IZZY BENAVENTE

GAME DEVELOPER

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PROFESSIONAL EXPERIENCE

Infinity Ward

UI Software Engineer Intern

Woodland Hills, CA Summer 2016

Call of Duty: Infinite Warfare

- Developed and iterated on menus and widgets for equipment, rewards, lobbies, and more in Campaign, Multiplayer, and Zombies modes using C++ and Lua
- Provided support for UI elements across the game to meet ship-quality standards
- Collaborated with designers to create and polish in-game HUD elements

Call of Duty: Infinite Warfare

Summer 2015

- Developed new features for a tool optimizing the workflow of the UI pipeline in C#
- Maintained the tool, fixing bugs and improving features based on team feedback
- Implemented new UI components for in-game HUD and menus using Lua and C++
- Drafted and iterated on a design document for a Campaign mode menu

Slickdeals

Las Vegas, NV Summer 2014

Web Development Intern

• Converted comprehensive layouts from designers into **HTML/CSS** webpages

- Integrated features for new pages using PHP, SQL, Javascript, and jQuery
- Developed a price tracker that alerts users when a price drops on a tracked item

MAJOR PROJECTS

Skyshot SkyshotGame.com

Lead Producer

Jan 2016 - Present

- Manage development team of 20 to produce a networked, multiplayer game in UE4
- Create and maintain project schedule using a modified **Agile** system
- Meet and liaise with each discipline lead weekly to assign tasks to each individual
- Worked closely with concept artists to create game logo, brand, and aesthetic

ElemenTerra

ElemenTerraVR.com

Gameplay Engineer

Aug 2014 - May 2015

- Programmed radial gravity and flight mechanics using Unity with C# scripting
- Develophhed an intuitive movement system using the Oculus Rift and Razer Hydra
- Implemented an environment growth system for planting on any surface

Psychic

Lead Engineer

Aug 2015 - May 2016

- Responsible for delegating tasks, weekly stable build, and technical design decisions
- Created choice controller and adaptive dialogue system based on past choices
- Developed flexible input system for usability on PC, AppleTV, FireTV, and Android

Archipelago

Github.com/Mitsukizzy/Archipelago

Engineer & Designer

Aug 2015 - Dec 2015

- Programmed day cycle, journal system, and campfire interactions in **Unity C#**
- Designed and implemented the UI and menu flow of the game
- Implemented music and sound effects that adjust to time of day in-game

EDUCATION

University of Southern California

B.S. in Computer Science (Games) Minor in Applied Computer Security

Graduation: May 2017

GPA: 3.6

CAMPUS INVOLVEMENT

USC Association for Computing Machinery

Vice President Membership Chair Present 2015

USC Dragon Boat

Team Member 2013-2015

SKILLS

Languages

C++ C# Java Lua HTML5 CSS3

Platforms

Windows Kali Linux Unix Android

Tools & Software

Unity 2D/3D Unreal Engine 4
Git Visual Studio
Perforce Adobe Photoshop
SourceTree Adobe Premiere