Michael T. Bowen

Webster, NY | (585) 635-8255 | Game Programmer

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Education

Champlain College | Burlington, VT

Bachelor of Science Degree in Game Programming, GPA: 3.7

Notable courses: Data structures and algorithms;

Vectors, Matrices, and 3D math;

Game Architecture;

Semester Abroad | Montreal, QC

Jan 2022 - May 2022

Graduation: May 2023

Studied under game industry professionals and competed in the Ubisoft game lab competition.

Experience

Full Stack Developer | Cinquefoil Solutions | Rochester, NY

May 2022 - Present

| Typescript | Next.js | MongoDB | Bootstrap | next-auth | CI/CD |

Team size: 3

- Converted window installation quoting system from excel spreadsheets to a web application.
- Maintained a large production environment continuously updating based on user feedback.

Unity WebGL Programmer | Emergent Media Center | Burlington, VT Sep 2022 - Dec 2022 | C# | Unity | WebGL | Next.js | Github Actions | Netlify | Visual Studio | Team size: 4

- Automated builds and website deployments using GitHub Actions saving 30 minutes for each build totaling 2 hours of developer time each week.
- Optimized the project to be packaged and deployed to the web.

First Robotics Project Manager | Igknighters 3173 | Rochester, NY Sep 2018 - May 2021

| Leadership | Project Managment | Agile Hardware Development | Team size: 60

- Gained an appreciation for hard mechanical engineering.
- Lead team meetings and managed the development schedule.
- Drove the robot.

Games/Projects

Deal Pedal | DevOps and Lead Programmer

Sep 2022 - May 2023

| Blueprints | C++ | Unreal 5 | Google Cloud | Jenkins | Git |

Team size: 13

• Automated our build workflow with Jenkins and Google Cloud to iterate faster on our simplified driving model.

React Flow Blend Graph | Web / Animation Programmer

Jan 2023 - May 2023

| C | Animal3D | Next.js | react-flow | JSON | Netlify | Visual Studio

Team size: 2

- Worked in a large codebase to create tools around hierarchical animations.
- I choose a web based solution to maintain a simple and easy to access UI and UX

Turbo Hyprid Game Engine | Engine Programmer

Sep 2022 - Dec 2022

| C++ | SDL | JSON | bgfx | Visual Studio |

Team: 2

• Created a data driven game engine with 3D rendering support using SDL, bgfx and JSON.