# Dan Markov "Danidan"



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#### **EDUCATION**

# **American College of Sofia,** Sofia, Bulgaria— High School Degree

Sep 2016 - May 2021

- Receiving a Bulgarian and American High School Diplomas
- Profiles: Chemistry, Mathematics, English, Spanish
- Electives: Piano, Engineering, News Broadcasting

# **Saxion University of Applied Sciences**, Enschede, The Netherlands — *Bachelor's Degree*

Sep 2021 - Jul 2025 (EXPECTED)

- Receiving a Propaedeutic Degree (Cum Laude) and a Bachelor of Applied Science in Creative Media and Game Technologies
- Role: Designer
- Minor: Cinematics & VFX

#### **UNIVERSITY CLIENTS**

# **Sickhouse**, Enschede, The Netherlands — *Game Designer*

May 2023 - Jul 2023

- Client through Saxion UAS for project Show-Off
- Created an abstract, co-op, puzzle game
- Exhibited at The Overkill Festival 2023

# **Denda Games,** Hengelo , The Netherlands— Team Lead, Game Designer

Sep 2024 - Feb 2025 (EXPECTED)

- Client through Saxion XR Lab for Project IMT&S
- Worked on a newspaper-style puzzle game in the vain of Wordle
- To be published in news sources such as DPG Media

#### **ABOUT ME**

I am a Bulgarian/American designer with a passion for Game Development and Manufacture, and I have a wide skill set because of it! I mainly focus on 3D Design, ranging from standard mesh modeling voxel-art to CAD. I love 3D Printing Laser-Cutting, and have a lot of experience in both. I also semi-experienced programmer in a variety of languages. I have many side hobbies as well that come in handy in my work, such as image and video editing, Web Design, music performance and production, and architecture.

#### **LANGUAGES**

- Bulgarian Native
- English Native
- Spanish Basic

#### **HARD SKILLS**

- Design
- Programming
- Manufacturing
- 3D Art/CAD
- Video Editing
- Music Performance

#### **SOFT SKILLS**

- Problem Solving
- Public speaking
- Communication
- Time Management
- Teamwork
- Leadership

#### **WORK EXPERIENCE**

### **ARCH-I-TECH**, Sofia, Bulgaria — Architecture Intern

Jan 2018 - Jul 2023 (2 hrs/week)

• Learning the basics of architecture, CAD, 3D modeling and video editing

# **CHHANA**, Pernik, Bulgaria — *Intern*

Sep 2018 - Feb 2019 (20 hrs/week)

• Learning the basics of electrics and construction

#### **UPWORK**, **FIVERR** — *Freelancer*

Aug 2021 - PRESENT (10 hrs/week)

- Created 2D and 3D architectural draughts OSL Concrete, Casa Design and other clients
- Created VoxelArt Designs for various clients
- Edited Video for Legacy Brew Pub and other clients

### **IMPERIA ONLINE JSC**, Sofia, Bulgaria — Game Design Intern

Feb 2024 - Jul 2024 (40 hrs/week)

- Worked on various freemium mobile and browser games:
  - Crush Them All: Designing and balancing gameplay features
  - Siege World War II: Designing and balancing in-game events
  - o Imperia Online: Game analysis and designing a tournament