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OBJECTIVE

Industrious self-starter with strong creative ability and experience in problem solving, strategy development, and computer programming seeking employment opportunities as a game developer.

COMPUTER SKILLS

- Programming Languages: C#, Java, C++, JavaScript, MATLAB, HTML, XML
- Operating Systems: Mac OSX, Windows 2000/XP/Vista/7/10
- Software: Unity, ImpactJS, Blender, MonoDevelop, Git, Tortoise SVN, Adobe Photoshop
- Other: Jenkins, Bitbucket, Redmine, Trello

EDUCATION

The University of Georgia

Athens, GA May 2014

Bachelor of Science in Computer Science Bachelor of Science in Mathematics

Overall GPA: 3.4/4.0

RELATED COURSEWORK

Human-Computer Interactions, Computer Graphics, Game Programming, Computer Networks, Web Application Design, Linear Algebra, Differential Geometry, Cryptography, Qualitative Differential Equations, Mathematics and Music

RELEVANT PROJECT/EMPLOYMENT EXPERIENCE

Game Developer, Training Systems

Camber - Huntsville, AL

Unmanned, Airborne & Sensor Division

October 2014 – Present

- Work as the standalone developer for multiple projects
- Coordinate with 3D and art team to import and program functionality to necessary assets in game environments
- Plan out and discuss the development process of an application based on storyboards in scrum meetings
- Set up scenes, manage camera interaction, and handle efficient dynamic lighting within Unity game engine
- Maintain version control with team throughout development process through Tortoise SVN
- Deploy and test application builds to PC, Android, and IOS mobile devices
- Write generic framework for training exercise objectives and procedures in order to create highly dynamic scenarios
- Debug code with MonoDevelop and optimize game performance for mobile platforms
- Modify functionality and resolve comments made on projects during Draft, Alpha, and Beta review phases
- Communicate effectively with management and team in weekly meetings regarding project status and delivery

Global Game Jam Huntsville, AL

Open Corey's Door - Unity

January 20th-22nd 2016

- Rapidly developed a fully functional game deployed for iOS and Android stores in 48 hours with a small team of four
- Devised and delegated tasks for application framework & features effectively for a time stressed delivery
- Handled core game objective system mechanics, user score tracking, level progression, and persistent record keeping.
- Employed MVC design pattern to organize source code, taking both the model & view components to the application
- Configured and managed team version control using Git and hosted the game repository on Bitbucket

Game Development

CSCI4070: Game Programming

The University of Georgia January 2014 - April 2014

• Created an arcade style game, "Pac-Man: Gloves are Off!" using only Javascript and HTML5 canvas element.

- Integrated multiple abilities & cooldowns, a progressive difficulty system, and player level adaptation mechanics
- Developed 2D platform game with multiple levels utilizing the ImpactJS game engine in Javascript.
- Manipulated images in Photoshop to create sprite sheets for humanoid animation, and embedded SFX using Audacity

- Programmed Snake Game to interact with objects on the game board in real time
- Implemented multiple difficulty levels of an AI opponent to play against the user of an Othello game
- Devised complex algorithms to integrate multidimensional arrays into game logic for Othello

Team Project

The University of Georgia

CSCI4800: Human-Computer Interactions

August 2013 – December 2013

- Served as project team leader to coordinate the group, allocate responsibilities, and produce deliverables on time
- Gathered and analyzed requirements from users to generate several user interface design alternatives
- Developed an application for a user to improve productivity and maximize efficiency of tasks

ACTIVITIES AND AWARDS

- Maintain an active Secret Security Clearance from the issuing agency of the DoD through October 2024
- Designed and maintain an online portfolio (http://hollums.github.io)
- HOPE Grant, Dean's List, and Presidential Scholar
- Composer, performer and producer for "The Departure" CD by Ten String Serenade LLC (tenstringserenade.com)
- Tutored students K-12 & college level in mathematics at the Mathnasium Learning Center