Anhua Wu

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EDUCATION

School of Information, University Of Michigan

Ann Arbor, MI

Master of Science in Human-Computer Interaction

Expected Graduation: May 2025

Relevant Coursework: Contextual Inquiry and Foundation in Consulting | Interaction Design | Graphic Design |

College of Literature, Science and Arts, University Of Michigan

Ann Arbor, MI

Bachelor of Science in Computer Science

Aug 2020 - May 2023

Relevant Coursework: | Web Systems | Software Engineering | User Interface | Graphic Design | Game Development |

EXPERIENCE

WolverineSoft Studio, University Of Michigan

Ann Arbor, MI

UX Designer & Engineer

Aug 2023 - Dec 2023

- Designed and implemented the current UI for systems including overworld, combat, and settings
- Led weekly meetings with the UI/UX team to present the detailed interaction flow to programmers, designers and sound engineers to ensure a seamless transition from design to implementation

Arts Initiative, University of Michigan

Ann Arbor, MI

Graphic Design Intern

Sept 2022 - March 2023

- Coordinated with the team to develop branding concepts and design elements
- Generated logos, emails, and flyers using Adobe Illustrator, InDesign, and MailChimp for the arts events and programs available on campus

PROJECTS

Timecraft:

Sep 2023 - Dec 2023

Time management tool

UX researcher and designer

- Collected and analyzed qualitative and quantitative data through user interviews and usability tests to identify user pain points with the help of an affinity map
- Created interactive wireframe for usability testing and high fidelity mockup for our final deliverable based on the data analysis performed

Web-First, Accessible Game Engine Research: https://github.com/ayarger/timber

Aug 2023 – Present

UX Designer and Engineer

- Prototyped and programmed the character stat system which supports dynamic overhead UI for users to customize at runtime with the help of Godot, C# and Figma
- Sketched and created prototypes for player HUD, inventory, and editor menu for visualization and evaluation using Procreate and Figma

Roboo: https://dame-dane.itch.io/roboo

Feb - April 2023

A 2D platform puzzle game built from scratch in Unity

- Implemented player controller, inventory, and animation for the prototype using C# and Unity
- Curated online art, SFX, and music assets from open source, royalty free websites to create a more immersive, sci-fi underwater environment
- Iterated on the UI components, guidance levels, level maps, and the level progression system for improved gameplay experience

SKILLS

User Experience Design and Research: User Research, Personas, Site Map, User Flow Diagram, Prototyping, Usability Testing, Miro, Adobe XD, Figma, Axure

Graphic Design: Adobe Illustrator, Photoshop, InDesign, XD, Figma, Axure, ProCreate, PixilArt

Web Development: Flask, SQLite, HTML and CSS, Javascript, React, Bootstrap

Software Engineering: C++, Java, Python, Data Structure and Algorithm, Object-Oriented Programming, Version

Control(Git), Agile Development, Quality Assurance

Game Development: C#, Unity, Godot, Wwise