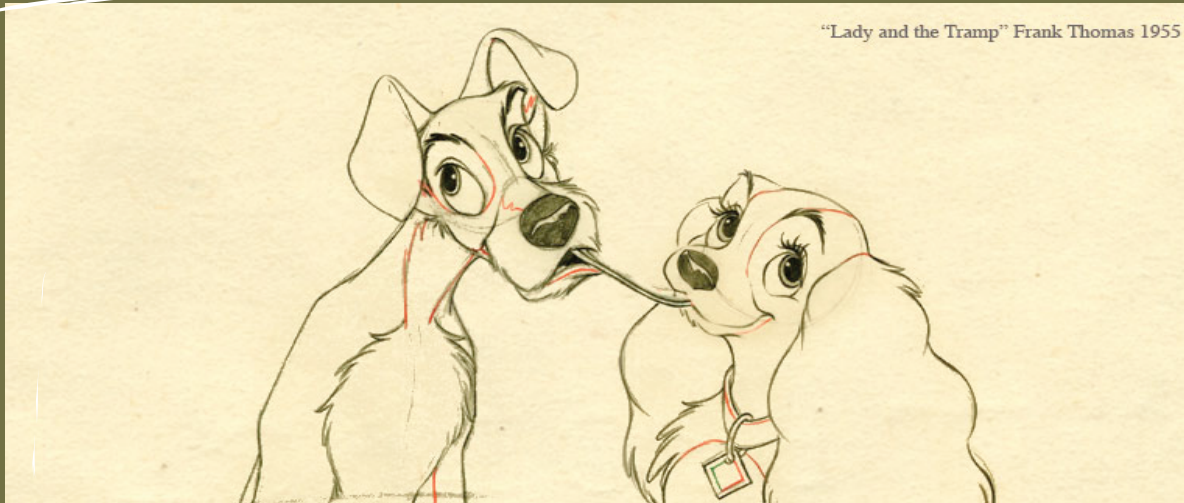
Disney Animation studios was founded in 1923 with a small crew of about 20 animators. The size of the company is now reaching over 300 people, and releasing a new film every year with

its first feature film
Snow White
and the **Seven Dwarfs**

Winning 2 oscars for the Lion King, and grabbing the spot for the most revenue for A 2D film (over 500,000,000 million world wide).



"Lady and the Tramp" Frank Thomas 1955

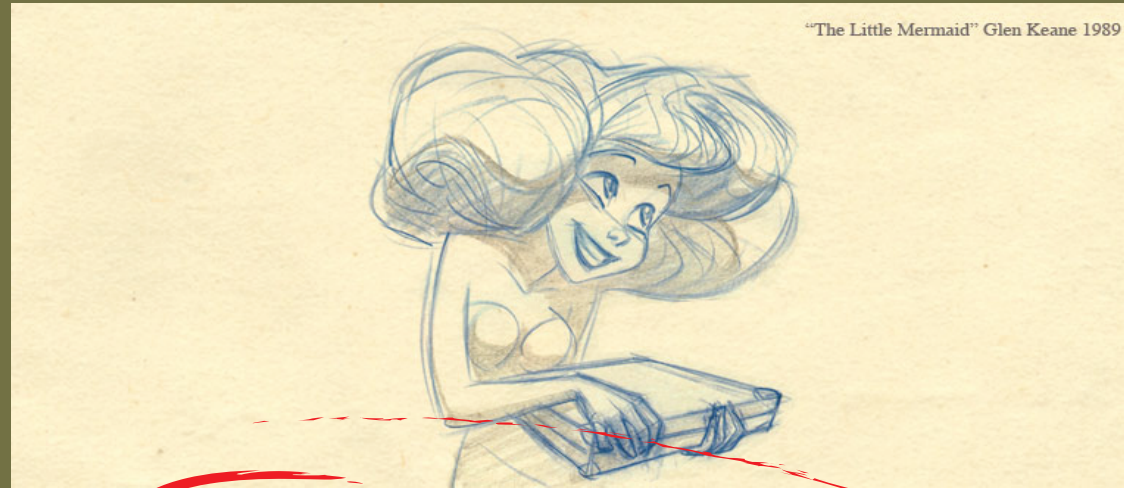


Movies to Date

1937 –Snow White and the Seven Dwarfs
1940 –Pinocchio
1940 –Fantasia
1941 –Dumbo
1942 –Bambi
1943 –Saludos Amigos
1945 –The Three Caballeros
1946 –Make Mine Music
1947 –Fun and Fancy Free
1948 –Melody Time
1949 –The Adventures of Ichabod and Mr. Toad
1950 –Cinderella
1951 –Alice in Wonderland
1953 –Peter Pan
1955 –Lady and the Tramp
1959 –Sleeping Beauty
1961 –101 Dalmatians
1963 –The Sword and the Stone
1967 –The Jungle Book
1970 –The Aristocats
1973 –Robin Hood
1977 –The Many Adventures of Winnie the Pooh
1977 –The Rescuers
1981 –The Fox and the Hound
1985 –The Black Cauldron
1986 –The Great Mouse Detective
1988 –Oliver & Company
1989 –The Little Mermaid
1990 –The Rescuers Down Under
1991 –Beauty and the Beast

1992 –Aladdin
1994 –The Lion King
1995 –Pocahontas
1996 –The Hunchback of Notre Dame
1997 –Hercules
1998 –Mulan
1999 –Tarzan
2000 –Fantasia 2000
2000 –Dinosaur
2001 –The Emperor's New Groove
2001 –Atlantis: The Lost Empire
2002 –Lilo and Stitch
2002 –Treasure Planet
2003 –Brother Bear
2004 –Home on the Range
2005 –Chicken Little
2007 –Meet the Robinsons
2008 –BOLT
2009 –Princess and the Frog
2010 –Tangled
2011 –Winnie the Pooh
2012 –Wreck-It Ralph

"The Little Mermaid" Glen Keane 1989



Leading Masterpieces

Nothing done in Disney are simply movies, but moving animated masterpieces with intense storylines and captivating character developments. With such an intention to detail, no wonder Disney opened up a "renaissance" of its own. A peiord between the late 1980's and ending in the late 1990's where attention to detail was a must. Even the smallest flower on screen was painted with such enthusiasm as the first.

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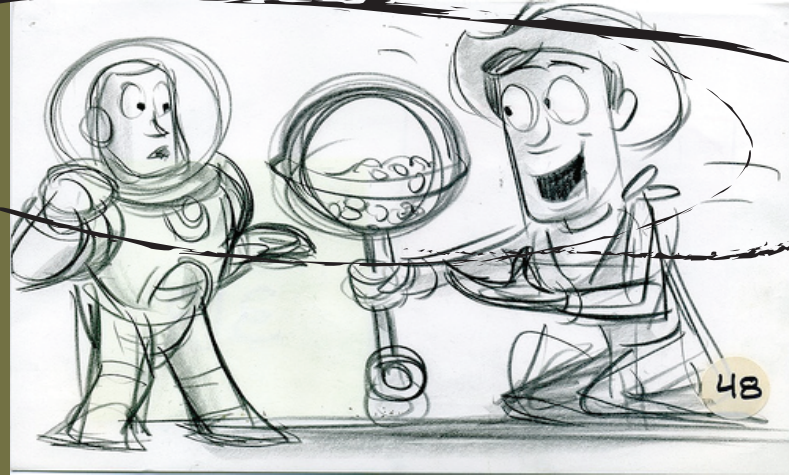
More Than on Paper

Over the years Disney has branched out, like an Oak tree. With more than just an animation studio, Disney has more than just world wide theme parks under there belts.

CO Owns - ABC network.

80% equity in - ESPN

Owns - Marvel Comics



The Inquire of Pixar Studios

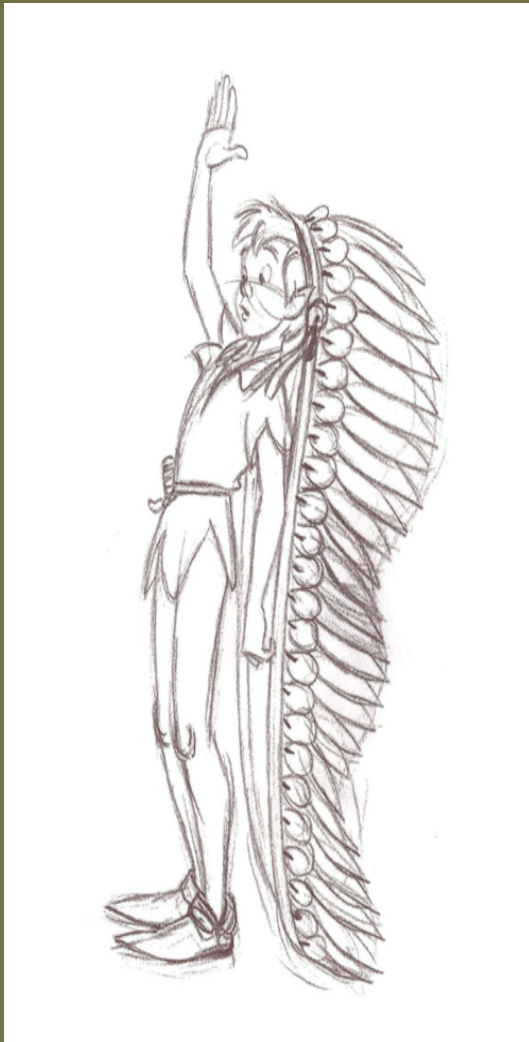
With the decline of animated movies in the 90's, Disney was looking for another fresh way of getting to its audience. In 1997 Disney entered into an agreement with Pixar studios to make movies together, but took the plunge in 2006 and bought Pixar Inc for 7.4 billion in cash and stock.



Top Dog

One of Disney's biggest competition will always be Dream works. In the early 00's. Dreamworks let out an animated film - Shrek, raising the bar on animated films, and in a way ending the era of hand drawn films. Disney in a race to compete with the new CGI revolution, Disney bought out Pixar and started producing animated films - (Wall E , Toy Story 3 , UP).

This is done with criticism. Such as critics stating that Disney dumping the 2D animation to join the race in 3D creations. This spark introduced the next animation (The Princess and the Frog). Disneys next hand drawn animation film in 5 years.



Resources

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