# Lindsay Kay

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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 paper on software engineering and algorithms

## Selected Open Source Projects

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

- 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
  - o 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 SolidComponents<sup>TM</sup> 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!)