Proposal Form

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This form should be submitted with your Year 3 Business Plan and a copy of your Live CV

Overview of the project

Briefly describe the task, the relevance of your industrial partner, the role that you will be able to fulfill and the way that this will enhance your learning.

Following my lack of success in securing a placement, the project I undertook granted me some technical skills I would have acquired through an official placement. It helped me to recognise major gaps in my current knowledge, while giving me insight into how to improve.

Instead of assembling a quick prototype or demo, I instead was tasked with creating fully functional in-depth systems. The systems I decided to undertake were a level selection system and an undo mechanic, both of which were new concepts to me.d Games Ltd

What key opportunities will this task offer you in the following areas

1. Practice

- It provided an opportunity for me to expand my soft skills in problem solving and how to figure out a solution to a complex or new issue
- This allowed me to get a better understanding of how to handle proper planning and documentation during the process of developing a game

2. Technology (inc software skills)

- It helped me improve my proficiency with unreal engine
- This allowed me to get better with using software built around working with a team, such as git and GitHub.

3. Processes (Development Processes, Project Management / Time Management etc)

- Working in a collaborative environment allowed me to better understand how to work within a team to achieve a shared goal
- It allowed me to gain a greater understanding of how projects are managed with future proofing in mind to ensure a project gets completed in an efficient and timely manner.

4. Critical Analysis (Reflective Processes / research skills)

- My reflective skills were improved due to working on a more polished and thought-out project, highlighting my weaknesses and my strengths. This allowed me to better understand how to notice what things I can improve and what things I have done well
- It provided me with the skills necessary to properly process what has been tasked for me to do and parsing how I'm expected to go about doing it.

Learning Outcomes

Please indicate how each outcome will be met in relation to the key opportunities that you have described above (Drag the ticks to the appropriate boxes add more if needed)

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Have a detailed knowledge and understanding of their practice in relation to the development of interactive products as well as the component disciplines	X			
Apply the methods and techniques that they have learned to review, consolidate, extend and apply their knowledge and understanding, and to initiate and carry out projects		х		х
Undertake a detailed analysis both the interpretation and setting of specifications or other briefs			Х	Х
Have the ability to raise issues and to clarify requirements in response to a specification or brief in relation to technical or platform standards in order to offer sophisticated solutions for a product's development			х	X
Identify and select appropriate approaches, technologies, mark-up, scripting or programming languages, development environments and other tools with which to develop a product	Х	Х		

Agreed Assessment Submission

Project Outcome

This will include:-

The project outcome will involve me becoming more industry ready by picking up valuable and helpful skills by working briefly in the industry alongside professionals. This will both serve as a way for me to train useful development skills and also learn how to effectively work in a large team.

Project Portfolio

This will contain:-

An updated live CV and work placement documents. This will be a reflection on the development of my work, mentioning what skills I feel grew more enhanced, what challenges I faced, and how I managed my time. This will be accessible via my website.

Signed & Agreed by :-	
Placement Representative	
Supervising Tutor	
Student	