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SOFTWARE

Unity Engine
Unreal Engine 4
Visual Studio
Git
Perforce
Photoshop

LANGUAGES

C++
C#
Lua
OpenGL4.2/GLSL
XML
JSON
HTML/CSS
Python
Java

SKILLS

Agile Development
Data-Driven Development
Procedural Generation
User Interface
System Design
Tools Design
3D Math
Data Structures
Team Management
Cross-team Communication

SHIPPED TITLES

NEW WORLD

2021- PRESENT

World Experience Engineer – Amazon Game Studios– Azoth Engine

- **Quests** - Designed and implemented new tools and technology to empower designers to rapidly create new and compelling quests
- **Housing** - Developed improvements to decoration and scoring systems
- **World** - Supported world changes by implementing solutions related to storage, contribution sharing, and dungeons

MINECRAFT, MINECRAFT: EARTH

2019 - 2021

Generalist Engineer – Mojang – Bedrock Engine

- **Mobs** - Worked closely with encounter and mob designers to implement new mobs in Minecraft: Earth
- **Character Creator** - Helped implement system and UI for a new character creator in both Minecraft: Bedrock Edition and Minecraft: Earth

LA RANA

5 MONTHS, 2018

Lead Software Developer – Team of 14 - Unreal Engine 4

- Sprint planned and negotiated deliverables for software development team
- Planned and documented major game systems, including audio, user interface, player movement, level streaming, and puzzle elements
- Created builds as standalone executables, PS4 builds, and Steam build uploads
- Implemented all in-game UI and menus

INDIVIDUAL PROJECTS

PERSONAL ENGINE

2 YEARS, 2019

C++, OpenGL 4.2

- Personal development engine with 2D and 3D rendering framework, input, audio, and UI systems, as well as profiling tools and a developer console.

ROGUELIKE STUDY

5 MONTHS, 2019

C++, Personal Engine

- 2D top-down roguelike with procedurally generated maps, quests, and NPCs

MINECRAFT CLONE

3 MONTHS, 2019

C++, Personal Engine

- Infinite, persistent voxel world with placing/digging blocks, lighting, day/night cycle, and save loading.

EDUCATION

GUILDHALL AT SMU *Plano, Texas*

2017-2019

Masters of Interactive Technology, Programming Specialization

OBERLIN COLLEGE *Oberlin, Ohio*

2012-2016

Bachelor of Arts, Computer science