Ali Brooks

Web Developer, Game Designer, and All-Round Computer Scientist

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REFERENCES

Nicholas Wilkins

Mentor

My primary mentor during my time at Firaxis games

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My boss during my time at Firaxis games.

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SKILLS

HTML

CSS

JavaSc ript C++

Java

C#

Python

CERTIFICATIONS

Certified OCI Foundations AssociateOracle

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EDUCATION

Rensselaer Polytechnic Institute

Bsc., Computer Science and Information Technology and Web Science

Data Structures

Algorithms

Web Systems Development

Physics

(Aug 2022 - May

2026)

Discrete Mathematics

Multivariable Calculus & Matrix Algebra

WORK EXPERIENCE

Firaxis Games

UI/UX Engineer Intern (May 2023 - Aug 2023) Gilman School Graphic Design Intern (May 2022 - Jun 2022)

- Worked with the UI/UX team to help develop a fast, responsive, and intuitive UI for a AAA video game.
- Primarily utilized TypeScript, SCSS, HTML, and C++.
- Participated in the teams agile software development, where I attended both team and UI/UX specific scrum meetings.
- Utilized software like Jira,
 Perforce, Smartbear Code
 Collaborator, and Swarm to speed
 up development.

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 Worked with the Gilman Graphic
- Design department to create schoolwide advertisement templates and posters.

 Utilized software like Gimp,
- Photoshop, and Canva
- Participated in meetings with the Gilman Graphic Design team

PROJECTS

Perception and (Jan 2023 Action Research - Dec Lab 2023)

Researcher

- Worked with
 Professor Brett Fajen
 on simulation
 software for his
 research.
- Created in Unity, primarily programmed in C#.
- environments for eye-tracking experiments with experienced drone racing pilots.

Game DesignExtracurricular

- Utilized multiple engines and languages to create games that have been published to Itch.lo.
- Used python, C#, and C++.
- https://abrookst.itch.i

Hackathons

Extracurricular

- Participate in multiple hackathons in the New England area
- Most recent are HackRPI and MIT Energy Hack
- Worked with the company Tangible at MIT to create a program to solve pressing issues about climate change