Robert Rouhani

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EDUCATION Rensselaer Polytechnic Institute (RPI) – Troy, NY

Expected May 2016

BS Computer Science, Games and Simulation Arts and Sciences – 3.12 GPA

SKILLS Languages C#, C/C++, Python, GLSL, Java

Software Visual Studio, Git, Unity 5, Unreal Engine 4, Windows SDK+DDK, Linux, Vim,

Django, MonoDevelop, OpenGL, Maya, Photoshop, Illustrator, InDesign

LEADERSHIP & ACTIVITIES

Coordinator & Mentor - Rensselaer Center for Open Source

August 2013 - Present

Designed systems and events that fostered a community, growing from 60 members to 150 in the span of a year. Actively finding ways to make the community more welcoming to everyone with a focus on women and minorities. Closely mentoring a small group of students developing their own open source projects or contributing to larger ones.

Co-Founder, Organizer - HackRPI

Feb 2014 – May 2015

Organized a hackathon hosting 500 students from 70 schools. Focused on sponsorship and design. Closed over \$35,000 for a first-time event. Designed packets, shirts, and other swag.

Co-Founder - Rensselaer Hackathon Organization

March 2014 – May 2015

Founded a school-recognized club and was in charge of handling communication with organizations external to RPI, mostly to organize transportation to hackathons we attended.

Wiring Chair - Theta Chapter, Chi Phi Fraternity

August 2013 - July 2015

Maintained a network over two houses with around 100 devices at peak usage.

WORK EXPERIENCE

Ilium VR – Co-Founder & CTO – Troy, NY

May 2015 - Present

Developing controllers for virtual reality systems. Wrote prototype firmware in Arduino, engine integrations in Unity 5 and Unreal Engine 4, and a Windows service. Contributed significantly to a position tracking algorithm using OpenCV and a Raspberry Pi.

Vital Vio – Intern – Troy, NY

May 2014 - August 2015

Built calibration and data collection software used in Vital Vio's production process with Python, C#, and bash. Set up and maintaining the company's intranet – setting up access points and printers, installing and configuring pfSense, LDAP, OpenVPN, and Samba.

RELEVANT EXPERIENCE

Finalist at HackTECH Winter 2014 – Santa Monica, CA

January 2014

Implemented 3D hand tracking with a Wii Remote camera in Processing (Java).

SharpNav August 2013 – Present

Ported C++ code to C# while making use of C#'s language features and avoiding as much overhead as possible. My current project for the Rensselaer Center for Open Source.

SharpFont January 2012 - Present

Created a C# wrapper for FreeType2 that focused on designing a clean public API. Now distributed with large projects like MonoGame and on NuGet with 10,000+ downloads.

TopHat May 2011 – Aug 2013

Wrote a hobby game engine written in C# using raw OpenGL bindings, implementing features like cascaded shadow maps, hardware instancing, and a full entity-component system. Experimented with various terrain synthesis and noise generation algorithms.