NEERAJ SINGH THAKUR

Game Programmer

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Work Experience

Lead Game Programmer, Indian Institute of Technology Kanpur

(Part-Time) (Sep 2016-Present)

Project name: KHEL (Knowledge Hub for E-Learning)

• Leading a team of 2 programmers and 5 artists to develop a multiplayer educational game for junior school students, supervised by Madhya Pradesh State Government

Game Developer Intern, Mech Mocha Game Std. Pvt. Lim., Karnataka, India

(May 2016-July 2016)

Project name: Multiplayer unitypackage

- Developed Proximity SDK which uses Bluetooth and Wi-Fi connections for communication in Unity3D and C#
- Created **plugin** using **Android Studio** to add core features like Bluetooth, Nearby Connections & Messages
- $\hbox{\bf -} Tested plugin by building an online-offline {\it turn-based multiplayer first-person shooter game } {\it Other key Projects} \\$
- Mimicked the game mechanics of Candy Crush (King), Pocket Tanks (Blitwise) and Fashion Fever (GLU)
- Built **multilingual feature** for Chota Bheem Himalayan Adventure (company's first game)
- Played and analyzed various games, articulated their strengths and weaknesses to deconstruct games and suggested in-game **story** and **dynamics** of upcoming company's games

Indie Game Development

(May 2014-Present)

Game Projects:

- Chemical Carriageway: Infinite-runner | 2D Android Game | Unity3D | C# | Shipped Title
- Mixed Reality Encyclopedia: Educational AR-VR game| Cardboard SDK, Unity3D| code.fun.do(Microsoft) project
- Anthropocene- The Game: Strategy game | Android | Social awareness in climate change | Academic project
- Rite- Race it Till the End: Racing, Survival, Arcade Game | PC | Unity3D | JavaScript | Programming club project
- Prototype/Gameplay Mimics: Tower Defense | First person shooter | Fashion | Match-3 | Monument Valley
- Valley of the End: Environment Designing | Unity3D | Naruto Series

Technical Skills

Programming Languages C#, Java, JavaScript, C, Python, MATLAB

Game Engines and IDEsUnity3D, Android Studio, MonoDevelop, Sublime Text, NetBeans

SDKs Google Cardboard, Vuforia, Google Nearby Connections & Nearby Massages

APIs Open GL API, Bluetooth API

Education

Bachelor of Technology, Indian Institute of Technology,

(July 2013- April 2017(expected))

Major: Materials Science and Engineering, CPI: 7.7/10

• Relevant undergraduate courses: Data Structure & Algorithms, Computer Graphics, Fundamentals of Computation, Calculus & Analytic Geometry, Linear Algebra, Engineering Graphics, Computational Methods in Engineering

Extracurricular Activities

- Gave lectures on Unity3D, introduced game development for the first time at IIT Kanpur during GDG Google Dev Fest
- Mentored 7 teams of students under Programming Club, IIT Kanpur, and helped them in developing their first game
- Head Show Management, Core Team, Techkriti 2016, IIT Kanpur: Part of a team of 20 students who planned and conducted India's biggest technical and entrepreneur festival with a budget of over ₹20 Million