**Brian Bloomfield**

## SUMMARY OF QUALIFICATIONS

* Led Video Game Software Development Projects from start to finish (Vertical Slice to Alpha to GMC and Release)
* Managed both Small (1-2 testers) and Larger (40+ testers) teams both in house and externally
* Certification and Submission Process Approvals for Microsoft’s Xbox 360 and XB1, as well as Sony Playstation’s PS3 and PS4
* Extremely proficient with Microsoft Office products such as Word, Excel, Outlook, Powerpoint, Access.
* Experience with Bug Flow Databases such as Hansoft, Software Planner, Sharepoint, Jira, Bugzilla, etc.

*Project Management Skills*

* 4 years in Project Management in Quality Assurance; cumulative 10+ years of software development industry experience
* Able to identify problem areas and communicate possible solutions in a clear and concise manner.
* Proactive in updating and communicating with QA Management, Production teams, Development, and External Partners on project status.
* Work closely with Production and Development to analyze and give feedback on newly implemented features, progression, project quality, and roadblocks
* Oversee Testplan development and Test Schedule implementation / follow through.
* Track and analyze Milestones and other Project Deliverables to provide a global testing/tracking objective.
* Simultaneously manage multiple bug databases and workflows, including Hansoft, Software Planner, Sharepoint, Jira, etc.

*Resource Management Skills*

* Accountable for prioritizing and managing project-resource needs.
* Involved in the supervision of remote testing teams.
* Promote team building, open communication, and positive reinforcement within the department.
* Counsel testing on investigating “edge case / outside the box” bugs and critical issues.
* Always giving testers feedback on performance and job responsibilities.
* Conduct phone screens for prospective applicants, scheduling face to face interviews, and training of new hires.
* Contribute to the yearly review process.

## RELATED RECENT EXPERIENCE:

**Bethesda Softworks** Oct 2005 - Current

*Quality Assurance*

* Personnel Management, Project Management, Database Management, Quality Assurance Software Tester

## EDUCATION:

|  |
| --- |
| **Associates Degree in Criminal Justice** Frederick Community College – 2003 |