## **NICKOLAS FRAUS**

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Zealous Game Programmer with one year of game development experience and four years of coding practice, seeking a game development internship to apply hands-on programming techniques and skills learned at Spartasoft Studio and Michigan State University.

## Skills:

- Unity Game Engine and ProBuilder, Visual Studio and Visual Studio Code
- Programming in C, C++, C#, Python, <del>Java, and Html</del>
- Collaboration in GitHub, Plastic SCM, Trello, Discord, Zoom, and Skype
- Creative applications in Adobe Photoshop, Illustrator, and Premiere Pro, and Blender
- Familiarity with windows and iOS platforms
- Knowledge of computer hardware from building and managing a PC

## **Experience:**

• Programmer of *Tomb for Two* – Spartasoft Studio

09/2022 - Present

- -Served as a leader to and collaborated with a team of 60 people in Unity
- -Oversaw several developers through tasks ranging various areas of Unity Development
- -Coded modular managers and interactions, specialized for the design team's ease of use
- -Used Unity NavMesh to create enemy AI

• Personal Game Project – Speckles Drop

01/2022 - 04/2022

- -Strengthened my background of C# scripting in Unity by developing a game start to finish
- -Iterated code and script interactions to solve problems
- -Researched C# scripting techniques

• Programmer of Knight by Night - Spartasoft Studio

02/2022 - 05/2022

- -Collaborated with a team of 30-40 people in Unity working in teams of varying sizes
- -Programmed Unity C# scripts, and fixed bugs in code as the project ensued
- -Developed intricate and detailed enemy classes to allow designers the freedom of making custom advanced attack behavior

Club member of Spartasoft, Game Design Club

09/2022 - Present

- -Learned techniques and concepts for multiple stages of game development
- -Oversight into operations outside of my discipline
- -Made connections with designers and developers at Michigan State University

Spartasoft November Game Jam

11/2022

- -Programmed on a team of 7 people to create a 3D game in Unity in under 48 hours
- -Coded enemy scripts using 3D math to make the scene lively and interactive
- -Created a system for the player to consume objects and increase the player's scale

## **Education/Awards:**

Bachelors in Games & Interactive Media, Michigan State University

Fall 2020 - Spring 2024

GPA: 3.6

**Diploma**, Troy High School

Summer 2020

GPA: 3.7