

# TOMMY TANG

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## Skill

- Language and engine: C/C++, C#, UNITY, UNREAL, OpenGL
- Tools: Git, SVN, Perforce, CI/CD, ImGui, WSL, Slack, RenderDoc, Visual Studio, Visual Studio Code.

## Education

### DIGIPEN INSTITUTE OF TECHNOLOGY

BS in Computer Science in Real-Time Interactive Simulation

2020/9 - 2024/4  
Redmond, WA

### NATIONAL TAIWAN UNIVERSITY

BS in Chemical Engineering

2012/9 - 2018/6  
Taipei, Taiwan

## Work Experience

### TEACHING ASSISTANT | DIGIPEN INSTITUTE OF TECHNOLOGY (2022/9 - 2022/12)

- Assisted students in answering questions about assignments and labs.

### QUALITY ASSURANCE ANALYST | RAYARK INC. | (2019/10 - 2020/5)

- Worked on a multi-region published mobile game: Soul of Eden.
- owned an automation tool to test daily quests and player tutorials in Soul of Eden. It saves QA an hour of manual testing one day.

### UNITY SOFTWARE ENGINEER | SO-CAYENNE ENTERTAINMENT | (2018/10 - 2019/5)

- Implemented a time zone system for a multi-region published mobile game: RENKA. Let designers could easily publish game events in different time zones.
- Built a continuous integration environment to help the team check daily build stability.

## Projects

### PROCEDURAL MAZE GENERATION AND AUDIO IN UNITY

#### *Hidden World*

- 3D tech demo for procedural content generation, used Backtracking method to generate a maze procedurally.
- Did personal research on the applicability of Wave Function Collapse to maze generation.
- Built a tool that randomly selects appropriate sound effects to make it sound more natural.

### PHYSICS AND GAMEPLAY PROGRAMMER IN C++ CUSTOM ENGINE

#### *Split Spirit*

- Using the simple Euler method and Newton's law to simulate real-world physics.
- Implemented 2D circle, AABB collision detection, and resolution to simulate collision in real-world.
- Using vector, linear algebra, and physical knowledge about elasticity to simulate spring beds, and implemented elastic mushroom beds according to designers' needs to improve the gameplay.
- Implemented player's controller to improve the basic operation of our game characters and cooperate with the designer to adjust the feel.

### SYSTEM AND TOOL PROGRAMMER IN C++ CUSTOM ENGINE

#### *DEAL: Dark Pillar*

- Implemented button, achievement, win/lose system, splash screen, and main menu design.
- Created and Imported art assets, BGM, and sound effects to support an all-programmer team.

### GAME AI-RELATED PROJECTS IN C++ CUSTOM ENGINE AND UNITY

- Implemented an advanced behavior tree with decision-making via a utility system.
- Implemented A\* Pathfinding: using smoothing and rubber banding algorithm to make the path more natural.
- Implemented Terrain Analysis, Occupancy Map, Influence Map, Visibility Map, Search, and Propagation Function which can be widely applied to various 2D top-down games.