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Highly motivated and detail oriented project manager with over 9 years of game industry experience and multiple years of experience running live mobile game projects. Expertise in managing multiple live games, data analysis and scrum / agile methodologies. A self-starter with an unending desire and capacity to learn new skills.

PROFESSIONAL EXPERIENCE

Ember Entertainment | 2014-08 to Present

Product Manager - Empire Z 2015-07 to Present

- Generated over 12,000,000\$ in revenue for Empire Z in 2016.
- Increased the game's longevity and monetization by designing, programming and analyzing data from new in game features.
- Ran two live projects simultaneously and profitably as a product manager.

Product Manager / Producer - Commanders 2015-07 to Present

- Brought the game from soft launch to a world-wide release on IOS and Android.
- Maximized ROI after release using analytics models.

Project Manager | Treasure Bounce 2014-08 to 2015-07

- Brought the game from concept to a world wide release as product manager.
- Increased retention by using analytics models to identify in game churn.

Z2 (Eventually purchased by King) | 2012-01 to 2014-08

Scrum Master - Paradise Bay 2014-03 to 2014-08

- Ran team using Scrum/Agile production methodology.
- Tasked and prioritized a 22 person team of all disciplines.
- Shipped Paradise Bay's first Test Market Release Build to IOS and Android.

Live Ops and Dev Ops Producer - Cross Studio 2013-11 to 2014-03

- Created up-time goals and action items to maintain uptime goals.

Technical Artist - Shadowslayer 2012-11 to 2013-11

- Automated a 2D art pipeline using JSFL and Photoshop Python.

QA - Metal Storm, Battle Nations, Trade Nations 2012-01 to 2013-11

- Responsible for dozens of smooth client and server releases.

WB Games / Snowblind Studios | 2007-07 to 2011-11

Usability Test - Guardians of Middle Earth 2011-06 to 2011-11

- Ran usability tests, prioritized bugs and helped guide design meetings.

QA - Lord of the Rings: War in the North 2007-07 to 2011-06

- Responsible for testing proprietary development tools.

QA / Designer - Death Tanks (XBLA Title) 2008-06 to 2009-03

- Wrote test cases and designed a feature for a major update.

Board Game Design - Designed, created a sales pitch and sold the right to the board game "NFL Game Day". An official licensed product of the NFL distributed by Fremont Die Consumer Products.

Education - Data Science Certificate UW (2017-06) | Bellevue College | Digipen Institute of Technology

SKILLS

R
Python
Live Project Management
MySQL
Javascript
Analytics
Scrum
Agile
Target Process
JIRA
LUA
A/B Testing
Communicating Goals
Test Planning
Outsourcing
UX Design

Interests:

Machine Learning
Predictive Modeling
Data Science
Mobile Gaming
Fantasy Sports
Process Automation
Production Methodologies
Board Games
Movies and Television
Beer
Whiskey