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ABOUT ME

I hold a degree in Digital Games Engineering and Development. Throughout my time at university, I have acquired knowledge of various programming languages, enabling me to adapt to various challenges. I'm passionate about games and programming, which motivates me to constantly face new challenges and seek ways to improve myself. Motivated and proactive, I consistently seek opportunities for growth and innovation.

EDUCATION

Digital Games Engineering and Development

Instituto Politécnico do Cávado e do Ave

📅 09/2021 - 06/2024   📍 Barcelos, Portugal

Games Design and Development - Bachelor (Hons)

Technological University of the Shannon

📅 09/2023 - 12/2023   📍 Thurles, Ireland

EXPERIENCE

Student Software Developer

European Innovation Academy

📅 06/2022 - 07/2022   📍 Porto, Portugal

Participated in the world's leading innovative business acceleration program.

Game Developer

IPCA Game Jam 2023

📅 05/2023   📍 Barcelos, Portugal

Worked with a team to develop a game in 48h based on the theme Interaction

Game Developer

Global Game Jam 2024

📅 01/2024   📍 Barcelos, Portugal

Worked with a team to develop a game in 48h based on the theme Make me Laugh

Game Developer

MAD Game Jam 2024

📅 02/2024   📍 Vila do Conde, Portugal

Worked with a team to develop a game in 48h based on the theme Limited Space

Internship - Game Developer

MOG Technologies

📅 02/2024 - 06/2024   📍 Maia, Portugal

Developed SHAZAAM, an online board game to combat scientific misinformation

SKILLS

`Unity` `C#` `C++` `Mirror Networking` `HLSL` `Kotlin`

`HTML` `CSS` `Javascript` `Object-Oriented Programming`

`Game Physics` `Swift` `3D Modeling (Maya)`

`Agile Development` `GitHub`

STRENGHTS

Responsibility

I complete my tasks punctually, ensuring total dedication.

Creativity

I seek innovative solutions to tackle complex challenges.

Ambition

I am eager for continuous learning and personal growth.

Proactivity

I identify opportunities and drive positive changes.

ACHIEVEMENTS

Engineering Division of the Academic Association of IPCA

Esports and Support Department

Course Committee

Responsible for assisting students, organizing events, and creating course kits.

Pedagogical Council of the School of Technology at IPCA

Contributed to decision-making on issues related to the School of Technology.

Founder of the IPCA Board Games Club

Facilitated the establishment of the club and ensured a suitable meeting space.

Mentor for Erasmus/IPCA Students

Assisted in the university integration of new students.

Volunteer at SOPRO

Assisted in the selection and distribution of food to those in need.

LANGUAGES

Portuguese
Native   ●●●●●

English
Proficient   ●●●●○