CV - Tobias Brandner

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Education

Master of Science in Computer Science - Specialization: Artificial Intelligence

• Grade: 1.5 - Julius-Maximilian-University - Wuerzburg, Germany - April 2021 - September 2024

Bachelor of Science in Games Engineering

• Grade: 1.8 - Julius-Maximilian University - Wuerzburg, Germany - October 2017 - September 2021

Projects

Real-Time Rendering Super Resolution with Unreal Engine 5 (GitHub)

Technologies: Python, Pytorch, Unreal Engine 5

- Developed a neural method to upsample from 1080p to 4k in under 16.6 ms (60 fps) while increasing image quality (anti-aliasing).
- Created a 550 GB dataset of stylized environments with a third-person character, including 1080p aliased and 4k anti-aliased frames.

Boss'n Run (Itchio)

Technologies: Unreal Engine 5, C++, Python

- Developed a framework for investigating movement in 3D jump'n'run games.
- Implemented and abstracted multiple movement mechanics.
- Visualized movement behavior in 3D plots.

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Experience

Research Assistant

Julius-Maximilian-University - Wuerzburg, Germany November 2021 – August 2023

- Worked on an open-source project called Via-VR, an online framework for creating VR applications to support medical treatment.
- Developed with Unity, wrote small modules in C# to expose convert a VIA-VR project to a Unity game.

Teaching Assistant

Julius-Maximilian-University - Wuerzburg, Germany August 2020 - August 2023

- Tutored a course on game engine development with C++ and OpenGL.
- Supported new students in programming preliminary courses.

Internship Software Developer

Gentle Troll Entertainment GmbH - Wuerzburg, Germany $March\ 2021$ – $June\ 2021$

- Worked on a serious game teaching children management in sport.
- Developed gameplay behavior in Unity using C#.

Publications

- Brandner Tobias, Marc Mußmann, and Sebastian von Mammen. "Analysis and Generation of Flow in 3D Jump'n'Run Games." 2024 IEEE Conference on Games (CoG). IEEE, 2024. (PDF)
- Babu, S. K., Brandner, T., Truman, S., & von Mammen, S. (2023).
 Investigating Crowdsourced Help Facilities for Enhancing User Guidance.
 In IMET (pp. 27-30). (PDF)

Skills

- Frameworks/Libraries: Pytorch, Matplotlib, Pandas, OpenGL
- Game Engines: Unreal, Unity, Godot
- Tools: Git, CMake, Blender