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Matthew Hendrickson

Software Engineer/Game Designer






About me

My name is Matthew Hendrickson, I am currently an upperclassman at Worcester Polytechnic Institute focusing on a double major in their Computer Science/Interactive Media and Game Design program. On the side, I prototype and develop software in Java and the Unity Engine for various purposes, most of them revolving around Game Design. I have also worked in IT and as a Peer Tutor for Quinnipiac University, which I have since transferred from.







Skills

- Customer Service
- Agile Methodology
- CPR and First Aid
- Object-Oriented Design
- Project Management
- Technical Support

Programming Languages

- Java (5+ years) 
- C# (4+ years) 
- Python 
- Apache DerbySQL 
- Javascript (p5.js) 
- JavaFX 

Software

- IntelliJ IDEA 
- Eclipse IDE 
- Adobe Photoshop 
- Git/GitHub 
- Unity Engine 
- Microsoft Office 

Personal Work

IMPERIUS

Imperius is an easy-to-learn, hard-to-master space RTS game that leverages creativity to achieve victory. Construct powerful fleets, plan ahead, and utilize powerful abilities across 6 campaign missions, featuring unique environments and a variety of foes.

Imperius will be available on the Steam store the Summer of 2023. It will be brought to completion as my Major Qualifying Project for my double major at WPI.

Education

2021 - 2023

GPA: 4.00

Worcester Polytechnic Institute  Worcester, MA

Computer Science  Bachelor of Science

Interactive Media & Game Technology  Bachelor of Science

2019 - 2021

GPA: 3.98

Quinnipiac University  Hamden, CT

Computer Science  Bachelor of Arts

Game Design & Development  Bachelor of Arts


2015 - 2019

GPA: 3.62

Pomperaug Regional High School  Southbury, CT

High Honors  High School Diploma

Experience

Junior Backend Developer 05.2022 - 07/2022  Worcester, MA

WPI/ASSISTments | new.assistments.org

Description: An IQP (Interactive Qualifying Project) for course credit at WPI using SQL and Python to add features to the award winning ASSISTments learning software.

Project Manager 03.2022 - 05.2022  Worcester, MA

WPI/Brigham & Women's Hospital | www.brighamandwomens.org

Description: WPI's CS3733 Software Engineering D22 class in collaboration with Brigham & Women's Hospital. Applying the agile development methodologies and software design patterns in Java to create a medical equipment tracking and workflow application to demo features to the hospital representatives that they may consider implementing.

Tech Support Assistant Supervisor 08.2020 - 08.2021  Hamden, CT

Quinnipiac University | www.qu.edu/info-for/information-technology-services

Description: Providing comprehensive support and problem resolution to users concerning both personal and university software and hardware, maintaining and upgrading university technology.

Peer Tutor 01.2021 - 08.2021  Hamden, CT

Quinnipiac University | www.qu.edu/student-life/support-services/

Description: Tutoring students in various programming-related topics in the languages JavaScript, C#, and Java for the Quinnipiac Learning Commons.

Information Technologist 06.2017 - Present  Southbury, CT

Practical Data Solutions | www.pds-online.com

Description: Hands-on experience through upgrading systems, technical support, repairing broken computers, installing server operating systems, and beta testing software.