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### **EDUCATION**

B.S in Computer Science, June 2017 Western Oregon University, Monmouth Oregon A.A in Visual Communications, June 2013 Chemeketa Community College, Salem Oregon

### **WORK EXPERIENCE**

### **TRIPP INC**

MAY 2023 - PRESENT

SR SOFTWARE ENGINEER

UNITY C#

LINK

- Drove engineering decisions balancing long term sustainability and short term feature requirements.
- Automated content creation pipeline to allow weekly delivery of new audio.
- Helped manage engineering team grow from 2 engineers to 8.
- Mentored new hires on production pipeline, debugging fundamentals, and team communication.
- Supported a live service, working with customers and customer service team discover and solve live bugs.

#### SOFTWARE ENGINEER JAN 2018 - MAY 2023

- Responsible for core features including user account management, UX implementation, and user surveys.
- Wrote client side analytics system.
  - Allowed further company funding though reports generated.
  - Setup automated testing infrastructure to ensure reliability of analytics events.
- Implemented native Android service in Java to pre-download content at night.
- Managed and developed PlayStation4 version of project from start to release.
  - Communicated with Sony to fix bugs and move product through QA process.
  - Drove monthly releases to bring latest updates to PS4 customers.
  - Self managed entire project from start to release.
- Helped maintain 75+ fps throughout the entire product on all platforms.
- Shipped product on multiple platforms Apple Vision Pro, all Meta Quest devices, PSVR1, and PSVR2.
- Worked in startup environment, adapting to changing deadlines and requirements, establishing healthy company norms, present and positive during crisis, self-driven and self-managing.

### **Unity Freelancer**

#### DEC 2014 - JAN 2018

- Completed 20 contracts with 30 clients including five shipped games on Android and iOS.
- Experienced in local and online networking, custom editors and tools, mobile development, VR and AR.
- Consistent work in client communication, project management, cost / time estimates, and feasibility.
- Wrote features such as local and online multiplayer, input recording and playback system, custom physics, player controls, input mapping, and custom level editing tools.

**PROJECTS** 

## **Custom Game Engine - Beta Game Release**

JUL 2015 - PRESENT C++ 3D DEV LOG

- Fully custom 2d / 3d game engine written from scratch.
- Engine utilizes no external libraries. All behavior implemented by me.
- Features GIF encoder, BMP decoder, WAV decoder, JSON read and write, strings, linked lists, immediate mode UI,
- OpenGL renderer, live code editing, and clean separation between platform and game code.
- Supports Windows, Android, and web through wasm.
- OpenGL renderer features include Physically Based Rendering, Image Based Lighting, post processing effects, and hot reloading of shaders, textures, and models.
- Utilized Android NDK and a Java layer to run C++ engine code.
- Custom MetaProgramming preprocessor which generates type data for use at runtime.
- Generic multi-threaded worker queue. Currently utilized for dynamic asset loading.

### **Rust Lang Projects**

2023 - PRESENT RUST

- Simple 8086 processor parser and emulator.
  - Supports most mov and jump instructions.
- Advent of Code challenge 2023.
- Budgeting app to handle private long term spending analysis.
  - Written using Tauri and Leptos.

### **Hotwire Robotics**

JAN 2016 - PRESENT MENTORING JAVA <u>Link</u>

- Lead programming mentor for local high school FIRST team Hotwire Robotics.
- Build confidence of students through software development.
- Manage code base across incoming and outgoing student developers.
- Mentor and help implement robot features. Including autonomous robot control, driver station feedback, semiautonomous robot control using sensors such as gyroscopes, limit switch, potentiometers, and vision tracking.
- Manage team of adult mentors and student programmers in high intensity and time constrained work environments.
- Inspire students to learn, and push them to grow while also keeping a fun and light hearted environment.

#### **INTERESTS**

### **Games as Art**

- Producing games which balance art and product.
- Playing as many games as possible to find the best parts of each.
- Watching hours long youtube videos with deep analysis of single games.

### **Board Games**

- Applying design lessons learned from board games to digital video games.
- Spending time with loved ones.