### **Thomas Porta**

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#### **GAME PROGRAMMER**

I am an ambitious and driven programmer who loves when games come together as the designers envisioned them. I see myself as enabling designers to express themselves. I am highly competent in several programming languages including C++, C#, Python, Lua and HLSL. I can work in both Unity and Unreal as well as any Engine that is built on C++. I can program shaders and build them in shader graphs. In my free time I also develop games - I am currently continuing development of **Serpens: Eternal Thievery** (PC, Steam) and **Evil Incremental** (Android): projects I started at the NFTS. I am French and have the right to work in the EU and the UK.

Location: UK, EU

#### TECHNICAL SKILLS

**Languages** : C++, C#, HLSL, Python, Lua, Assembly (Debugging)

Unity Engine : C#, Physics, Shaders (CG, HLSL, Graphs), Built-in RP and Universal RP, Mobile Development

**Unreal Engine**: Blueprints, C++ integration

**Tools** : Maya, Photoshop, Blender, Visual Studio Code, Playdate SDK, Git

#### EXPERIENCE

# Machine Learning ProgrammerOctober 2020 - June 2021D'Angelin & CoLondon - UK

#### **EDUCATION**

## National Film and Television School2022 - PresentMA - Game Design and DevelopmentBeaconsfield - UK

• **Dissertation**: Why are Immersive Sims so Immersive?

UCL2019 - 2020MSc - Machine LearningLondon - UKMcGill University2015 - 2019BSc - Physics and Computer ScienceMontreal - CanadaLycee Francais Charles De Gaulle2004 - 2015French BaccalaureateLondon - UK

#### **PROJECTS**

#### Serpens: Eternal Thievery (PC) Unity 3D, C#, Maya, HLSL, Systems and AI Programming, Level Design Steam

• First Person Stealth Game with highly nonlinear gameplay. Made in 8 months.

Sirenum (PC) Unity 3D, C#, Maya, Blender, CG, HLSL, Post-FX Shaders Itch.io

• First Person Puzzle Game with multiple endings. Made in 1 month.

#### **Evil Incremental (Android)** Unity 2D, Mobile/Android Dev, C#, UI, Machinations <u>Itch.io</u>

• Incremental game for Android. UI only. Upcoming Google Play release. 11000+ players from Itch Release.

#### Shadows Of Them (PC) Unity 3D, C#, Unity Audio, Maya Itch.io

• First Person Psychological Horror Game. Made in 6 weeks. Develop Indie Showcase Finalist 2022.

#### Word Wars (PC) Unity 2D, C#, Maya, Systems Programming Itch.io

2-Person Word Shooting game. Made in 48 hours. GameBridge Best Project Runners-Up

#### HOBBIES

Photography of brutalist buildings, mixing techno music, running, football, reading about Physics and our incredible universe.