# MATTHEW WAGAR TECHNICAL ARTIST - GAME DEVELOPER

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# **EDUCATION**

# Drexel University - Philadelphia, PA

Bachelor of Science in Computer Science Concentration in Video Game Development Minor in Animation and Visual Effects Minor in Virtual Reality and Immersive Media Design September 2014 - June 2019

# **SKILLS**

# **Programming**

- ( / (++ / (#
- Javascript / HTML5
- Python
- Java

# Game Development Tools

- Unity3D
- HLSL/ Cg / Shader Lab
- OpenGL / WebGL
- Vuforia

# **Art Tools**

- Houdini
- Maya
- Adobe Creative Suite
- Motion Builder / Vicon Blade

March 2018 - September 2018

# **EXPERIENCE**

# Night Kitchen Interactive - Philadelphia, PA

Unity3D Developer

# Developed Augmented Reality experiences for Cultural Institutions in Unity and Vuforia

- Designed UI and UX for AR Experiences in Adobe Illustrator
- Constructed a Model View Controller architecture within Unity3D so that UI Components modular and event based

# KieranTimberlake - Architecture Firm - Philadelphia, PA

March 2017 - September 2017

Front-End Web Developer

- Led front-end development for an enterprise-level web app called Roast™ that surveys overall comfort of employees in a work space
- Contributed in design meetings on crucial UI and UX decisions
- · Collaborated with a graphic designer, back-end programmer, software architect, and project manager

# National Board of Medical Examiners - Philadelphia, PA

March 2016 - September 2016

Front-End Web Developer

- Developed an enterprise-level web app that grades physician's "Doctor-Patient Relationship" skills
- · Worked in an Agile Development Environment
- Utilized UI Development practices such as Model-View-Controller architecture

### **Personal Projects**

· The Story Graph

Independently developed a Node-Based Visual Scripting tool that is available on Unity Asset Store

- · And The Crowd Goes Wild (Programmer / Technical Artist / Animator)
- A VR Magic Show experience that uses the Leap Motion Gesture Tracking to cast magic on the audience
- · BioShroom (Project Lead / Programmer / Technical Artist / 3D Generalist)
  - A first-person exploration game about a biologist on a foreign planet infested with mushrooms
- · Hive Jive (Technical Artist)

A VR flying game where the player is a bee on a mission to pollinate the dying landscape