Lucien Eckert

917-689-0743 • lee48@cornell.edu

Current Address:

Permanent Address:

414 Stewart Ave, Ithaca, NY 14853

47 Midwood St. Brooklyn, NY 11225

Education

Cornell University, College of Arts and Sciences, Ithaca, NY

Pursuing B.A. in Information Science, expected graduation May 2023. GPA: 3.9

Relevant Coursework:

- Object-Oriented Programming and Data Structures
- Data Structures and Functional Programming
- Advanced Game Development
- Introduction to Data Science

- Introduction to Machine Learning
- Intermediate Web Design & Development
- Introduction to Natural Language Processing
- Human-Computer Interaction Design

Related Experience

Portfolio: https://lucieneckert.github.io

Team-Based Game Development

Spring 2020

Related Course: INFO 3152: Introduction to Game Development

- Worked on a team of 8 to develop a game in Java/LibGDX in a project-based game design course
- Collaborated with a team both in-person and in a remote working environment
- Developed robust design documents for prototypes, design specifications, etc
- Rapidly prototyped level designs and built up interesting situations with core gameplay blocks
- Ran playtesting sessions and compiled notes to fine-tune game feel and level design
- Spearheaded music composition and sound design

Teaching Assistant for INFO 3152: Introduction to Game Development Spring 2021-Spring 2022

- Facilitated lab sessions, held office hours, and playtested to help groups develop their game projects
- Graded and provided feedback on lab assignments such as character design, level design, etc.

Game Development Project Manager at AI-Learners

Winter 2021-Fall 2021

- Implemented math and logic-focused educational web games aimed at kids with disabilities
- Learned management techniques and coordinated the game dev team in an agile environment
- Studied best practices for making web applications accessible and customizable for users
- Used React and TypeScript to build a scalable framework for games of various topics, skills
- Developed integration with tools like Firebase to follow principles of data-driven design

<u>Independent Game Design + Development</u>

Summer 2020-Present

- Works solo to design + develop games with various tools like Unity, Godot Engine
- Became familiar with efficiently reading documentation to produce code in many environments
- Designs all visual and audio assets with tools like GIMP, LMMS
- Created marketing materials for and distributed one game on itch.io

Other Experience

Business and Media Subteam Member

Fall 2019-Fall 2021

erience | Combat Robotics @ Cornell

- Worked to maintain the team website and provide up-to-date logos, merch, and branding materials
- Helped organize fundraisers on-campus, compiled a list of sponsorship contacts to fund the team
- Collaborated with other team members to produce a professional sponsorship packet

Technical Skills **Programming**: Proficient with Java, Python, OCaml, Git, Godot Engine, Experience with Unity/C# **Data Science:** Proficient with R, pandas, NumPy, scikit-learn, Experience with PyTorch

Web Development: Proficient with HTML, CSS, JavaScript/TypeScript, PHP, Experience with React

Digital Asset Creation: Proficient with GIMP, Photoshop, LMMS, Experience with Blender

Misc. Tech Skills: Proficient with LaTeX, Microsoft Office/Google Suite, Figma

Awards

Regeneron Science Talent Search 2019 Semi-Finalist

Activities

Big Red Billiards • Cornell University Development in Games Association • Combat Robotics @ Cornell