

SHANTANU SHRIPAD MANE - GAMEPLAY PROGRAMMER

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PROJECTS

MaVRick - *Gameplay Programmer* - *UE4, Blueprints* - Published April 2018 on <u>Play Store</u> and <u>itch.io</u>

An action game where you pinball and charge at enemies with your fists to send them flying out with an explosion.

- Implemented a spawn system allowing to create desired intensity in the game by tuning the difficulty of each set of spawned waves and the threshold to spawn every new wave.
- Worked single-handedly on the 'Fighter' enemy AI that blocks attacks from the front, needs to be stunned from behind before being able to take damage and can do a short-range charge at the player.
- Setup complete animation state machines for the 'Fighter' and 'Shotgunner' enemies.
- Designed player abilities and enemies to create intense and high-octane gameplay.

Combat System Paper Prototype - Game Designer

- Designing a paper prototype using cards and a tiled map to simulate the mechanics involved in Action Game combat.
- Emulated critical timings and reactions by associating execution times with actions like the attacks, blocking and evading.
- Working on including mechanics to affect enemies in ways such as pushing, staggering, launching etc. in order to play out combat strategy.

Stick-Man Fight - Animator - Flash

Published on YouTube

- Created a frame-by-frame animation in Flash depicting a fight sequence between stick figures.
- ♦ Animated characters focusing on technicalities of the moves they execute.
- ♦ Animated specific actions with special effects like trailing effects for kicks, screen shudder, blood spurt etc.

ACTIVITIES & ACCOMPLISHMENTS

- DotA player since May 2008 with a thorough understanding of the game's systems and mechanics.
- ♦ Dota 2 player since the Closed Beta with currently 1600 hours played.
- Achieved 2nd place at a college LAN event for DotA in 2013.
- Event head for the Dota 2 LAN at K.J. Somaiya's 'Abhiyantriki 2013' where I led a team to setup for the event, handle logistics and setup matches.
- ♦ Managed the Need for Speed: Most Wanted LAN at K.J. Somaiya's 'Abhiyantriki 2012' where I was responsible for setting up races and handling logistics.
- Member of the 'Computer Society of India' student chapter for the academic years 2012-2013 and 2013-2014 where I
 worked in the preparations for college festivals.