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📭 - English / Hebrew. But I love learning new languages (:

A Bit About Me:

I am very passionate about creating games and experiences for me, my friends, and others to entertain, give joy and spark the imagination.

I have been writing code since 2018, and I am comfortable with Java and C# but willing to learn more. I want to find a position that will constantly test my skills and make me learn more things.

My Education:

Although I am a self taught programmer, I have been to multiple coding courses and had no issue with the level of code being taught, in fact I was too advanced for some of them.

I also have worked with and managed small teams to create games & maintain communities in the past. A notable example is when I developed, managed & moderated a popular Israeli Minecraft server that housed over 2000 unique players over its lifetime of over a year.

I am currently studying game design in the Open University and I work with a small 4 person group as the technical manager & sole programmer.

My Skills:

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- Able to quickly learn and adapt to a new program or environment.
- Programming in C# and Java.
- 2+ years of knowledge of the Unity game engine.
- Strong understanding of game mechanics, level design, and game balancing.
- Strong communication and team-working/leading skills. Also able to work alone just fine.

Past Experiences:

 Owner & Head Developer of CLAYTYNE Minecraft Server 2020-2022 -

https://yoavtc.work/projects/minecraft-server

- Developed and implemented game concepts, mechanics, and systems.
- Created, maintained and managed the server's community for over two years
- Lead and managed the moderator & creative staff
- Marketed and promoted the server towards regional success
- Worked with Java to create custom made plug-ins
- Wrote, coded and implemented quests into the game
- Balanced the server's in-game economy

Notable Projects:

You can find the complete list of my projects on my website at https://yoavtc.work/

Minecraft Server - https://yoavtc.work/projects/minecraft-server

A two year long project that made me who I am and who I want to be. I have created an experience for the player like no other. An open world RPG with Minecraft's building and surviving fundamentals mixed with my own custom

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made story, NPCs, quests, boss fights, special items and events for the community. I encourage you to read about it more at the link above.

Chef Shooter - https://yoavtc.work/projects/chef-shooter

A simple wave shooter game that introduced me into the game making world of Unity engine.

Pizza Defender - https://yoavtc.work/projects/pizza-defender

Also a simple project, it was my first ever mobile game for Android. Its a game where you have to protect your pizza from a bunch of bugs.

My Portfolio Website - https://yoavtc.work/

I learnt HTML, CSS and a bit of JavaScript to make that website from scratch. It was a very fun and teaching experience. I also worked close with my Mother to make the art for the site.

I am also currently working on my own online/local multiplayer game, you can check some of the updates I've been posting on LinkedIn.

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