

Dimitar Dinkov

Gameplay Programmer

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○ Academic Game Projects – *DigiPen Institute of Technology*

Gameplay Programmer, Audio Designer & Technical Designer – “Until you Wake: Black”	Jan 2021 – April 2021 Team of 2 ◆ Unity Engine
<ul style="list-style-type: none">Implemented and tuned an intuitive and combat-ready player controller.Developed an interaction, transition, cutscene, and dialog system for cinematic effect.Designed and implemented enemy combat hitboxes and timings.Gained experience working with high-quality art assets to create a vivid and exciting game world.	
Solo Developer – “Legend of The Street”	Sept 2020 – Dec 2020 Solo Project ◆ Unity Engine
<ul style="list-style-type: none">Created an engaging, easy to drive yet semi-realistic car controller with excellent playtester feedback.Designed a stimulating open world with two cities, a mountain pass, and five races.Built an upgrade system with balanced yet prominent upgrades to go with a serialization system.Implemented an immersive soundscape with dynamic music and 3D spatial SFX.	
Gameplay Programmer & Technical Designer – “Robogames”	Sept 2020 – Dec 2020 Team of 5 ◆ Unreal Engine
<ul style="list-style-type: none">Created a multi-purpose player controller for use with two multiplayer game modes.Gained experience working with C++ programming and networking within Unreal Engine.Sourced assets from the Unreal marketplace to heighten the gameplay experience.	
Solo Developer – “Revisit”	Jan 2020 – April 2020 Solo Project ◆ Unreal Engine
<ul style="list-style-type: none">Implemented an intuitive and accessible rock-climbing player controller to supplement narrative.Created a profound cathartic narrative told throughout gameplay elements and triggers.Designed a gorgeous mountain landscape complete with weather effects and volumetric clouds.	
Gameplay Programmer, Wwise Tech & Technical Designer – “Just Desserts”	Sept 2019 – April 2020 Team of 9 ◆ Unreal Engine
<ul style="list-style-type: none">Created a natural and engaging combat-ready player controller.Worked with a sound designer to create an engaging soundscape using Wwise and Wwise reflect.Designed a camera controller to simplify interaction and maintain focus on gameplay elements.	
Audio Engine Architect, Gameplay Programmer & Technical Designer – “Abyssal”	Sept 2018 – April 2019 Team of 11 ◆ Custom C++ Engine
<ul style="list-style-type: none">Implemented an intuitive and engaging player controller for underwater environments.Programmed an AudioEmitter and AudioListener system into the custom engine with FMOD Low Level.Designed and implemented an immersive soundscape with dynamic music and 2D spatial SFX.	

○ Work Experience

Teacher's Assistant – <i>DigiPen Institute of Technology</i>
Sept 2020 – April 2021 • DES365 (Game Feel) with Eric Cagle (LinkedIn.com/in/KiltedGamer/)
<ul style="list-style-type: none">Educated design students on game feel principles & intermediate programming in C#/C++.Used my experience in Unity Engine & Unreal Engine to help students elevate their ideas from concept to fruition.Gained experience teaching designers with beginner programming experience and acquired insight in their perspective with respect to common game engines and programming languages.

○ Skills – (Self-Rated in **Experience** and **Proficiency** Relative to All Skills)

C / C++ ◆	◆◆◆◆◆	Apache Subversion ◆	◆◆◆◆◆
C# ◆	◆◆◆◆◆	Perforce ◆	◆◆◆◆◆
Unreal Engine ◆	◆◆◆◆◆	HTML ◆	◆◆◆◆◆
Unity Engine ◆	◆◆◆◆◆	CSS ◆	◆◆◆◆◆
Python ◆	◆◆◆◆◆	FMOD (Low Level) ◆	◆◆◆◆◆
Agile Development ◆	◆◆◆◆◆	Wwise (Unreal Engine) ◆	◆◆◆◆◆
Git ◆	◆◆◆◆◆	Data Science & AI ◆	◆◆◆◆◆

○ Education

Bachelor's Degree in Computer Science and Game Design – <i>DigiPen Institute of Technology</i>
Sept 2017 – April 2021 • 3.00 GPA