Phil de Groot - Game Programmer

General Info

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Work Experience

Research Developer & Instructor Game Programming – Multiple Projects – Breda University of Applied Sciences,

Netherlands - Sep 2017 to present

Multiple serious gaming, VR and AR projects.

- Development for research projects, exploration of new concepts in VR and AR
- Part-time instructor game programming at IGAD bachelor

Game Mechanics Programmer – Lego Worlds – TT Games, United Kingdom – Jan 2016 to Sep 2017

Open world LEGO sandbox game

- Implementation and support for guest system
- Improvements and addition of the terrain modification in-game tools and system

Generalist Programmer - Mechamania - Mechamania, Netherlands - Nov 2015 to Dec 2015

VR Experience game project

- Implementing of gameplay features and engine customization of Unreal Engine 4
- IT Support and maintenance for the project

Independent Game Programmer – 2 Puzzled 2 Solve – Netherlands – July 2015 to Nov 2015

Asymmetrical 2D puzzle platforming game.

Responsible for technical and gameplay implementation of the project

Intern Game Programmer – Multiple Projects – Vanguard Entertainment, Netherlands – *Aug 2013 to Jan 2014* Halo: Spartan Assault. Top-down action shooter released in December 2013.

• Implementing multiplayer score screen, enhancing options menu and general bug fixing nearing release

Education

Master in Game Technology, Sep 2014 – Sep 2015

NHTV University of Applied Sciences Breda, Netherlands

Bachelor International Game Architecture and Design, Sep 2010 – Jul 2014

NHTV University of Applied Sciences Breda, Netherlands

Graduated 'with distinction' / 'cum laude'

Extracurricular

Oct 2014 – Student Teaching Assistant – NHTV Breda, Netherlands

July 2015 Providing additional guidance for IGAD bachelor students outside classes.

Skills

Spoken Languages: **Dutch**: Native Language, **English**: Fluent

Known Programming Languages: C++, C#, PHP, Javascript, Python, Nvidia CG, Nvidia CUDA, OpenCL Software: Visual Studio, SVN, Perforce, Unity, Unreal Engine, Photoshop, Maya

Activities & Interests

Computer Hardware, Electronics, Inline Skating, Movies, Programming, TV Series, Video Games