Faizan Qaiser

Gameplay Programmer

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About Me

I have a strong background in mathematics and became interested in game programming as one of its applications. I love to work with a team of artists and level designers to bring their ideas to life.

Skills

- Highly skilled in Unity and C# with over 6 years of experience
- Strong background in 3d Math, Linear Algebra and Algorithms
- Understanding of the Unity Profiler and Frame Debugger
- Expertise in HLSL, Unity Shader Graph and Unity's Render Pipeline
- Physics simulations and Unity physics
- Procedural generation of meshes, terrain, texture data
- Photon Fusion/PUN, StreamChat, Google Admob, Unity Analytics, Google/Facebook sign in

Relevant Experience

Unity Developer at Mindstorm Studios, Pakistan Lahore (2024-Present)

- Prototyping: Worked on multiple casual game prototypes with a team of developers.
- Mobile Game: Worked on a Casual/Idle-Arcade mobile game that features an Open World and shooting mechanics. Reckless Rick

Unity Developer at <u>Dastaan Studios</u>, Pakistan Lahore (2022-2024)

- Unity Engine, C#, Java: Developed a live wallpaper application on Android with visual effects support which responded to touch (Google & Facebook sign in)
- Photon Fusion, HurricaneVR: Worked on developing a multiplayer virtual reality game with deterministic physics synchronized for all clients (Photon Fusion, Hurricane VR)
- Procedural Generation, Unity: Developed a 3D endless runner which was procedurally generated
- **Simulation, Unity:** Designed an educational app which simulated plant growth with realistic water/nutrients/sunlight intake

Independent Projects (2019 - Present) Link To Portfolio

- **Finished Unity Game:** Faller is my indie game which features a smooth player controller with satisfying visual effects and my own game audio/music. <u>Play Faller</u> (2022)
- **Finished Unity Game:** Monkey Box is my indie game with extremely smooth and satisfying game mechanics and user feedback. Play Monkey Box (2022)
- **Finished Unity Game:** I took part in the Global Game Jam 2024 along with 4 other team members and we submitted this game <u>Modern Day Llama</u>.
- Unity Shader Graph: Made a visual effect to simulate plants growing. See Demo
- Procedural Generation: In this project I generated a cavern using Cellular Automata, Marching Squares algorithm and Object Pooling. <u>Github</u> (2021)
- **Unity Physics:** Implemented soft body mechanics and sprite deformation in Unity using spring joints, internal pressure and a reference frame. (2023)

- Procedural Generation: Implemented terrain generation using layers of perlin noise, mesh manipulation and threading. (2019)
- Simulation: Made a fluid simulation in Javascript by solving the Navier Stokes equations. Demo (2019)

Other Experience

Fiverr (Profile)

- Made an asteroid visual effect shader. Github (2024)
- Made an airplane controller. derekclearwater rated 5 stars. <u>Github</u> (2024)
- Made an army system for a strategy game. stylo019 rated 5 stars. (2022)
- Made an electricity shader for a character. (2022)

Mindstorm Winter Game Jam, Pakistan Lahore (2022)

• My submission in the game jam secured a place in the top ten. See Submission (2022)

Soft Skills

- FAST NUCES Lahore Music Society President (2022)
- FAST NUCES Lahore Table Tennis Team Captain (2022)
- BeaconHouse College Campus Gulberg Music Society Vice President (2016)
- BeaconHouse College Campus Gulberg Table Tennis Team Captain (2017)

Education

BeaconHouse College Campus Gulberg A Levels (2016-1018)

- Further Mathematics
- Mathematics
- Physics
- Chemistry

FAST NUCES Lahore Pakistan, Bachelors in Computer Science (2018-2022)

(OnSite Pakistan) (Remote) (Open to relocate)