BRANDON STORM OTIS

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For the past two years I've had the opportunity to focus on and learn skills within the game design and development fields. My background also includes 11 years as part of the Software Application Development, Security, Design, and Quality Assurance fields where my main focuses have been on continuous client and team education around the value of design, quality, security, and best practices. Throughout all my work I constantly strive to maintain and improve upon quality standards and processes.

RELEVANT EXPERIENCE

Storm Forged - Minneapolis, MN, May 2020 - Current

Independent Contractor

Responsibilities:

- Unity ECS/DOTS Game Developer
- Unity OOP Game Developer
- Shader Developer
- Level Designer
- 3D Model Art Designer

- 2D Pixel Art Designer
- Game Designer
- Game Producer
- Animator

Open Systems Technologies – Minneapolis, MN, November 2018 - May 2020

Quality Assurance Practice Lead, App Dev Manager

Responsibilities:

- Created Quality Assurance practice standards and procedures
- Managed and grew the Quality Assurance practice and team
- Created Quality Assurance skills and performance metrics

- Created Quality Assurance, and App Dev quarterly and annual goals
- Developed quality standards throughout the business
- Hired and mentored new Quality Engineers, and Application Developers

Total Expert – Eden Prairie, MN, May 2017 - November 2018

- Security Engineer
- Technical Lead of Quality Assurance and Security

Responsibilities:

- Created and structured Quality Assurance department standards and procedures
- Managed Quality Assurance team
- Created Quality Assurance skills and performance metrics
- Created Quality Assurance annual goals
- Maintained Development's flow of work
- Planned and Integrated security best practices
- Performed security assessment testing on web applications

- Implemented security into CI infrastructure
- Developed security automation
- Defined security best practices
- Triaged security vulnerabilities and recommended mitigations
- JIRA workflow development for entire company
- JIRA Administration

The Nerdery – Bloomington, MN, March 2013-May 2017

- Security Analyst, July 2015 April 2017
- Senior Quality Assurance Engineer, May 2015 July 2015
- Quality Assurance Engineer, March 2013 May 2015

Responsibilities:

- Developed and deployed new security processes
- Interpreted and created vulnerability reports and provide recommendations to clients
- Triaged security vulnerabilities and recommended mitigation suggestions based on knowledge of web applications
- Performed security assessment testing on web and native mobile applications
- Worked directly with development and UX teams to provide guidance for identified security weaknesses
- Led team of Quality Assurance Engineers through various projects and requirements

Activision Minneapolis Publishing – Eden Prairie, MN, June 2010-March 2013

Quality Assurance Senior Functional Tester

Responsibilities:

- Created alpha, beta, and release test plans for AA and AAA video game titles
- Led team of Quality Assurance Engineers through various projects and requirements
- Worked directly with development to provide guidance for identified security weaknesses
- Researched and created new testing procedures for the team

TECHNICAL PROFICIENCIES

Environment Experience:

MacOS

Native mobile iOS

Linux

Windows 7/8/10

Native mobile Android

Responsive Mobile

Programming Languages & Frameworks:

Python

TypeScript

C#

JavaScript

Unity

React

Cypress

Selenium

Gatsby

DOTS/ECS

Tools

Unity

MagicVoxel

DaVinci Resolve

AssetForge

Android Studio

Gimp

Git & Git LFS

HockeyApp

VSCode

Xcode

Postman

Aseprite

Burp Suite