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Education

Creative Media and Game Technologies - BSc

Breda University of Applied Sciences
(2022 - est. 2026)

Languages

English Latvian
Russian Polish

Skills

Version control (Git / P4)
Programming (mainly C++)
Game engines (mainly Unreal)
Graphics (OpenGL, AGC, DX12)

DANIEL SMULKO

GAME PROGRAMMING STUDENT

About Me

I am a student of Breda University of Applied Sciences, focusing on engine development, graphics programming and XR technologies.
Currently, looking for internship.

Experience

● Nov 2024 - est. June 2025

Gameplay & Tools programmer

(Team) Katharsi - puzzle game (in development)

- Light beam game and puzzle mechanic
- Work in progress

● Sept 2024 - Nov 2024

Graphics programmer

(Solo) Dynamic wetness

- Tool that renders dynamic wetness spots on the surfaces

● May 2024 - July 2024

Gameplay programmer / Technical support

(Team) River Tale - game on VP stage

- Set up universities XR stage for Unreal project
- Configured Vive tracking to control in game objects
- Some gameplay mechanics

● Feb 2024 - Apr 2024

Engine programmer

(Team) Custom cross-platform game engine

- Variance shadow mapping on both OpenGL and AGC
- Contributed to blender plugin (blender as level editor)

● Sept 2023 - Jan 2024

Graphics programmer

(Solo) Deferred renderer with PBR on PS5

- Coded on low-level graphics API - Prospero
- Researched and implemented PBR and normal mapping
- Researched and implemented deferred lighting

● Apr 2023 - June 2023

Gameplay & Tools programmer

(Team) Backyard Chickens - arcade game

- Coded a world grid and made a simple tool for designers to customize it
- Created some materials
- Contributed to gameplay algorithms in C++

SOFTWARE

- GitHub
- Perforce
- Unreal Engine
- Unity
- Blender
- Adobe Photoshop / Illustrator

EXPERTISE

- Graphics programming
- Game programming
- Console programming
- Unreal programming