Lindsay Kay - 3D Web Developer

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Summary

Freelance 3D software engineer providing Web-based solutions for visualization in BIM, CAD, medicine and architecture; open source contributor; living in Berlin, Germany since 2011, originally from Christchurch, New Zealand.

Education

2000–2004 BSc, Computer Science, University of Canterbury, Christchurch, New Zealand

Course tutor for papers on software engineering and algorithms

Selected Open Source Projects

2015-present xeogl - open source WebGL-based 3D visualization library for STEM

- o Powers the BIMSurfer, BIMData and SolidComponents 3D viewers
- xeogl.org
- 2015–2017 **BIMSurfer** (V2) WebGL-based 3D viewer for BIMServer the first open source tool for Web-based visualization and evaluation of Building Information Models (BIM)
 - Powered by xeogl
 - bimsurfer.org
- 2007–2016 **SceneJS** one of the first widely-used open source WebGL 3D engines (now retired)
 - Private optimized fork powers the BioDigital Human
 - scenejs.org

Work Experience

- 2017–2018 **WebGL Developer** *Move to BIM*, Lyon, France. Built the WebGL-based 3D viewer within the BIMData BIM visualization platform.
 - Powered by xeogl
 - Case study: xeolabs.com/portfolio/bimdata
- 2018–2018 **WebGL Developer** *SolidComponents,* Halmstad, Sweden. Built the WebGL-based 3D CAD (3DXML) viewer within the SolidComponentsTM online product catalog.
 - Powered by xeogl
- 2010–2018 **WebGL Developer** *BioDigital Systems,* New York, New York. Built the core WebGL-based rendering technology within the BioDigital Human, the leading online 3D platform for the exploration of anatomy, medical conditions and treatments.

- o Lead 3D development (2010-2015)
- o Over three million subscribed users
- o Won the 2015 Webby Award for best Healthcare Website
- o Won the 2013 SXSW Classic Interactive Award
- o Based on private optimized fork of SceneJS
- o Case study: xeolabs.com/portfolio/biodigital-human
- 2018–2018 **WebGL Developer** *TNO*, Amsterdam, Netherlands. Contributed to BIMSurfer V3, a cutting-edge WebGL2-based 3D viewer that renders massive tiled models streamed from BIMServer.
- 2015–2017 **WebGL Developer** *TNO*, Amsterdam, Netherlands. Built the WebGL-based 3D viewer within BIMSurfer, the first open source tool for Web-based visualization and evaluation of Building Information Models (BIM).
 - o Powered by xeogl
- 2008–2010 **Java/JavaScript Developer** *SMX*, Auckland, New Zealand. Worked in an agile team developing and maintaining the management dashboard for New Zealand's leading cloud-based email security service.
- 2005–2008 **Test Engineer** *AIOTec,* Christchurch, New Zealand. Helped verify the power efficiency and structural safety of WindFlow Technology's 500kW turbines.
- 2001–2003 **Java Developer** *R.A. Ward Ltd.*, Developed a Java-based time-tracking tool used by agricultural inspectors throughout New Zealand, part-time while studying.
- 1997-2001 **Web Developer** *Online-World Ltd.*, New Zealand & San Diego. Web development and operations support.

Talks & Publications

- 2015 The xeogl & SceneJS WebGL Libraries, Berlin WebGL Meetup 2015
- 2012 SceneJS A WebGL-Based Scene Graph Engine, OpenGL Insights 2012 o xeolabs.com/pdfs/OpenGLInsights.pdf
- 2010 SceneJS WebGL Library, WebGL Camp #1, Stanford University, 2010

Skills & Background Knowledge

Technical skills (recent)

3D graphics algorithms

3D application and engine architecture, API design

WebGL, WebGL2, OpenGL, gITF, xeogl

MedViz, IFC, BIM, BIMServer, BIMSurfer

C, C++, Java, JavaScript/ECMA6, HTML, CSS, Git, Linux, Open Source

Remote working, freelancing, technical writing

Interests

- Skateboarding (oldschool!)