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## **ABOUT**

Experienced game producer, worked on multiple interdisciplinary teams leading, designing, and launching games for startups, educational institutions, and independently.

# AWARDS & SCHOLARSHIP

- Best aesthetics award in UC Davis game jam.
- 1st place in Intel International Science and Engineering Fair.

## INVITED TALKS AND PANELS

2019 - Judge for Replit's1st Game Jam.2017 - Speaker atPrincess NouraUniversity.2016 - Speaker at UCDavis ModLab.

Davis ModLab. **2012** - Speaker in

TEDxYouth @ Jeddah.

#### **EDUCATION**

University of California at Davis 2019 B.S. Computer Science (awarded scholarship)

## **BAYAN MASHAT**

Video Game Developer and Producer

## **GAME EXPERIENCE**

#### Microsoft - Turn 10 Studios

#### Associate Game Producer | Apr 2022 - Present

- Managing the day-to-day operations of the Concept Art, Look Development, VFX, and Procedural teams.
- Driving capture and cost of requirements for their deliverables, clears blocking issues and dependencies across partner teams, and ensures successful weekly and quarterly goal deliveries against the studio's predicted capacity and commitments.
- Establishing and communicating clarity across high-risk tasks, teams, and dependencies.

#### Blue Tango Street

#### Founder / Game Producer | October 2020 - Present

- Launched an independent game studio to develop first commercial game, "Job Will Hunting".
- Recruited a seven person remote team of artists and developers to create the first prototype.
- Led team to create design docs and test gameplay mechanics.

## "Re:Search, A Campus Story" for University of California

#### Lead / Game Producer | March 2017 - Present

- Conducted an independent, experimental team to develop an educational video game for UC Davis's "Intro to Research" class.
- Led meetings with stakeholders to create success criteria and design docs, resulted in securing \$500K in follow-on funding to expand.
- Hired and led a multi-disciplinary team of 8 people to design, prototype, build and successfully launch Re:Search in 10 months to 9 UC campuses.

#### Leyton USA

## Technical Consultant | June 2020 - August 2021

- Led initiative to identify business opportunities in the video game industry.
- Presented findings to leadership that resulted in the creation of a new video game sales channel for the company.
- Won an internal competition that identified the top three performing women in the company.

## "Proxi" for Gallium Studios

### Game Design Intern | August 2018 - October 2019

- Hired as intern to design an Al-powered chatbot for Proxi, a new Will Wright game. Promoted to full-time employee.
- Created chatbot prototypes to test game mechanics.
- Led team efforts to select 10 historical characters recognized in Asia, Europe, and the US to support international game release.
- Collaborated with historians to collect memories of historical characters to feed into Al algorithm for chatbot.

## **RESEARCH & PROJECTS**

#### 2018 - E{du}motion @ D.I.C.E Lab in UC Davis

A Web app to study emotion tracking effect on academic performance for students

#### 2016 - SHADOW PAN @ UC DAVIS

A game to provide help for people dealing with depression via interactive conversations.

#### 2015 - ROBOBRICK @ UT AUSTIN

Interactive coding objects to teach visually impacted students how to program robots.

## 2011 - GOOPLAY @ INTEL ISEF

An educational video game for improving web-searching skills for children.