

# George M. Kousis

ELECTRICAL AND COMPUTER ENGINEER

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## Education

### Aalborg University (AAU)

Aalborg, Denmark

M.Sc. IN VISION, GRAPHICS AND INTERACTIVE SYSTEMS - DISCONTINUED

Sep. 2019 - Apr. 2020

- Semester 1: Took part and presented in AAU's internal *Seven Semester Conference (SEMCON)* with project: Weather Classification for Consistent Illumination in Augmented Reality.
- Cg/HLSL for Unity. ARCore** for Unity Android application. **C#** scripting.
- Shaders for soft shadowing (umbra, penumbra) using spherical geometric primitives.

### National Technical University of Athens (NTUA)

Athens, Greece

M.ENG. IN ELECTRICAL AND COMPUTER ENGINEERING

Sep. 2012 - Feb. 2018

- Major in Software, Computer Systems and Computer Networks
- GPA: 7.94/10
- Diploma thesis:** *Recommendation Selection and Quality of Experience in Cyber-Physical Social Systems*
- Advisors:**  
Professor Papavasileiou Symeon (National Technical University of Athens)  
Assistant Professor Tsiropoulou Eirini-Eleni (University of New Mexico)
- Thesis published in Future Internet MDPI Journal:**  
Tsiropoulou, E., Kousis, G., Thanou, A., Lykourantzou, I. and Papavassiliou, S., 2018. Quality of Experience in Cyber-Physical Social Systems Based on Reinforcement Learning and Game Theory. *Future Internet*, 10(11), p.108

## Experience

### Alfa Laval

Aalborg, Denmark

PROGRAMMER STUDENT WORKER

Jan. 2020 - Jun. 2020

- Responsible for extending functionality of in-house tooling used by Boiler Sales team. **VBA** and **Windows Forms**.
- Python** application. **Tkinter** GUI, filesystem operations to automate management of order folders.

### Information Technology Support Center (KEPYES), Hellenic Army

Greece

DATA ANALYTICS & IT SUPPORT (COMPULSORY MILITARY SERVICE)

Nov. 2018 - Jun. 2019

- Worked in a strict, organized and demanding environment where discipline and confidentiality were paramount.
- Maintenance and update of **MS Access GUI** and back-end applications via **VBA**. Interconnecting MS Excel with Access.

### Signal Ocean

Athens, Greece

DATA ENGINEER INTERN

Aug. 2016 - Nov. 2016

- SQL** queries on complex database. Basic **Tableau** experience
- Human in the loop* data collection & preparation for insertion into the database
- Sea route visualization tool in **python** via 2D heatmaps.
- Agile environment with daily scrums. Individual as well as team-focused sprints.

## Personal Projects ([kousius.github.io/projects](https://kousius.github.io/projects))

### Song recognizer app for Windows

C++, QT WIDGETS, WASAPI, ACRCLOUD

### OpenGL engine experiments

C++, GLSL 3.30 CORE, GLFW, GLM, ASSIMP  
Blinn-Phong lighting and basic texturing.  
Dynamic shader reloading

### GUI Development with CEF

C++, CEF, HTML/CSS/JS

## Miscellaneous

### Foreign Languages

CERTIFICATIONS

- English: Excellent, Cambridge C1
- French: Fluent, Delf B2 (grew up in Brussels for 5yrs)
- Greek: Native

### Games

IF IT'S FUN, I PLAY IT!

- Favourite genres: puzzle, mystery, action, rpg, competitive games
- Previously part of the Skywind mod for TESV: Skyrim as a gameplay mechanics programmer.

### Music - Guitar

LONDON COLLEGE OF MUSIC(RGT) - GRADE 8 CERTIFIED

Music has been a consistent builder of confidence and team play throughout the years and is always a joyful activity.