ANDY KOTZ

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EDUCATION

Dartmouth College - Hanover, NH

June 2024

Bachelor of Arts in Computer Science

GPA: 3.62/4.0

Courses: Data Structures and Algorithms, Discrete Math, Software Development and Implementation, Foundations of Applied CS. Physical Computing, Machine Learning

Dartmouth College - Hanover, NH

June 2024

 $Bachelor\ of\ Engineering$

GPA: 3.65/4.0

Courses: Introduction to Environmental Engineering, Sustainable Urban Systems, Intro to Engineering, Science of Materials, Introduction to Thermodynamics

SAT: 1570

WORK EXPERIENCE

Digital Arts Leadership and Innovation (DALI) Lab – Senior Developer and Mentor January 2021 - Present

- Worked with Agile teams to deliver deployable products to clients, 17+ hours per week while taking classes
- Developed AR and VR applications in Unity and Oculus, React-Native apps for iOS and Android, and Full-Stack web.
- Took lead on design work and applied my design philosophy based on UX, tactility, and accessibility
- Served as head mentor for 3 teams specializing in VR development and design
- Selected as first member of the class of 2024 for this competitive position, and first to be promoted to mentor

New Hampshire Academy of Science – Lab Assistant and Mentor

June 2017 - August 2019

- Conducted research on detection of genetically modified products in organic foods, and was selected to present research at American Junior Academy of Science convention
- Mentored projects that focused on machine learning approaches to enhance biological studies on model organisms.

PROJECT EXPERIENCE

FitWit - React Native - Dali Lab

June 2022 - Present

• Community-based fitness app for iOS and Android which incentivizes users to exercise with a food-based recipe format

Sexual Violence Prevention Project (SVPP) Website – React - Dali Lab

July 2022 - August 2022

• Stepped in on a behind-schedule revamp of Dartmouth's SVPP training to be used by 1,767 first-years in Fall 2022

Veridium – *Unity*, *Oculus* - *Dali Lab*

September 2021 - June 2022

• VR University Chemistry education made for a global group of professors, tested by Dartmouth and FU Berlin students

Anivision – Unity, Oculus - Dali Lab

March 2021 - June 2021

• VR experience for visualizing unique animal perceptual traits, such as tarsiers, pit vipers, and honey bees

Sign Language Space Adventure – Unity, Oculus - Dali Lab

January 2021 - March 2021

• VR Sign Language education for use by hearing people. I developed the tactile interface and deployed to AppLab

In Our Midst – *Unreal Engine 5 - Personal*

November 2020 - December 2020

• Built an exact-scale full-featured 3D version of the popular video game Among Us, including input and networking

AWARDS & HONORS

American Junior Academy of Science Fellow - San Jose, CA

February 2016

• Inducted as fellow at American Junior Academy of Science Conference in San Jose for outstanding junior research

LANGUAGES

English – Native Speaker

German – Conversational, 4 years

SKILLS & INTERESTS

Skills: C#, Unity, Oculus, Unreal Engine 5, Bash, C, C++, Python, Git, HTML, CSS, Javascript, React JS, Redux JS, React Native, Java, Rails, Mongo DB, Algorithm design, Physical Computing, and System Architecture.

Interests: Entrepreneurship, Magic: The Gathering, Sustainable Engineering, Computer-Aided Design, Urban Design.