COMP3000

Computing Project

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Project Title

Operation Great Days

Links

Source code:

https://aithub.com/Ryan-rc-Carter/COMP3000-Final-Project-Operation-Great-Days

Backlog: https://trello.com/b/9Npz6q38/comp3000-final-year-project-operation-great-days

Project Vision

Name: Operation Great Days/

Is a: A stealth based game in which the player must complete a series of tasks, ranging from fixing a car to preparing a birthday party, without being detected.

That: Will have a focus on Stealth based mechanics. Visual Detection from entities like Cameras or Pets will rapidly increase an "Alertness" value. When the Alertness reaches a threshold, the level will fail.

Proximity based audio detection may also be a feature. When moving around a location, the closer to an entity, the faster the alertness will increase.

It will be developed in the Unity Engine and will initially use premade assets from the Unity Asset Store but may eventually have Blender-made assets. However this may be a stretch goal

Different from:

- Hitman
 - As it will have more of a focus on stealth and completing a variety of tasks rather than just focusing on eliminating a target with minimal attention

- Viscera Cleanup Detail
 - As it will have a slight crafting element and will not be completely focused on cleaning

Risk Plan

Overscoping

- Putting too much attention into one aspect of the product and inadvertently degrading the functionality of other areas
- Having too much to focus on which can lead to confusion and overlapping sprints

To counter

- Fortnightly sprints focusing on building up the product
- Frequent github pushes and branching

Technical Failures

- Power outages leading to lost work and potential corruption
- Application crashes

To counter:

- Frequently save progress
- Push to github often
- log progress in some way in case of work loss

Usability testing during pandemic

 Unable to handle face-to-face usability testing which will potentially limit the amount of data received

To counter:

- use online questionnaires
- upload a beta test version to Itch.io

Keywords

Stealth? Task-based?